

API Subcommittee Meeting Notes, 12Jun20

12 June 2020 / 9:00 AM PDT / Zoom meeting

Attendees

Jane Shen, Jiafeng Zhu, Jeff Brower, Neal Oliver, Tim Epkes, Tina Tsou

Meeting Notes - Zhu, Brower

Agenda

- Whitepaper review (continued)
- API portal integration into akraino.org

Meeting Notes

Update the white paper status, TSC will vote in one/two weeks

- added more info to graphs
- the graph of models will be modified to be mutually exclusive
- the edge enabler focus on 5G MEC (optional), but the application enabler layer is universal, and it can serve different business cases. Suggested to put a diagram in the scope of the white paper to clarify it.
- add an Acronyms list
- add references
- More people involved in the author and contributors with links to their linked web page. If there is no style guide, we can adopt research paper style to show emails. Will send our email for opinions

API portal

- will be hosted under apiportal.akraino.org

Additional Notes

Whitepaper discussion

Jane -how to show attribution for authors, contributors, and acknowledgements. Options include company, e-mail, LinkedIn profile, and combinations

Jane - scope of whitepaper is 5G edge, we need to make it clear we are not describing a platform for everything

Jane - in weekly interactions with other Akraino projects, gets complaints that our WP does not address end user apps

Jeff - in scope and assumptions section, add a simple, non-detailed "landscape" diagram that shows end user applications, enablers, telco network, fixed vs. mobile access etc and then highlight what we cover

Jane - TSC review postponed 1 week

Neal - in scope & assumptions, can we align our scope with ETSI MEC, GSMA, 3GPP

General discussion about developers vs. an "edge box" described by the WP

API Portal

Jane - probably we will use apiportal.akraino.org as a subdomain entry point to a private server that hosts the portal mindmap and other HTML and JS docs. api.akraino.org will continue to point to MobileEdgeX server for end user application developer APIs

Jane - is in discussion with Brett Preston and LF Edge IT support personnel about setting up the subdomain