

Ohio Valley Internet2 Consortium Member Meeting
May 27, 2015
9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Agenda

1. Approve minutes from 10/18/14 meeting
 - a. APPROVED
2. Update on Budget Discussions
 - a. Budget Discussion
 - i. Looking at a deficit heading into FY16 & FY17
 - ii. Finance committee fixed this by:
 1. Readjusting funds
 - a. Denis Walsh: CTO added 2nd 100G connection (now in Cleveland & Cincinnati) with the exception of I2 there are now 10G available to members.
 - i. The cost structure was re-evaluated (new tier- see handout) & this fixed issues – bottlenecks because of accessibility & cost per mbps dropped significantly
 - b. Paul Schopis: 10G is automatic, can be raised but schools need to ask
 - c. Chris Bernard: Encourage peers to join I2 as SEGP/Full Member
3. Approve Budget Projection
 - a. APPROVED
4. How to Further Engage with Research & Further Leveraging of Internet2
 - a. PerfSonar
 - i. Appreciated from University perspective (all schools still online); working through graphing issues
 - ii. PerfSonar is trying to be commercialized
 - b. Branding I2
 - i. Make services branded with “Optimized by I2”
 - ii. Developing capabilities inventory: What available via I2 (make reference page)
 - iii. All K12 in Ohio has bought into I2
 - iv. How to encourage research & faculty integration & benefits
 1. Should we join research conferences?
 2. Continue to do OARnet/OSC days like the event in January with University of Cincinnati
 3. Send information to directors, they can distribute to faculty & put I2 in HR packets
 4. Emphasize research clusters, tech capabilities that come with I2

5. New Business:
 - a. I2 Tech Exchange in Cleveland, OH in October
 - i. Proposals are now being accepted
 - b. Changing face for I2: connectivity will be ubiquitous
 - i. Users of I2 on campus should be researchers
 - ii. Value is blatant; bridges gap between researchers & CIOs
 1. It is understood that this gap needs to be bridged
6. Adjourn – Chris Bernard