

# PWG WIMS CIM Alignment Face-to-Face Meeting Minutes Montreal – September 27, 2007

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## General

- Meeting was convened at approximately 14:40 EDT on 27 September, immediately after the PWG Plenary
- The Agenda for the Meeting was discussed
- It was noted that there were no objections to the Revised Charter. The revised charter now goes to the steering committee for formal approval.
- Bill gave an update of the Current Projects:
  - Imaging State and Counter MIB
    - Draft is posted
    - Prototype at Samsung
    - Schedule: Targeted to complete by Dec. 07
  - The Counter Spec (PWG Standardized Imaging System Counters)
    - Approved in April as PWG Candidate Standard 5106.1-2007
    - Basis for Counter Schema and Imaging State and Counter MIB
  - Update of DMTF/CIM Printing MOFs
    - Continuing Phase 2 and 3
    - Schedule: Dec 2007 through April 2008
    - Next activity: Phase 4 CIM Classes for Imaging Services

## Counter Schema

- After a Break, Pete gave a presentation on the updated Counter Schema.
  - Counter Schema (Counter.xsd) available at MFD wiki, along with other schema
    - <http://pwg-wiki.wikispaces.com/MFD>

- Counters are available at a fine to coarse granularity.
- Counters are backward compatible to types and patterns.

## Imaging System State and Counter MIB

- Ira went over the history and contents of the Imaging System State and Counter MIB Spec (Draft)
- Shah indicated that Samsung has been prototyping the Imaging System State and Counter MIB
  - Shah indicated he expected prototyping to be completed by December, at which time the results would be posted.
  - Questions for Shah, to be addressed:
    - Were there issues with implementation?
    - Was there any data manipulation (the gateway should not have to manipulate)?
    - Can the same data be made available through a different service (WS, for example) without duplication?

## CIM Printing Update

- Rick went over CIM update activities. Current state is posted on WIKI site
  - <http://pwg-wiki.wikispaces.com/WIMS-CIM>
  - Acceptance of Change Requests (CRs) is much better and the process seems to be going much faster

## Understanding Web Services: Why should PWG care?

- Rick went over Understanding Web Services: Why should PWG care?
  - [ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/general/presentations/WebServicesWhyDoICare\\_for\\_PWG\\_01.ppt](ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/general/presentations/WebServicesWhyDoICare_for_PWG_01.ppt)
  - Deals with SNMP (monitoring) v. WS (management)

## Action Items

- Shah to have System State and Counter MIB prototyping report by December F2F
- Rick and Ira to continue with CIM CR submissions
- Effort on CIM Best Practices document to proceed
- Next WIMS/CIM conference call at 12 Noon ET on October 11.