

Jakarta EE Platform Call

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General

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Present:

- Kevin Sutter
- Bill Shannon
- Ivar Grimstad
- Emily Jiang
- Tanja Obradovic
- Martin Stefanko
- Ken Finnigan
- Edwin Amoakwa
- Carlos Andres De La Rosa
- Steve Millidge
- Rudy De Busscher
- Alessio Soldano

Agenda

- Organize ourselves
Kevin (IBM) and Steve (Payara) volunteered to take on the Delivery Owner and Co-pilot role for Jakarta EE 9. Final confirmation pending.

Keep the current meeting time: 11:00 AM EST.

Minutes will be published at
<https://eclipse-ee4j.github.io/jakartaee-platform/>

Source of minutes:
<https://github.com/eclipse-ee4j/jakartaee-platform/blob/gh-pages/minutes>

- [KWS] Big Bang vs Incremental. Need to decide. Several projects are stomping at the bit to move on the package rename exercise.
 - DECISION: Big Bang is the stated direction.

- [KWS] Java SE 8 or Java SE 11 as the **minimum**. Another key decision to allow for continued development efforts.
- [IG] “Jakartify” the specification documents
Status: <https://github.com/eclipse-ee4j/jakartaee-platform/projects/2>
- [IG] Decide which specifications to prune/deprecate.
 - Publish specific proposal(s) to Platform dev mailing list. Steve volunteered to organize the material and post for a “vote” by Platform Committers.
- [TO] Tanja to find out a list of committers on the Jakarta EE Platform Project and invite them to sign up to the platform project mailing list - look [here](#)
 - Only Werner Keil was not on part of the mailing list; Tanja invited him to join
- [KWS] Determine a dependency graph for the remaining projects and work out a spreadsheet (or some doc) of all of the pieces of required work.
 - Work with David Blevins on the dependency work that he did previously.

Steering Committee, October 29, 2019:

RESOLVED, the Jakarta EE Steering Committee requests that the Jakarta EE Platform Project leadership deliver a Jakarta EE 9 Delivery Plan to the Steering Committee no later than **December 9, 2019**, for the Steering Committee to consider adopting as the roadmap for Jakarta EE 9, and that the Jakarta EE 9 Delivery Plan accommodates the following constraints:

- implements the “big bang”
- Includes an explicit means to identify and enable specifications that are unnecessary or unwanted to be deprecated or removed
- Moves all remaining specification APIs to the Jakarta namespace
- States that no new specifications are to be added, apart from specifications pruned from Java SE 8 where appropriate, unless those specifications clearly will not impact the target delivery date

The plan shall define a delivery date, and the team should view meeting the above requirements in as early a timeframe as possible as a higher priority than adding additional functionality to the release.