Blockchain PSIG Call Notes

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# Attendees

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# Agenda

* Identity SSID

# Meeting Notes

## Disposable SSID RFI

### Summary to Date

RFP scope and potential for disposable (Ephemeral) SSIDs.

This would be a DID-based standard.

Submitter is in question (update to follow)

In June and subsequent meetings we said ‘Lets to do RFI first’

### Potential Scope

Not just ‘crypto’ based identity?

Nick set out a much broader scope in an earlier session.

* History
* Issues about trust (of 3rd party)

Background, scope, structure to the RFI.

Proposal last time: Let’s have a sort of rolling RFI (wiki page)

Theme (as we also found with the Interoperability RFI) is that most of the real answers we got were from our own research and from people presenting to this group on the weekly calls.

### Use of a Wiki

Proposal is for a ‘rolling’ RFI where the structure of the outcome of the RFI is the structure of the RFI itself.

We tend to operate in Waterfall mode (RFI => RFP)

CW: What happens if RFI is rolling alongside the RFP. E.g. LoI deadline

* No-one is proposing this

Rolling RFI – have a wiki page with the structure

Have some means of asking people questions

#### Discussion Wiki Feature

e.g. use the wiki facility to add in a discussion area where people can put in questions and comment

Then the Wiki can be update by us, in response to those comments and input, so it become the outcome of the rolling RFI process.

There are 2 kinds of Discussion feature – internal, and publicly visible. So anyone can add in a discussion item

So if then put the questions in the main wiki text, people could respond in the discussion area. AS a ‘discussion box’ that doesn’t affect the rest of the wiki.

**Action:** CW to research how to add the ‘discussion box’ facility to the BC-PSIG Wiki.

## Definitions update

Mike updated the group on recent developments in the ‘Vocabularies for Communities of Interest’ initiative. One outcome of this is the idea of material to go on a Task or SIG wiki page, for e.g. tables of Term, Definition, Synonym and other information, generated from a more comprehensive vocabulary structure (e.g. SKOS or MVF which itself is populated from different otnology, vocabulary and other sources as available.

The new VCoI WG will flesh out an approach methodology and tooling for this, and present as a mechanism that different TFs and SIGs can use e.g. Blockchain PSIG). They would not maintain the terms and definitions for you.

Given this, it would make sense to use the outcome of that as a part of the ‘Rolling RFI’ structure.

An alternative is the mechanism used by Nic on the DDS foundation wiki and elsewhere, that has a separate wiki page per term or word.

This discussions are ongoing – see VCOI presentation at GovDTF at the September quarterly meeting, or follow the VCOI WG directly at [vcoi@omg.org](mailto:vcoi@omg.org)

## Agenda Planning for Q3 Quarterly Meeting

### Time / day slots

BC-PSIG

* Joint with MARS on Monday afternoon
* Half day Wednesday

**Proposal:** Wednesday afternoon

NB AI PTF is also still looking for a landing place time-wise.

### Things to cover

* Identity RFI and discussion on potential RFP for Ephemeral
  + MB see if we can get them to present at this and / or at a future weekly meeting
* LETS RFP review – drafting
* IOTA updates
  + IOTA Protocol (and scope)
  + IOTA Streams (LETS RFP response)
  + Self-sovereign identity,
  + Other IOTA things like Access, marketplace etc.?
* Identifiers for Crypto Assets – update in FDTF on Wednesday morning.
* ISO 4217 Ccy codes – crypto currencies?
* We don’t know – potential session for exploration

**Action:** MB to put together draft agenda based on the above.