

Control Framework Working Group

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 - Planned mechanism for network stitching in Cluster B (Larry Peterson)



Introductions

Incoming WG Chairs

- Rob Ricci, University of Utah
 - ProtoGENI PoC
 - Host of GEC6
- TBD

New GPO Systems Engineer

- Christopher Small, BBN
 - Systems researcher Bell Labs, Sun Labs, BBN
 - Software developer startups
 - GENI Roles
 - CFWG Systems Engineer
 - GPO Systems Engineer for 3 Spiral 1 Projects



Control Framework Requirements Specification



Requirements Status

 Control Framework Requirements document drafted over past year, multiple revisions

 Concurrently, five control frameworks have been under development

 Time to take what we have learned and refresh the document, restart the process.



Control Framework WG Proposed Plan

• By GEC6

- Rough agreement on control framework scope
- Review definition of terms, update glossary
- Review requirements
- Revise requirements document

• By GEC7

- Review functional description of interfaces
- Revise requirements document



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Problem Introduction

- Goal of GPO to support non-IP network experiments
- What does a CF need to do to support "stitching together" slice for non-IP experimentation?
- Food for thought
 - three [prototype] examples and a plan
- What can we abstract from them?