

## PGB Meeting – September 24, 2020

Attendees: Jason Keirstead, Adam Montville, Darren Thomas, Kelly Cullinane, Lodrina Cherne, Mitch Thomas, Forrest Hare, Jory Burson, David Kemp, Duncan Sparrell, Sonu Shankar, Steven Wood

### Agenda

Good day everyone, we have the PGB call coming up shortly - here is the high level agenda for the call today:

- Marketing update (specifically report on success of the recent webinar - TBD)
- OpenC2 & OpenDXL Alignment Status
- Update on architecture WG & next steps proposal (align with SCAL, OpenC2, OpenDXL) (Russ Warren)
- TSC Discussion & Appointment Suggestion (Jason K & Darren)
- Any other business

### Topic 1 – Marketing Update (Dee)

Dee discussed the Webinar held on September 22. We had 123 people registered. Dee has a list of the attendees and can share this information on request. The Webinar was well received and a recording covering the new SCAP v2 Data Collection Prototype was posted to the OCA You tube channel ([link here](#)).

### Topic 2 – OpenC2 and OpenDXL Ontology Alignment Status

A meeting was held on September 24, 2020 to discuss the alignment of OpenC2 and OpenDXL Ontology. Meeting notes have been posted in our documentation Github. The conclusion of that meeting was to ask the Technical Steering Committee to drive the resolution of actions identified. This request was raised at the PGB meeting.

OpenC2 is planning a plugfest on October 28 (virtual event). We discussed the desire to demonstrate OpenC2 using OpenDXL at this plugfest as a way to show initial progress on interoperation. Follow on discussions and actions are planned on this effort.

### Topic 3 – Update on the architecture workgroups and next steps

As the SCAP v2 Data Collection Prototype has been accepted by OCA, we now have 3 projects and a foundation for interoperation. As discussed in topic 2, bringing together SCAP V2, OpenC2, Open DXL ontology along with STIXShifter can define our scope for a ‘Version 1’ of an OCA architecture. We currently have a draft architecture documented in the OCA documentation Github that provides an initial mapping of these projects. At the PGB meeting, we discussed laying out a plan to develop a Version 1 architecture by the end of this year. With this, we can align the current projects as well as produce more collateral around our work (higher level diagrams, documentation, white papers, etc) and giving the OCA effort a base to build on. This effort will also be a major step for communicating our progress and objectives to others outside the community. The plan is to launch this architecture group on bi-weekly calls

starting in the next few weeks. An initial call for input has been requested on the architecture SLACK channel. Any interested parties that would like to participate should contact us via that channel.

#### Topic 4 – TSC Discussion & Appointment Suggestion (Jason K & Darren)

The TSC has not, as yet, had cadence and been able to make progress evolving the processes and issues currently opened. The suggestion is to nominate a person with interest and skills in providing the project management for the TSC. Darren nominated Mark Mastrangeli, from McAfee to be added as a chair to the TSC, joining Chris Smith(McAfee) and Thierry Supplisson (IBM). After discussion at the PGB, the nomination was accepted as it was agreed we needed to make progress in this area.