**Critical Projects within the OFA: Running Status for Program Management purposes as of 4/15/19**

Updates are made for each week’s report in ***bold italics*** for that report only, *except* blockers etc. which carry this until resolved

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| **Pri** | **Description** | **Lead/ Support** | **Expected Close** | **Status/Recent History/ARs** | **Comment/ Dependencies/ Blockers/ Sources of Delay** |
| 1 | Interop/logo programs, including* NMC Distro Testing
* Activities at UNH-IOL
* Development of a plan to integrate/reconcile
 | Paul/Tatyana/Doug/Jesse/Jim | TBD | * Great sessions at WS
* Debrief 4/1
* ***Small team formed to define next steps toward creating a revamped interop program for Board approval***
 | * ***NMC contract likely to be renegotiated at some point***
* ***UNH-IOL contract has been cancelled. Won’t reengage until our overall interop/ logo plan has been developed***
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| 1 | OFA and ONUG | Jim/LT | TBD | * ***AR: Paul(?) Develop a webinar for newbies to high-performance networking we hope of particular interest to ONUG***
 | * If it happens this’ll be an unusual Alliance – providing possible access to leading IT managers
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| 1 | Repository project | Mike/LT, Ken | TBD | * ***AR: Michael to create and populate directories on our website***
* ***AR: Michael to create and maintain paper repositories***
 | * Good start based on Paul’s spreadsheet
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|  | OFA and the open community | LT | TBD | * Exploring ways to work with the open community, broadly defined
 | * Interesting comments from T. Talpey of MSFT might be the source of ideas
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| 1 | OFA and the Linux Foundation (LF) | Jim/ LT/ Christoph | TBD | * Divya’s marketing summary covering LF, OSS and others
* Divya received funding from Board
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| 1 | Bylaws update | Paul/Jim/volunteer team | Need new date | * Paul was able to ID owners for each section of the Bylaws
* First materials approved by XWG; approved process
* First 3 Articles received Board approval
* ***Two more Articles reviewed by XWG, ready for Board***
 | ***This process is WORKING*** |
| 1 | SNIA/SSSI strategic relationship | Jim/team | Ongoing | * ***AR: Paul review a revised barter agreement***
* ***Work underway on PM track at FMS***
* ***Work underway on 2020 PM Summit***
 | ***Interest has been renewed*** |
| 1 | OFA and DMTF | Jim, Paul/LT | TBD | * After a long delay DMTF sent a draft Work Register for required OFA content; in progress
* Talks have resumed; will be invited to OFIWG
* ***AR: Paul set-up a special OFIWG meeting to hear from DMTF, communicate widely***
 | * One of the leading orgs of its type – could be a valuable Alliance
* ***Blocker: need to find someone willing to drive this***
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|  | ***INACTIVE*** |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | OFA and Gen-Z | Paul/Jim | TBD | * “MoU” stalled
 | * This could be huge, but work to be done
* Has this stalled hopelessly?
* ***There’s a CHANCE Michael may be interested***
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| 3 | Recruiting | Jim/LT | TBD | * Now hoped to be a 2019 project
 | Agreed this can’t begin till Bylaws are updated |
| 3 | Org Env Assess | Paul/Jim esp. and LT | Need new date | * Need to develop a plan as to how to manage this
 | Lots of history here and a need to determine whether we can derive value or even develop further |
| 3 | Strategic Alliance w/the IBTA | Jim/ LT | TBD |  | Unlikely to amount to anything |