Concept of Operations

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Operational Goals for GENI

- Provide the services that are needed
- Don't provide services that aren't needed
- Don't get in the way





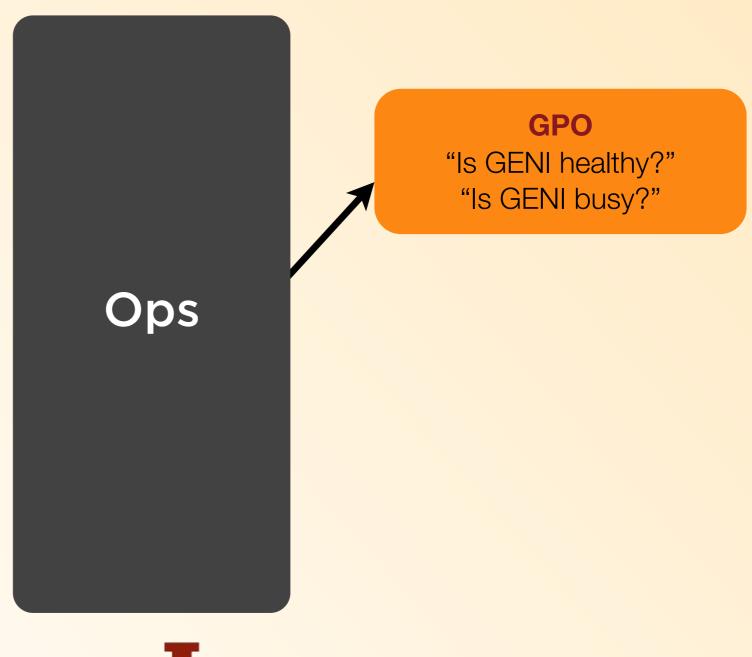








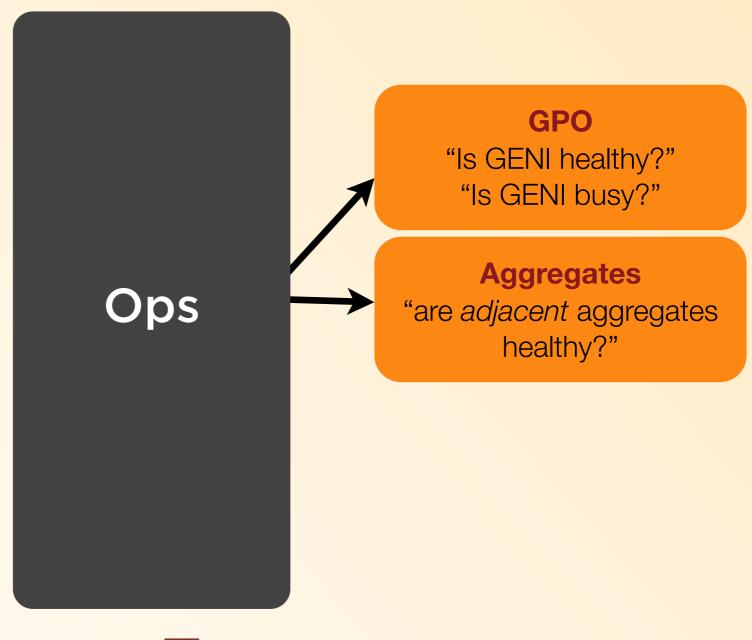








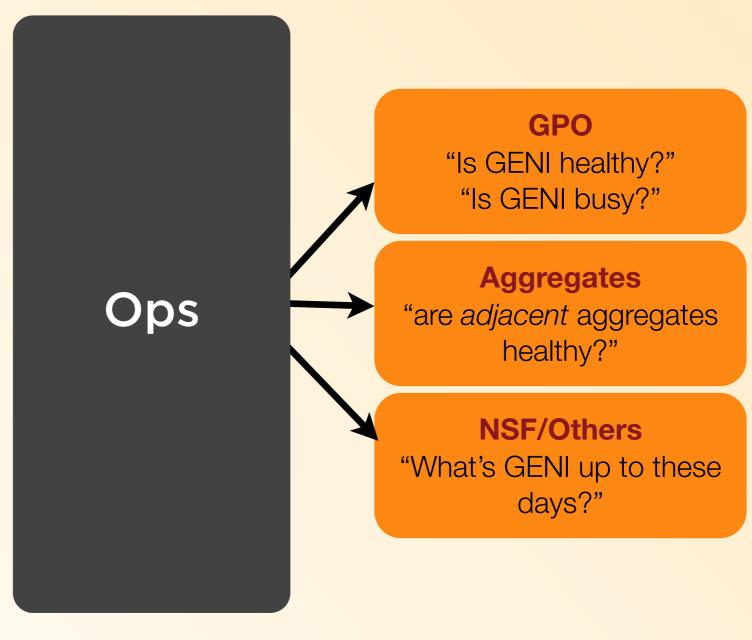


















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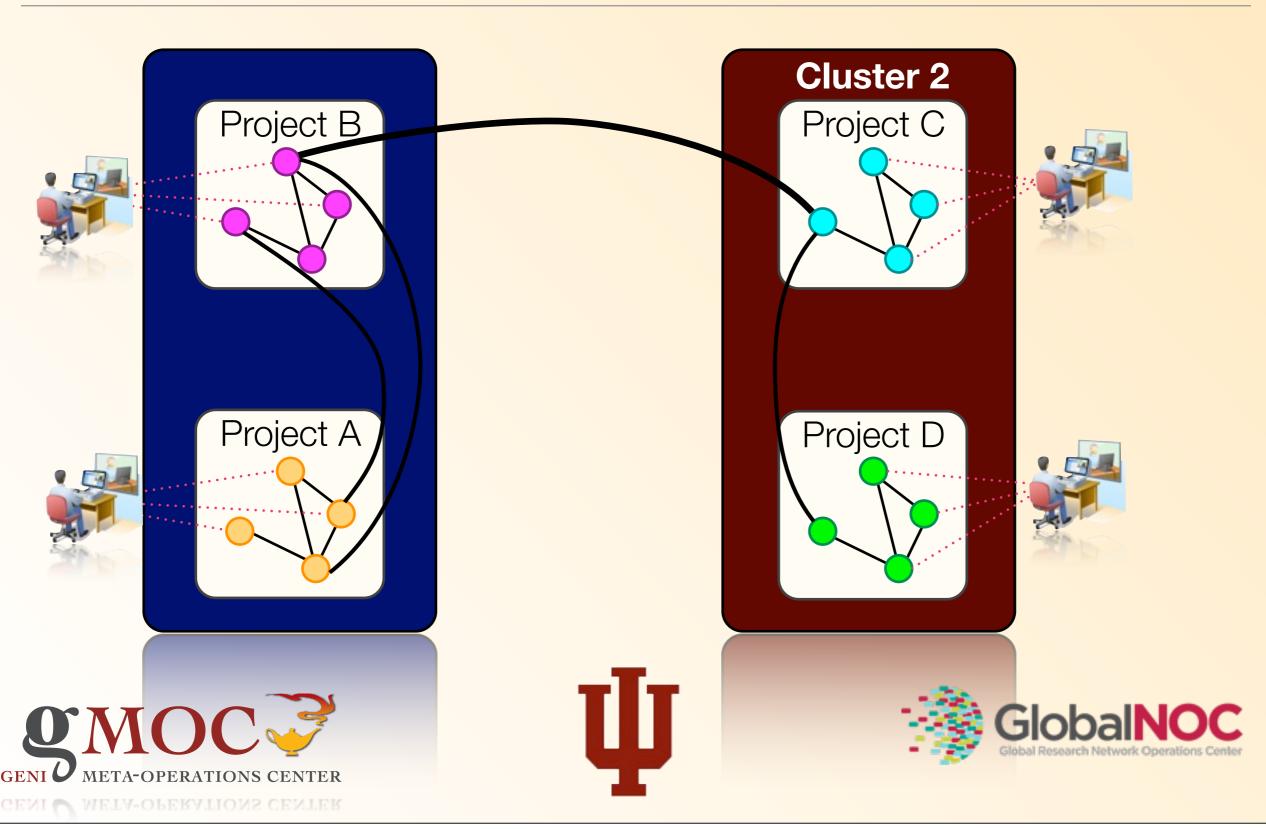
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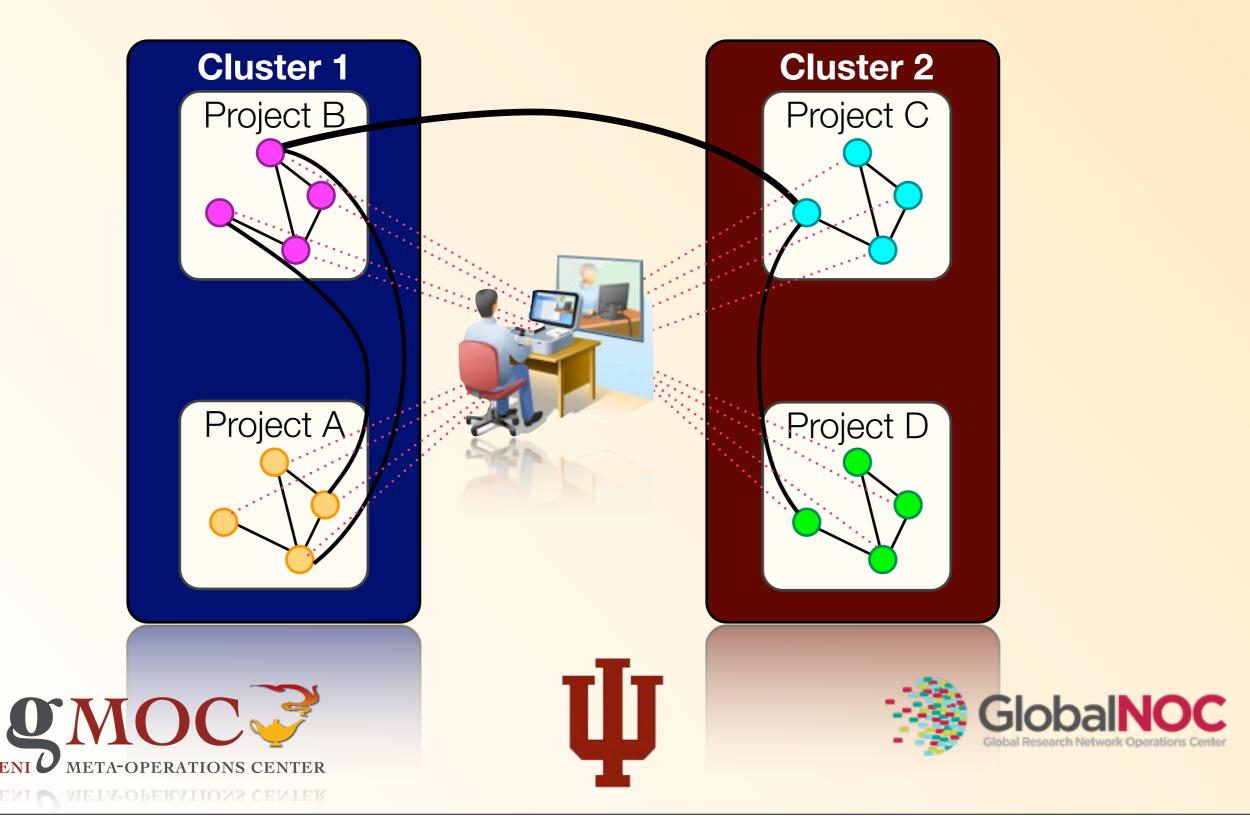




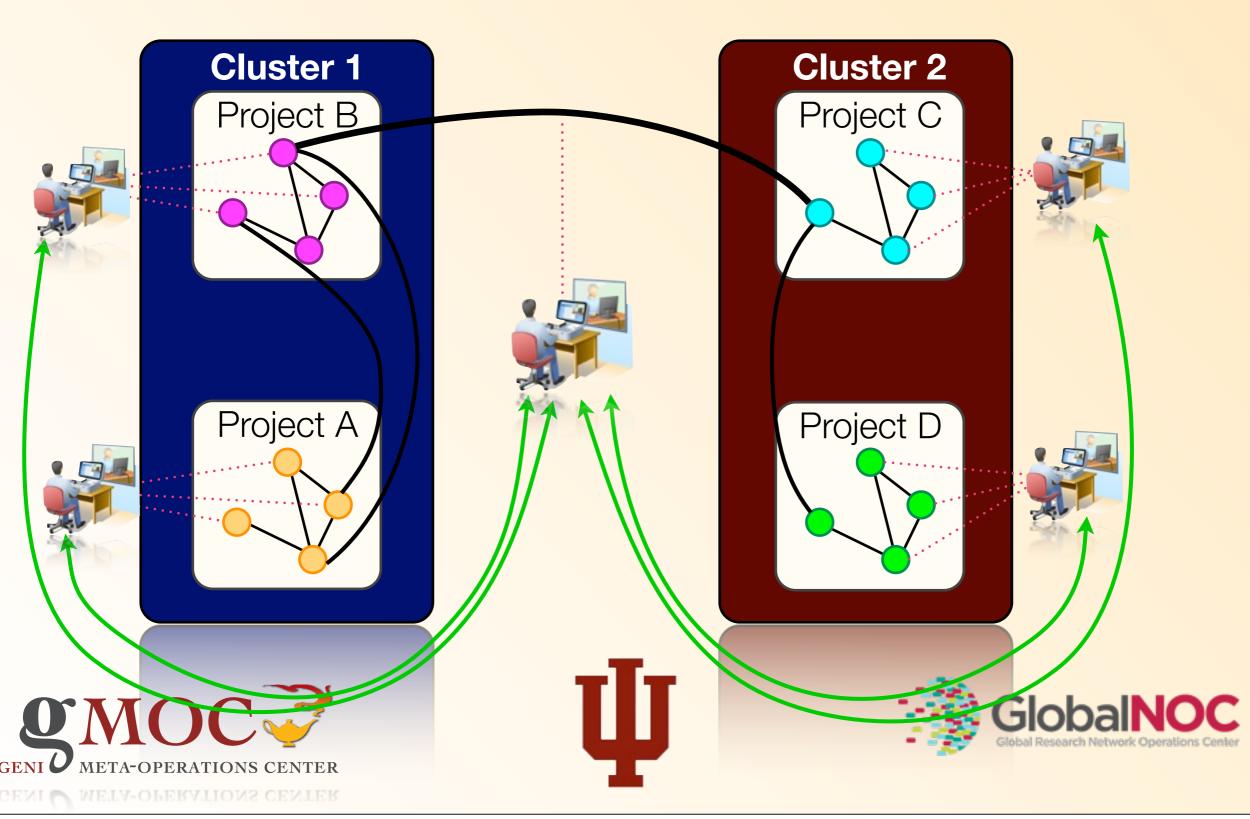
Option 1 - Completely Distributed



Option 2 - Centralized



Option 3 - Meta-Operations



Meta-Operations: GENI's Interstate Commerce Clause

- Aggregate operators are best equipped to operate their own aggregate.
- To supplement, when slices cross aggregate boundaries a GENI-wide coordinating organization (meta-operations) should provide a few additional things.
- This list of things will evolve
- The list shouldn't be any longer than needed







Things Meta-operations should do

- For multi-aggregate cases:
 - emergency stop
 - "front-door" for GENI operational requests
 - Traffic director: get the right person working on the right thing
 - Give a place to see GENI health and usage







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Aggregate Operators

Control Frameworks

Ops Ecosystem

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What next:

- 1.Agreement on concept
- 2. Detail the Operations Ecosystem:
 - What groups play a part in GENI ops?
 - What things need to be done (now and soon)?
 - what agreements or standards do we need?
- 3.Also, Gather Contacts List







Contacts list

For each aggregate:

- 1. First line contact info
- 2. Escalation contact info
- 3. Description of jurisdiction

We'll be gathering this in spiral 3, beginning soon











