CTO Forum VC - 27 June 2019

Logistics

- Date: 27.06.2019
- time: 10:00 - 12:00 CEST
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Agenda

1. NORDUnet NGN update
2. GÉANT Update
3. Polar connect info
4. Satellite project info
5. Time & Frequency update
6. Nordic Ansible workshop - dates and planning group
7. EuroHPC Update
8. NTW2019 Planning
9. Round table updates - All
10. AoB

Participants

- DeIC: Martin, Tangui
- SUNET: Valter, Pelle, Leif
- UNINETT: Vidar
- RHNET: Marius
- FUNET: Matti, Harri
- NORDUnet: Lars, Jørgen

Notes

- NDN NGN
  - Two stretches migrated (OSL-STO, STO-CPH), one after holidays (OSL-CPH)
  - fibre tender to go our in a couple of weeks
  - Östersund-TRD link is on hand, fibre delivery soon
  - FUNET to release procurement for HEL-STO fibre, offer is in place
- GÉANT update
  - network:
    - first NIAC meeting held to review RFI, so far looks good relative to budget. Baltic coordination meeting this afternoon
    - NIAC has approved procurement
    - Three items need further investigatopn: Ireland, Iberia, SEE
    - Baltic ring on NREN fibre need more work
  - SIG + Task Force preparation
    - Valter to circulate report
    - please all review groups and participations, we will discuss in a future meeting
  - InfraEOSC-03
    - GÉANT executive want to lead, BoD believe it's important and to investigate if it's possible to lead
  - Costsharing
    - Martin has joined the Cost sharing committee
    - Adapting cost sharing to the future network is the main current task
  - GÉANT BoD happy to have GÉANT participate in future ANA procurement
- Polar Connet
  - Nordic Working group to be put together by NDN Board. All NRENs to nominate participant
  - To explore options to Europe - Asia connectivity
  - All work will be under NDA
- Ansible workshop
  - week 14 october
  - 2 days
  - UNINETT has organiser
  - we should organise brainstorming meeting for contents - early August
  - SUNET is not doing Ansbile for network service automation - how to make it relevant for that? Or is that another workshop
  - Is this Ansible only, or is it orchestration
  - Leif: Can we really not do this during NTW? If so, are we using NTW in the best way?
- EuroHPC
  - Northern Consortium pre-Exascale system was approved. Lots of things to be clarified during contract negotiation
  - Congratulations to CSC on a job well done
- NTW19
  - T&I hackathon on the Monday before
  - Time and Frequency workshop on the Friday after
  - It's really important to get the session descriptions up
  - please get the information out
  - Educational Services. Ulrika could not make it. Vegard Moen of UNIT has volunteered. He needs a person at each NREN to talk to.
  - GÉANT would like to participate in the educational session
- Roundtable

- FUNET
  - Panopto to be rolled out under European tender. FUNET collaborating with SURF
  - Next step is LMS
  - Very interesting outcome of OCRE. Very useful.
  - FUNET 2020 now only 200 km from Kalix.
  - Procurement of Stockholm and Umeå fibres to be procured this year
- DeIC
  - Some confusion in Zoom pricing, MB + JQ to clarify
  - Procurement for fibre for NDN NGN ongoing
  - Has been awarded a EOSC project to develop sync-n-share services (with PSNC, CERN, SWITCH, SURFsara). 3 year project, infraEOSC-02, 6 M€
  - DeiC now ISO 27001 certified. Doing so has been a major effort
  - Iridium service initiative ongoing
  - Faroe island project ongoing
  - Greenland connectivity making less progress than hoped for
- UNINETT
  - Launching Zoom. Focus on inter-operation with Canvas.
  - Progress on geteduroam. Development pricing forthcoming. Should aim for a planning info package by 1 Sep, in order to make the September NDN BoD meeting
  - planning to bundle eduVPN with CNaaS
  - UNINETT has a new nationally funded, 4-year security services. First service is *DNS Firewall*
- SUNET
  - e-compass study published (Valter to share). As a result, SUNET would like to do more visible coordination work
- RHnet
  - Nothing to report at this time.
- NORDUnet
  - Storage procurement has been concluded. Currently in standstill. JQ to circulate results and plans
- AOB
  - EOSC-Nordic kick-off is in September (Espoo)
  - EISCAT-3D network is delayed due to reindeer

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