Open Science Grid Council Meeting
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Chair

All Hands Meeting

A Big Thank You on behalf of the whole Consortium as well as the Council to Amber and her program team for this years AHM!

We know it is lots of work but the payback is clear – an energetic and active meeting and many excellent presentations, discussions, science coverage and questions/answers, the HTC Challenge, and OSG in 2017 Panel
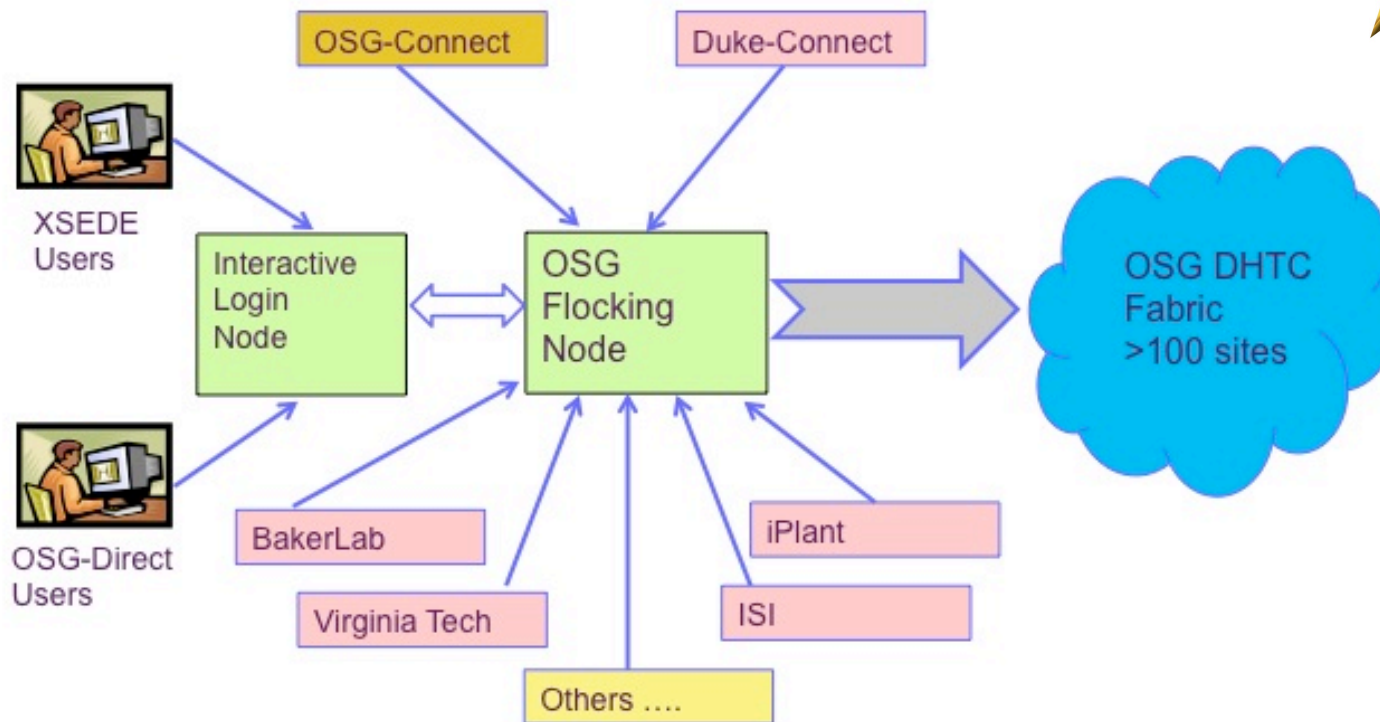
Progress in the Project

Appreciation for the Project for accomplishments over the past year – many reported by members of the Executive Team and Area Coordinators during the AHM; including:

- Strengthening of the organization at the Area Coordinator level.
- Active and increasing use of the infrastructure during the LHC shutdown.
- Maintaining smooth production at transition of CA infrastructure. And very robust operations services all round.
- Robust and timely s/w releases to address security issues, infrastructure changes and new s/w components.
- Work towards improved usability in security, jobs and data areas of OSG.
- Increase of non-physics and opportunistic use of resources.
- Planning and thinking towards LHC turn-on.
- Significant progress on engaging Campuses;
- Quality of discussion and interactions at the AHM

Thanks to Chander for the Slide of the Meeting!

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Position Statement to Put Forward Candidacy for 2nd term as Council Chair

From By-laws

http://osg-docdb.opensciencegrid.org/cgi-bin/RetrieveFile?docid=70&extension=pdf

The **Council Chair** is self-selected by the Council to lead the council. The term for the Chair is two years. A Council Chair can serve no more than two, full, consecutive-terms.

From Jan 2012: "Bylaws state perform via a non-meeting vote (email) but past few chairs selected during face-to-face meeting."

Discuss Process…

What Have I done.

- Talked to every Council member early on and brought concerns to Council table.
- Consolidated the Council representation - increased the multi-disciplinary membership.
- Added more time for Council Members to present, give their requirements, contributions, vision
- Maintained good collaboration/communication with ET (still an ex-officio member of the ET)
- Coordinated 3 council sub-committees and their reports. Follow up initial engagement meeting with industry.
- Included reports from non-Council member user communities (Belle-2, Glue-X, ALICE) and new partners e.g. today
- Helped obtain science input for the annual reports
- Maintained and follow up on action item requests generated at Council meetings
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What Have I Not done.

- Completed the strategic plan
- Brought a reorganization of the OSG structure to the table (though two of the sub-committees charters could well have led to this)
- Planned for transition
- Expanded the reach

What Would I do if given another 2 years

- Ask other Council Members to help coordinate and run next 3 Council meetings. (volunteers?)

- Work with ET on proposed Focus and User Outreach activities.

- Work with ET on resource contribution needs (especially as LHC usage doubles)

- Poll and encourage people to consider standing for Council Chair.

- Spend energy understanding future Satellites that will be beneficial to the OSG Consortium.

- Work with Project Office on increasing the effectiveness of identifying and satisfying the needs from the communities

Questions..

Review Open Action Items –
Can save discussion til later.

118. List Campus users each quarter. Report to Council tomorrow.

Project Name	PI	Institution	Field of Science	Wall Hours
atlas-org-uchicago	Robert Gardner	University of Chicago	High Energy Physics	943
AtlasConnect	Robert Gardner	University of Chicago	High Energy Physics	5
ConnectTrain	Robert Gardner	University of Chicago	HTC Training	1,129
DBConcepts	Richard Jean So	University of Chicago	Computer Science	25
KnowledgeLab	James Evans	University of Chicago	Other	214
KnowledgeSys	Michael J. Culbertson	University of Illinois; Urbana-Champaign	Educational Psychology	218,451
OSG-Staff	Chander Sehgal	Fermilab	Computer Science	117,362
RADICAL	Shantenu Jha	Rutgers University	Computer Science	11
SouthPoleTelescope	John Carlstrom	University of Chicago	Astrophysics	7,507
Swift	Michael Wilde	University of Chicago	Computer Science	18
Total				345,667

117. List new sites and new VOs each quarter.

resource_name	fqdn
perfSONAR_UF_latency	perfsonar1.ihepa.ufl.edu
perfSONAR_UF_bandwidth	perfsonar2.ihepa.ufl.edu
CHTC & BATLAB OSG Mirror	mirror.batlab.org
CIT_CMS PerfSonar Latency	perfsonar2.ultralight.org
CIT_CMS PerfSonar Bandwidth	perfsonar.ultralight.org
UTA_SWT2_perfSONAR_bandwidth	psuta02.atlas-swt2.org
UTA_SWT2_perfSONAR_latency2014-01-06	psuta01.atlas-swt2.org
NUMEP_SE	numep-grid6.research.northwestern.edu
T3_US_UVA	osg-hep.phys.virginia.edu
T3_US_UVA	osg-hep.phys.virginia.edu
VJNEAL_CE	vjneal.grid.iu.edu
Belle_CE_2	gridgk01.hep.pnnl.gov
NEU T3 cluster	lhc-t3_alv.neu.edu
perfSONAR_LU_bandwidth	lutps.lunet.edu
perfSonar_LU_latency	lutps1.lunet.edu

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115. Understand who is contributing cycles and why in order to understand who are potential new contributors.

Chander says he can work with me on this in the next quarter.

114. Quantify and report on opportunistic usage by site and owner.

Reports exist. Will provide links from the Council web site in the future.

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