Eclipse IDE WG - Oct 14, 2025 Minutes

Attendees

Steering Committee Members:

Number of Seats 11 / Quorum is 50% of Committee / Passing a resolution is > 50% of quorum present

- Manoj Palat / Andrew Tram / Deepika Udayagiri (IBM)
- Sebastian Ratz / Yannic Soethoff (SAP) Pawel Wolanski
- Manuel Bork / Andreas Koch (Yatta)
- Mark Goodchild / William Riley (Renesas)
- Abdul Rahiman Imran / Latha Patil / Harald Mackamul (Bosch)
- Johannes Matheis / Max Kramer (Vector)
- Heiko Klare (Planning Council Chair)
- Titouan Vervack / Mark Christiaens (Sigasi)
- Hartwig Brandl (SSI Schaefer)
- Martin Lippert (Broadcom (VMware) Supporter Representative Elected)
- Olivier Prouvost (Committer Representative Elected)

Supporter Members:

• Remi Schnekenburger (EclipseSource)

Invited Guest:

- John Dallaway (Guest of Renesas)
- Tanja Obradovic (Eclipse Foundation)

Other Attendees:

- Thomas Froment (Eclipse Foundation)
- Sharon Corbett (Eclipse Foundation)
- Ed Merks (Eclipse Foundation, Sim Rel Engineer)
- Hannes Wellmann (Guest, Eclipse IDE community Mentor)
- Alois Zoitl (Guest)

Approve Minutes of previous Meetings

To be done at the next meeting

Discussions

- Stuttgart Event Schedule Updates
 - New Schedule, Costing Committee to meet on Wednesday Afternoon and Steering Committee to meet on Thursday
 - New corporate membership from Cobalt and Avenues for expanding corporate membership to be taken up
 - Thomas agreed to send a final confirmation of the schedule.
- IDE Program Plan Simplification
 - o simplified version with two strategic goals and nine program objectives.
 - The plan focuses on value, sustainability, risk management, and industry support.
- Program Plans and Metrics Review
 - Release engineering now encompasses more than just Simrel, including Orbit and ChessJ.
 - Thomas to share a new dashboard in the next meeting.
- OCX Conference details primarily the CFP dates discussed.
- Copilot Funding
 - The team debated whether to fund GitHub Copilot pro accounts for committers will have to reach a consensus.
- Java ACP Implementation Discussion
 - Development of a Java implementation for the Agent Communication Protocol (ACP),
 which would serve as an open-source library for Al agents.
 - Logistics of who hosts this to be decided if need be Al working group or interested individuals?

Actions taken

- Thomas to send final confirmation of the face-to-face meeting schedule as soon as possible
- o Thomas to update the program plan based on the feedback received during the meeting.
- Thomas to follow up with Heiko and the Planning Council regarding GitHub Copilot funding for committers.
- Thomas to invite potential guests to the face-to-face meeting, possibly only for Thursday
- Mark to fix the confusion in the meeting minutes.
- Manoj to review the Al-generated minutes after Thomas shares them. done
- Thomas to remove the Community Health Dashboard from the program plan and create a separate metrics dashboard to share at the next face-to-face meeting.
- Thomas to update the website to make it clearer that people will receive a receipt or invoice for sponsorships.