

CalConnect vCard Workshop - September 18, 2007

Preliminary Agenda

- 08.30-09.00 Breakfast**
- 09.00-09.30 Welcome**
Welcome, intro to Calconnect, how Calconnect got involved in vCard plus "goals" for this workshop.
- 09.30-10.00 Introductions**
Each participant introduces themselves and explains their interest in this and what they might like to see as an outcome. Plus comment on other interested or related parties that may be involved or should be involved (e.g. any ongoing IETF effort etc). To illustrate the problem we have perhaps we should ask participants to exchange vCards with each other!
- 10.00-10.30 Overview of the problem**
Quick statement of what the workshop organizers see as the problem we are trying to solve, with follow up discussion to see whether anyone has other approaches to suggest.
- 10.30-11.00 Break (Tea/Coffee, etc.)**
- 11.00-11.30 vCard and OMA DS (formerly SyncML) today**
Presentation on the current state of vCard, plus review of issues related to OMA DS (formerly SyncML), including discussion of jabber XML variant, IETF & OMA extensions.
- 11.30-11.40 IETF vCard Revision Status**
- 11.40-12.00 Other related standards**
Liberty alliance, CardDAV, iCalendar/CalDAV, hCard, LDAP etc.
- 12.00-12.30 Open Discussion of current technologies and problems**
BOF type session to get feedback on previous two presentations.
- 12.30-13.30 Lunch**
- 13.30-14.30 Fixing vCard, including synchronization**
Presentation on how we might move ahead with fixing vCard - plus discussion on what others want. We should use this to build a set of prototype recommendations on what needs to be done to vCard.
- 14.30-15.00 Other approaches?**
Are there other ways to tackle this? e.g. completely new contact data format.
- 15.00-15.30 BOF or additional presentations**
- 15.30-16.00 Break (Tea/Coffee etc.)**
- 16.00-17.00 The way forward**
- Do people want to move ahead with a concerted effort to deal with these issues?
 - How should we proceed?
 - Calconnect-like approach of industry/user consortium?
 - If so, should Calconnect be the place to do that, or a new consortium, or some other existing forum (OMA, LibertyAlliance, IETF)?
 - What should the goals be?
 - What should the timeframe be?
- 17.00-17.30 Wrap-up**
Summary of decisions or follow-up action items.
- Evening** Optional Social Event (Dinner or Reception) No-host event