Minutes of the May 21, 2024 Jakarta EE Steering Committee Meeting

Please refer to your meeting invitation for the zoom password.

Fujitsu: Kenji Kazumura
IBM: Emily Jiang
Oracle: Will Lyons, Ed Bratt
Payara: Ilias Efstathiou
Tomitribe: Cesar Hernandez
Enterprise Member representative (Primeton): not present
Enterprise Member Representative (Microsoft): Reza Rahman, Ed Burns (guest)
Participant member representative (LJC): Marcin Kruglik (late)

We have quorum.

Arjan Tijms attended as well

Eclipse: Paul Buck, Ivar Grimstad

Review of Minutes from Prior Meetings

The [Draft Minutes of the May 7, 2024 Jakarta EE Steering Committee Meeting](#) will be reviewed next time.

Jakarta EE 11 Update

- **T**he following reflects the release plan of record
  - [Jakarta EE 11 Release Plan](#)
  - The release plan has been updated (thank you)
- Tracking [spreadsheet](#)of specifications progressing through the [JESP](#) version [lifecycle](#).
  - Hoping Ed/Arjan/Ivar can walk us through this
- Azure Boards board we are using for the work. The public access URL is https://dev.azure.com/jakarta-ee-azdo/jakarta-ee-azdo If you want more access, send Ed Burns an email with the email address to which he will send an invitation.
- Notes from Jakarta EE Platform Project Call
  - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DF0T2hbJqDNsY0v_IYFKCz-ZgHPbnMUIu6mhmt5LCJU/edit
- May 21 update
  - The WebSocket, Servlet, Pages spec issues have been "unstuck"
  - Mentoring assignments - please complete reviews
  - Jakarta Data
    - Considering/likely to use Hibernate as a compatible implementation within GlassFish (Hibernate is passing many of the tests)

- - - GlassFish community has raised a concern with the above
      - Open issue to be worked out w/in GlassFish community
    - Need to initiate testing of the refactored Platform TCK with GlassFish
    - Based on delays of some component spec ballots, and potential continuation of the delay pattern, may need to change the "June/July" target to "July/August" (this is not a statement of delay, just acknowledging the possibility).
  - From Shabnam: The Marketing committee requires a minimum of 6 weeks to be able to prepare properly for the launch of release-related marketing activities.
    - Request: Can we get a confirmation for the release date of 16 July (the current expected release date) by the end of the month?
    - Ed and Arjan will confirm/deny this date by May 31st

Jakarta EE Developer Survey

- Survey was made available on **Mar. 19:**
  - https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7JDP8BP
  - Link to survey collector report , total of 767 as of 3 Apr 9, 823 as of Apr 15, 1068 as of May 1, **1266 as of 21 May.**
- Social Kit is available here. Please help promote!
- Survey **will close May 31**
- Hoping to generate more survey responses than last year – Ideally, we would like to exceed 2000 respondents this year.
- For overall schedule, see this Sheet.
- Will requested promotion via the Java handle
- Comment: The Marketing Committee should consider promotion via GlassFish handle

Jakarta EE 11 Messaging

- Jakarta EE 11 messaging document link
  - Marketing team accepts review feedback and owns the content of this messaging document. Members of this committee are encouraged to review and comment.
    - Ivar shared his presentation deck for DevNexus - provided below for reference
      - https://speakerdeck.com/ivargrimstad/prepare-for-jakarta-ee-11-performance-and-developer-productivity
  - Marketing Committee members updated the messaging document during a working session on 9 May.
  - Shabnam is finalizing the copy for the Jakarta EE 11 release page with help from the Marketing committee.
- Note from Reza on Jakarta EE 11 Canonical Deck (from last time):
  - I am now considering the deck done for now: https://1drv.ms/p/s!AlSoTwbDM7bzgpcBqSlyC6FtH4F58g?e=eUFIP7. The next step is to add speaker notes

○ Ed and Arjan will review this deck (Ed presenting next week)

Cloud Native Java ~~Jakarta EE~~ Technical Survey

- Email from Reza on May 3 to MicroProfile community (thanks Reza):
  As we discussed in the past, it is now time to collaborate with the Jakarta EE
  working group on the newly minted Cloud Native Java Technical survey. Here is
  the current draft:
  https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://docs.google.com/document/d/1l3Yscex_5cAN
  g4Uyjj4dFGLXWPBoPfksWkPV_5IOUZU/edit?usp=sharing__;!!ACWV5N9M2RV
  99hQ!NXwdP5_VfN0pdCSQvBkHWs2TK5u6TCvPU6HijNH6lk3ckVf4Smty-Qd1_
  6YxEE0x3WBLmJE1InoxjsJKneYjSp-F$.

  Please take a look and either comment directly on the document or here.
  Emily and I will ensure your input gets due consideration. Please do
  this in the next two weeks.
- Feedback from the Microprofile community has been added and is being incorporated to
  the survey questions.
  - We assume the Jakarta EE Marketing Committee owns the survey and the
    content, and will decide which content to include/not include
- Questions are also shared with the Jakarta EE Platform project team to provide
  feedback by next week.

Objectives

- Q1 report reviewed last time:
  https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1_zh1Z-XWcsVCQ2PajzfhL4eEqdrbcTfAeglw3b
  6Iv2s/edit#slide=id.g1c9824dfc74_0_757
- Quick review of Q2 (and later) quarterly objectives.
  - 2024 quarterly planning
- Provide Integrations as Required with MicroProfile (Reza/Microsoft)
  - Reza has made several updates (thank you) - wanted to recognize that
  - Ed suggested that Emily (or some other representative of MicroProfile
    community) send out an email inviting Jakarta EE community to join MicroProfile
    AI discussions. Emily will follow up.

Jakarta EE – Future Vision Initiative [was: Beyond Jakarta EE 11]

Neil Patterson provided an update on this initiative on March 26 (see below).

The working document has been updated/replaced with a new one that better
organizes the material, defines the steps and status of each, and provides some

guidance on the responsibilities for the various ideas that were generated. From the [document](#), the following outlines these steps and progress.

1. [Complete] Brainstorm about directions we should take Jakarta EE after release 11 is out. This will involve working sessions with the Steering Committee, Spec Committee, Marketing Committee and member organizations.
2. [Complete] Generate a working document that will influence the next generation of specs, messaging, content, and more.
3. [In Progress] Integrate top ideas into the technical survey to gather feedback.
4. [In Progress] Deliver specification and working group recommendations to relevant committees.
5. [In Progress] Form an [interest group](#) (Name TBD) to prioritize and explore the topics in greater detail, especially those beyond the typical Jakarta EE scope. Initial participation interest: Microsoft, Payara, IBM, Oracle. Tomitribe

Neil is not available - will have an update for next time.

Arjan noted that there was discussion of new ideas for Jakarta EE Next that are captured in the Platform team meetings:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DF0T2hbJqDNsY0v_IYFKCz-ZgHPbnMUIu6mhmt5LCJU/edit

Eclipse Foundation Open Community Experience ([OCX](#)) - heads up
- A mail sent from Sharon Corbett at the Eclipse Foundation offering to book a room for an in-person Steering Committee meeting
  - There was consensus to accept this offer, and for the Steering Committee to define a "plan" for using the room between now and October
  - Will Lyons will reply to Sharon
- The use of the term "Code" is replaced with "Community"
- Lots of work behind the scenes, organization. Open Community Java and umbrella context is still in the process of being developed. Recommend you hold the date and sponsorship requests are welcomed.
- Save-the-date is live via this [link](#). (Oct 22 - 24)
- The name of the Java event is Open Community for Java
- CFP is open, will close May 31
- Sponsor prospectus can be found via the above link or [here](#).