CWE REST API Working Group Meeting – April 11, 2022

- 1) Call to order chair's remarks
- 2) Meeting agenda approval
- 3) Introductions
- 4) Call for secretary, vice-chair
- 5) Organization and direction
- 6) Action item review
- 7) Next meeting
- 8) Adjourn
- 1) Call to order:
 - Loosely by Robert's Rules
 - Mute when not speaking
 - Wait for the gap to begin speaking
 - Goal is to knock this API out and get something up and running for mutual benefit
- 2) Agenda approval:
- 3) Intros
 - Name, company, goals, strengths for each attendee
 - Fill in membership list skills column
- 4) Executive staff
 - Secretary:
 - Vice-chair (to keep it moving when I cannot join): Brent Sherman
 - (Co-chair from MITRE)
- 5) Organization and direction:
 - WG invite
 - Accellera IP Security Assurance (IPSA https://www.accellera.org/activities/working-groups/ip-security-assurance) Working Group slides
 - Accellera/MITRE notes doc
 - Most important section today...
 - o ETAG for caching data and reducing
 - CWE/CAPEC is now structured differently
 - Need to decide on access mechanisms/infrastructure
 - DBs are currently statically generated, .csv/XML downloadable
 - 15-year history
 - "few versions per year"...
 - New structure potential ideas
 - May need to store in JSON or graph format
 - Potentially cache data periodically to unload direct DB access strains
 - Schema of CWE/CAPEC could benefit from unification
 - API 1st priority of WG; infrastructure implementation more MITRE work, but please consider infrastructure for potential "modernization" of DBs
 - Each CWE only knows parent or child... so may need to adjust on either client or host side
 - If/when new DB entries come (new field, deleted field, etc.) → new version

- o Error codes: MITRE will support the requirements of the WG
- 6) Action item review
 - Luke to provide current view of MITRE infrastructure
 - Adam to send out slides/notes from previous "work" on API
 - Steve to update on email list reflector
 - All: check out 2 files on "previous work" about WG's work for the API; bring ideas next week for "needs"
- 7) Next meeting
 - Survey Monkey with many more choices
- 8) Adjourn