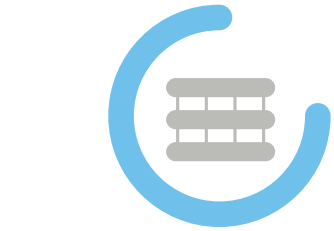

Meeting of the Technical Steering Committee (TSC) Board

Wednesday, February 13th, 2019
11:00am ET

Meeting Logistics

- https://zoom.us/j/556149142

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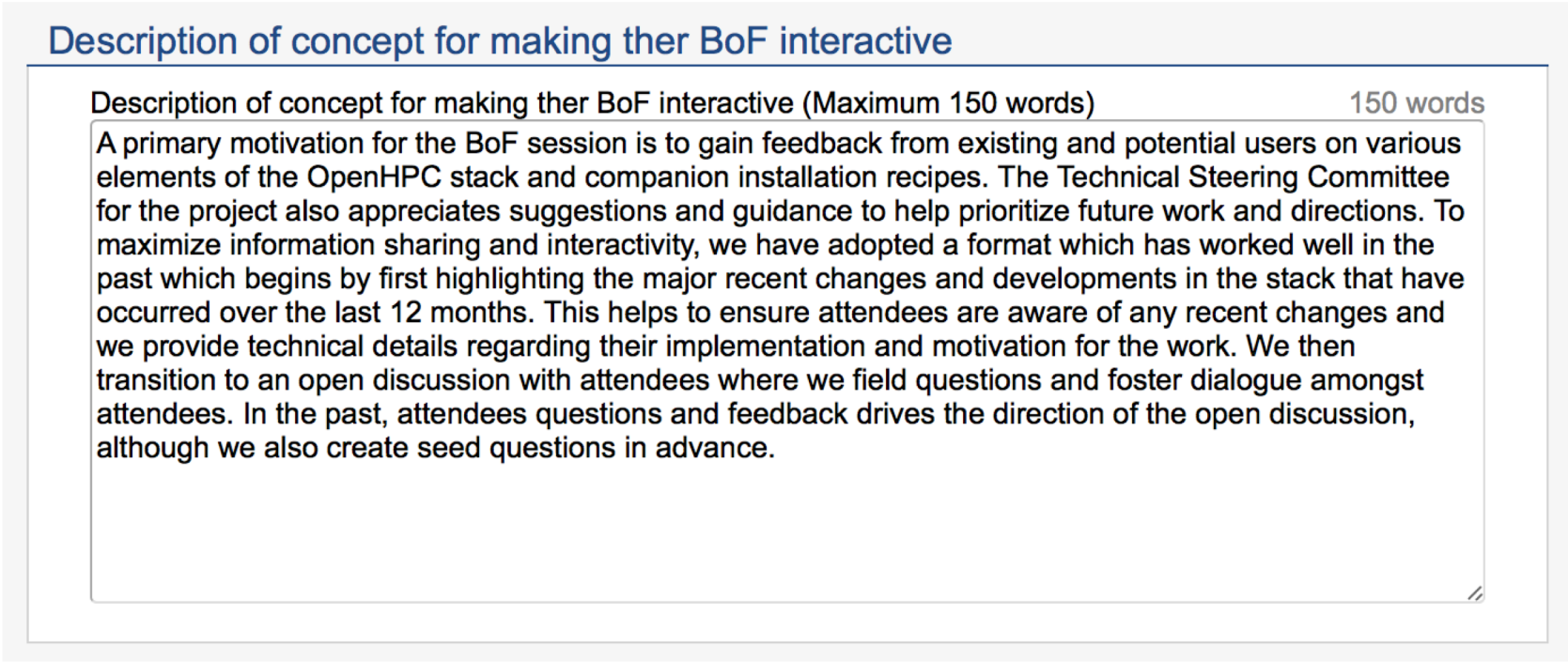
Agenda

- MPICH 3.3
  - following up on presentation /discussion last time
  - have updated our ohpc build in 1.3.7 branch to use new CH4 device layer implementation
  - builds enabled, CI testing next...
- Reminder on upcoming submission deadlines:
  - PEARC'19 tutorial (Feb20) - any volunteers?
  - ISC'19 BoF (Feb 20) - submitted starting placeholder
- Review Cycle #8
- Continued our discussion on next major distro versions:
  - SLE12
  - RHEL8/CentOS8
- FOSDEM'19 Presentation report (Adrian)

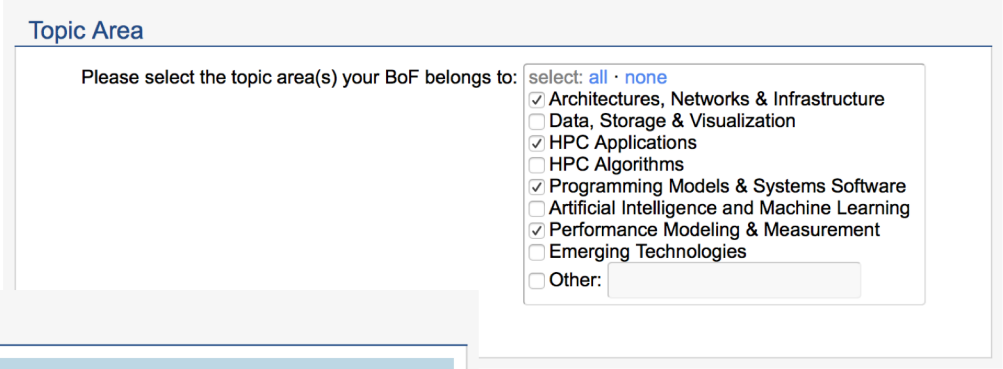
ISC'19 BoF

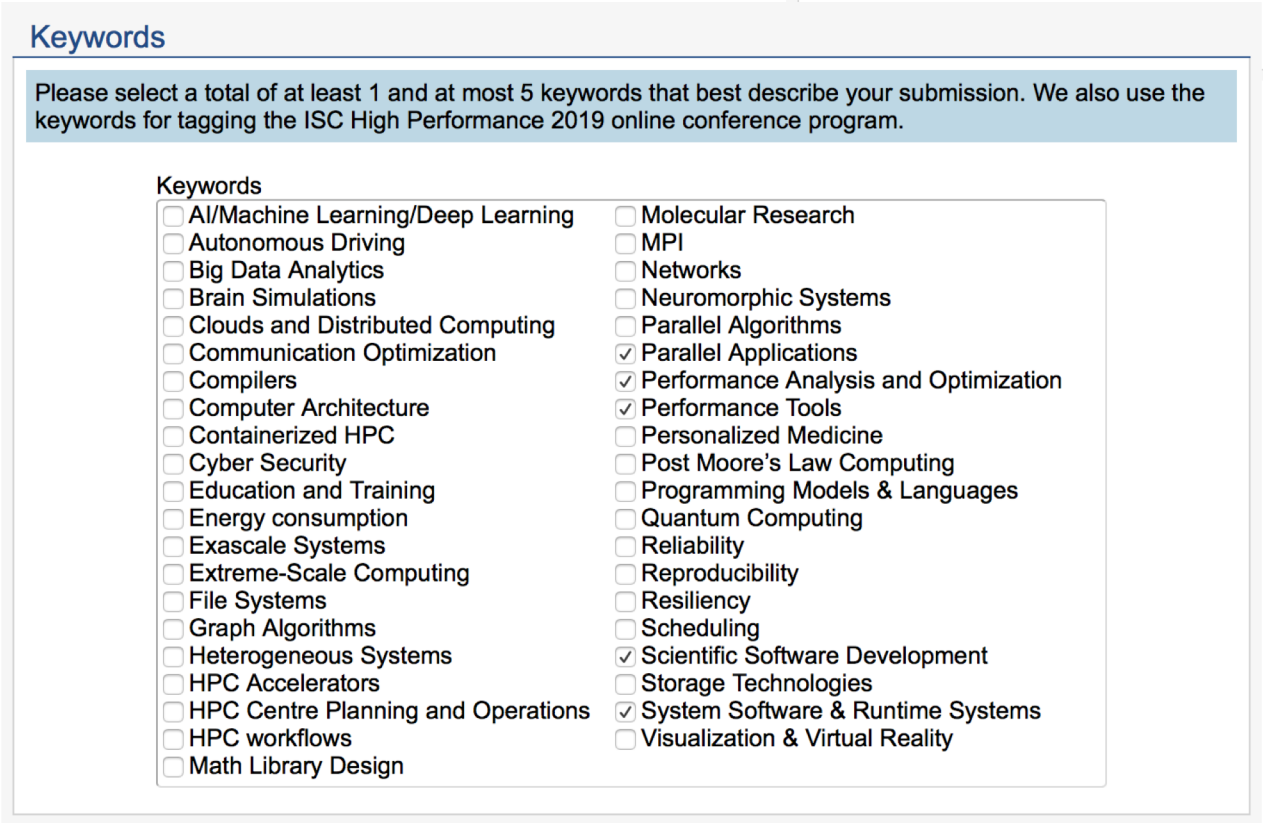
- Submitted a version earlier today
  - kept same general format as before (went with 40% presentation)
  - there is a new section this year....making BoF interactive



ISC'19 BoF (cont)

- Preferred Topic Areas and Keywords?





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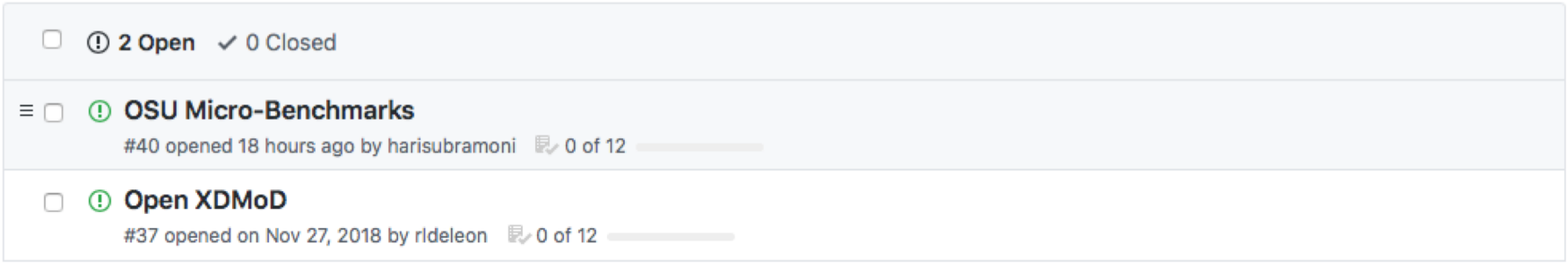


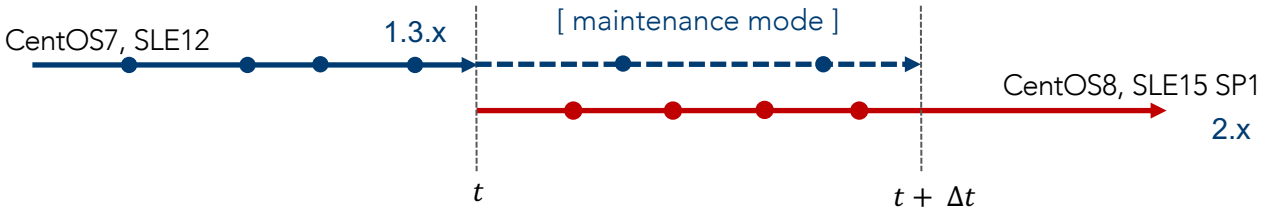
- We received a total of 2 new requests for the current cycle
- Recall that we need a minimum of 5 reviews:
  - Site reps (Chris S, Derek, Eric)
  - Comp. development reps (Jeff)
  - Karl
  - At least two more volunteers?

- Proposed reviewer deadline: Friday, March 1st
- Have updated the next submission deadline on submission site to be: April 5th, 2018

Next major distro versions

(continued from last time, this time with a proposal)

Option #2



- A <u>Proposal</u> for starting convention when we roll out ohpc v1.4 to support newer major distro versions:
  - Once we release a new major branch (e.g. v2.x) which supports a newer major distro version at time ***t***, we restrict any updates to previous branch (e.g. v1.3.x) to only include:
    - security patches (e.g. address known CVEs)
    - significant bugs affecting functionality
    - ie, 1.3.x goes into **maintenance mode**
  - release cadence for branch in maintenance mode expected to be reduced and not required to coincide with releases on latest branch
  - component additions, version updates, new compiler and MPI variants are **only** landed on latest branch
  - older branch stays in maintenance mode for Δt = 1 year