

# Jakarta EE Spec Committee - October 21st, 2020

*Attendees (present in bold):*

**Kenji Kazumura** - Fujitsu  
**Dan Bandera** - IBM - **Kevin Sutter**  
**Ed Bratt** - Oracle - **Dmitry Kornilov**, **Lukas Jungmann**  
**Andrew Pielage** - Payara - Matt Gill  
**Scott Stark** - Red Hat - Mark Little, **Scott Marlow**, Tom Jenkinson  
**David Blevis** - Tomitribe - Jean-Louis Monteiro, **Cesar Hernandez**  
**Ivar Grimstad** - PMC Representative  
Marcelo Ancelmo - Participant Member - Martijn Verburg  
**Werner Keil** - Committer Member  
Scott (Congquan) Wang - Primeton - Enterprise Member

Eclipse Foundation: **Tanja Obradovic**, **Paul Buck**

Reference: [EFSP](#), [JESP](#)

Past business / action items:

- Deferred until the October 28th meeting - Approval is requested for the meeting minutes from the October 14th meeting as drafted.

## Agenda:

- Welcome invited members from the Jakarta EE specification projects that have joined the call today
- Jakarta EE 9 Specification ballot tracking spreadsheet:  
[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1YTUpfdLZZrk2\\_UGwoX2w0seOCulseRO3sQJjWxpDAa7g/edit#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1YTUpfdLZZrk2_UGwoX2w0seOCulseRO3sQJjWxpDAa7g/edit#gid=0)  
See the Notes and Status column (G) in the spreadsheet for updates on the specifications.
- Problems and Options for platform-dependent specs (chicken & egg problem):
  - Problem #1: We have a number of specifications that are dependent on the release of the Platform
  - Problem #2: We have a specification (CDI) which we have released sooner
  - Option 1: Status quo. We do nothing different.
  - Option 2: "Dependent" Ballots of spec+api.
  - Option 3: "Dependent" Ballots of spec + api + interim certification request.
    - Note this in the ballot that cert req is interim and will be replaced once the Platform goes to ballot
    - Question: Which tests need to be passed for the interim cert? Need the subset that gives assurance that platform TCK will pass when run

**Discussion** on the three options took place and it was decided that Jakarta Enterprise Web Services could do Option 3 if desired, all other individual specifications with a dependency on the Platform spec are required to do Option 1.

**Item below was not discussed. It will be included on the agenda for the call scheduled for October 28th**

- Short description missing on <https://jakarta.ee/specifications/>
  - What needs to be done to ensure a short (60 char) description is available and presented for each specification project?
  - This is also needed for jakarta.ee Chinese translation