

# ***Collaboration Community of Practice***

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***Pre-Conference Session***

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# CCoP - *Premise*

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- We need to raise the bar on effective collaboration -
  - If the collaboration process isn't open, fair, vendor-neutral and timely it isn't effective
  - Soliciting community-sourced knowledge and expertise – will allow us to arrive at more effective methods, tools, and practitioners

# CCoP – *Draft Objectives*

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- Foster a community that allows individuals and organizations passionate about collaboration to:
  - share their vision, knowledge and expertise in: standards, best practices, collaboration tools, techniques and principles
  - learn from the knowledge and experience of others
  - facilitate the adoption or creation of best of breed standards and best practices in collaboration
  - facilitate market adoption activities to promote the use of collaboration standards and best practices.

# CCoP – *Environment*

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- Community will utilize:
  - CCoP Wiki as vehicle to provide content for and connection to members:
    - ▮ <https://wiki.opengroup.org/ccop-wiki>
  - Periodic WebEx events featuring collaboration SMEs
  - Face-to-Face meetings at The Open Group conferences
  - Task Groups for brokering and further defining ideas for standards and best practices
  - The backing of The Open Group - provides IT infrastructure and opportunity to move Task Groups to new forums of managed consortia with dedicated resources.

# CCoP – *Initial Areas of Interest*

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- Initial CCoP Areas of Interest:
  - Information Base on Existing Collaboration Standards & Best Practices
  - Guidelines for Presentations and Briefing Sessions
  - Best Practices in Meeting Management: F-2-F Meetings, Teleconferences, Web-Conferencing
  - Guidelines for Wiki Use
  - Guidelines in Social Networking (Twitter, LinkedIn, etc.)
  - Framework and Process for Facilitation Techniques
  - Role Identification in the Collaboration Process
  - Identification of Renowned Collaboration Experts

# CCoP – *Thus Far*

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- ❑ San Diego Conference (Feb/09) – presented CCoP concept (invitation only round table)
- ❑ Positive feedback at round table - prompted moving forward with the Community
- ❑ London Conference (Apr/09) - working lunch to determine initial interest areas
- ❑ Toronto Conference (Jul/09) - working lunch to refine draft Objectives, prioritize initial interest areas

# CCoP – *Endorsement*

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*“In the long history of humankind (and animal kind, too) **those who learned to collaborate and improvise most effectively have prevailed.**”*

*– Charles Darwin*

# CCoP – Thank You!

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*To learn more about the  
Collaboration Community of Practice,  
please join us for a working lunch on  
Wednesday at 12:30 in Salon V*

*To be placed on the Community Mailing List  
contact **s.long@opengroup.org***

*Everyone is Welcome!*