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WELCOME

Welcome 2011 SNIA Winter Symposium Attendees!

On behalf of the SNIA Board of Directors, Technical Council and our Committee, Work Group and Forum/Initiative Leaders as well as attending SNIA Staff, it is our pleasure to welcome you to our 2011 Winter Symposium in San Jose, California.

We have created an agenda that allows our members to continue the tradition of SNIA Symposia by bringing groups together in a face-to-face setting so they may work on projects that help advance the core strategic goals of the SNIA - from standards development to educational programs to marketing initiatives.

During this Symposium, we are delighted to welcome keynote speaker Larry Freeman, Senior Data Storage Technologist, NetApp, Inc. on Tuesday, January 25 from 8:15 AM - 9:20 AM. Larry is the author of "Evolution of the Storage Brain: A History of Transformative Events, with a Glimpse into the Future of Data Storage," and will be presenting "Evolution of the Storage Brain: Using History to Predict the Future" where he will discuss the many facets of evolution within the data storage industry, including his own evolution from the perspective of a field engineer, product designer, sales engineer, product manager and finally, a historian and technologist.

We are offering three Birds-of-a-Feather (BOF) sessions taking place in the evenings which will cover the following topics: "File Systems," "SNIA Technology Center – The Path to Green," and finally, "Archive Preservation in the Cloud." In addition, the SNIA Cloud Storage Initiative and Green Storage Initiative are giving an update on Wednesday morning about the progress they have made last year, as well as their plans for the upcoming year.

Our Winter Symposium provides us the opportunity to recognize and applaud our members' efforts whose contributions are essential and invaluable. So, be sure to attend our reception in the Courtyard Atrium on Tuesday evening from 5:30 to 7:00. We will be announcing and toasting our 2010 SNIA member recognition program honorees. This will include our annual individual as well as several group awards.

For new or prospective members, we offer a session called "Introducing the SNIA and the Symposium Experience: A Brief Orientation and Q&A" which will occur on Monday from 5:00 – 6:00 PM. This informal session will introduce newcomers to the association as well provide some basics on navigating the Symposium to get the most out of your time in San Jose.

We look forward to another productive event and encourage you to network, get involved and become an active participant in our vibrant association. We also express our gratitude for your attendance and contributions to the Symposium, as well as our appreciation of your employers' support of the time and expense to travel to and attend. The SNIA recognizes that its programs, industry relevance, and momentum are sustained through the direct participation of folks like you.

Thank you and enjoy the week!

Wayne M. Adams
Chairman, SNIA

Leo Leger
Executive Director, SNIA

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SNIA 2011 WINTER SYMPOSIUM

GENERAL INFORMATION

Welcome to the SNIA 2011 Winter Symposium! This guide is designed to assist you in maximizing the benefit of your participation in the Symposium, whether you will be physically attending, or virtually attending by calling into the meetings during the week.

The SNIA Symposium's primary function is to bring together SNIA's Forums, Initiatives, Committees, and Technical Work Groups in face to face meetings to collaborate on the various projects that help advance the mission of the association.

Below are some key terms you are likely to encounter during an SNIA Symposium:

- **Forum** – A SNIA Forum is a group of SNIA Members that focus on technology specific marketing and education activities.
- **Initiative** – A SNIA Initiative is a group of SNIA Members that furthers the SNIA's purpose to develop specifications, infrastructure, and proposed standards via SNIA's normal standards development process. The primary distinction between a Forum and an Initiative is that an Initiative is charted to do technical work via a SNIA Technical Work Group whereas a Forum is not.
- **Committee** – A SNIA Committee is a group of SNIA Members that focus on specific marketing and education activities that do not fall under a specific Forum.
- **Technical Work Group** – A SNIA Technical Work Group (TWG) is a group of SNIA Members that carry out original technical work of the organization. There are multiple Technical Work Groups working on a variety of technical topics.

Intellectual Property Notice

If you plan to attend any Technical Work Group and/or SMI-S Technical Steering Group (TSG) meeting:
"You are hereby informed that, under the SNIA IP Policy, your presence at a Technical Work Group meeting may obligate you and/or your company/organization with respect to any of the work items of the SNIA Technical Work Group whose meeting you attend." Attending an SMI-S Technical Steering Group (TSG) meeting is to be considered as attending a meeting of all the Technical Work Groups involved in SMI-S technical development concurrently.

TWG Meeting Participation Guidelines

Most of our Technical Work Groups (TWGs) convene at our Symposium to work on detailed technical specifications. These meetings are the continuation of an ongoing schedule established to achieve critical objectives and deadlines. Therefore, the agendas of TWG meetings are highly focused, and time management during these sessions is of great importance. SNIA Members are welcome to attend TWG meetings, but please recognize and consider that the TWG Chair and participants may not have the time to provide full updates on the group's current work due to the intensity of the activity and time and agenda constraints. During breaks or after the meeting, feel free to ask the TWG Chair about the best way for you to get updated on or possibly participate in the TWG.

If your company is not a SNIA Member, or your company is a SNIA Member but has not joined the TWG whose meeting you are attending, your participation in the TWG meeting is restricted to that of an "observer." In addition to the time and focus factors mentioned above, this restriction is primarily due to SNIA policies around Intellectual Property. For questions on TWG policies and procedures, please contact Arnold Jones at 407-574-7273, arnold.jones@snia.org.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Internet Access

1.   Connect to wireless network named "Sainte Claire"
2.   Open your web browser
3.   Follow the on-screen instructions, and enter "hotel1" for username and "hotel1" for password

Help Desk

The Registration desk at the Symposium also serves as a help desk. During the Symposium if you have any questions please stop by the Registration desk. SNIA Staff Members will also be available to assist at any time throughout the Symposium. Look for their badges and/or SNIA name plates.
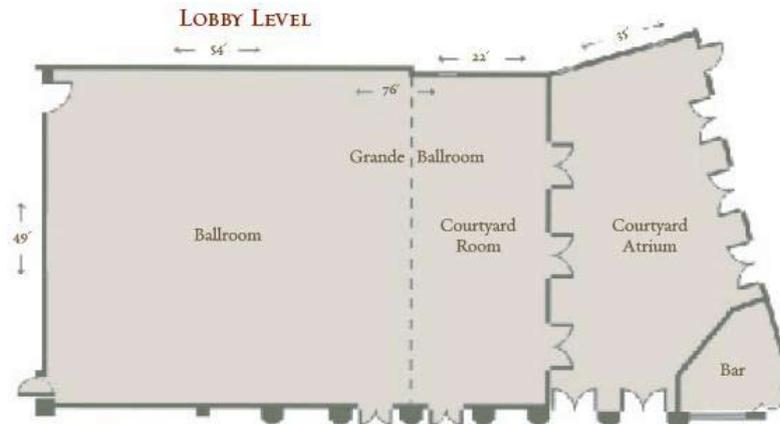
Parking

Parking for individual day attendees will receive a discounted daily flat rate of $15 per car per day.

Abbreviations Decoder

BOF	Birds-of-a-Feather
CDP	Continuous Data Protection
CSI	Cloud Storage Initiative
CTP	Compliance Test Program
DDF	Disk Data Format
DPCO	Data Protection and Capacity Optimization Committee
DRM	Disk Resource Management
ESF	Ethernet Storage Forum
EdComm	SNIA Education Committee
FCAS	Fixed Content Aware Storage
GSI	Green Storage Initiative
ILM	Information Lifecycle Management
IP	Intellectual Property
LTACSI	Long Term Archive and Compliant Storage Initiative
LTR	Long Term Retention
SAC	Strategic Alliances Committee
SIG	Special Interest Group
SMI	Storage Management Initiative
SMI-S	Storage Management Initiative Specification
SSIF	Storage Security Industry Forum
SSSI	Solid State Storage Initiative
TC	Technical Council
TSG	Technical Steering Group
TWG	Technical Work Group
XAM	eXtensible Access Method

GENERAL INFORMATION

SAINTE CLAIRE HOTEL FLOOR PLAN

CONFERENCE WING (SECOND FLOOR)

St. Claire Room — 37' × 50'

Foyer | Public Restrooms | Public Restrooms | Sales & Catering Office | Boardroom — 22' × 12'

Santa Vesta Room — 50' × 15' | Saratoga Room — 40' × 20' | Santa Cruz Room — 40' × 20'

LOBBY LEVEL

Ballroom — 54' × 49' | Grande Ballroom | Courtyard Room — 22' | Courtyard Atrium — 35' | Bar

76'

GENERAL INFORMATION

SNIA ONSITE STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

For an organization chart of SNIA Staff (including Contract Consultants) please visit our Website.

Onsite Staff Person	Cell Phone	Areas of Responsibility
Serena Buckholz	415-760-6454	Online Programs and Website Manager
Esther Chung	415-244-3035	Business Services Coodinator
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Marilyn Fausset	207-467-1412	Technical Writer
Marty Foltyn	619-992-2195	Business Development Representative
Kristin Hauser	415-202-4045	Marketing Programs and Design Manager
Arnold Jones	407-435-1067	Technical Council Managing Director
Leo Leger	508-254-4932	Executive Director
John Malia	719-963-0889	Technology & Systems Support Engineer
Tom Mancuso	719-694-1384	Senior Program Manager, SMI
Michael Meleedy	508-740-0012	Business Services Director
Lisa Mercurio	781-720-8000	Membership Services Manager
James Rigger	719-659-7861	Conformance Testing Programs Manager
Erin Weiner	719-694-1382	Project and Operations Coordinator

UPCOMING SNIA STORAGE EVENTS

SNW 2011
www.snwusa.com
April 4 - 7, 2011
Santa Clara, CA

2011 Storage Developer Conference
www.storage-developer.org
September 19 - 22, 2011
Santa Clara, CA

UPCOMING SNIA TECHNICAL SYMPOSIA

SNIA March Technical Symposium, March 14-17, 2011, San Jose, CA
SNIA May Technical Symposium, May 16-19, 2011, Boulder, CO
SNIA July Technical Symposium, July 18-21, 2011, San Jose, CA

Please visit http://www.snia.org/about/calendar for the complete SNIA Events Calendar.

AGENDA

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 2011

	Session	Location
7:45 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast	Courtyard Atrium
7:45 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Standards Committee	Boardroom
9:30 AM - 3:00 PM	"Green Storage TWG sub-group Meetings: Design Metrics & Spec Metrics"	Santa Vesta
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Education Committee	Saratoga
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch on your own	
12:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Solid State Storage (SSS) TWG	Saratoga
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Cloud Storage TWG	Sainte Claire
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	SMI-S Technical Track (managed by SMI TSG)	Courtyard Room
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	SNIA Technical Tutorial: TBD	Ballroom
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	SNW Tutorial: "Leveraging Social Media to Your Advantage"	Ballroom
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
3:30 - 4:30	SNIA Staff Management Team Meeting (private)	Boardroom
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Green Storage TWG sub-group Meeting: Power Supply	Santa Vesta
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	SNIA Website Editors Workshop - Learn about the new Drupal public frontend and how it will affect you.	Boardroom
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	"Introducing the SNIA and the Symposium Experience: A Brief Orientation and Q&A"	Ballroom
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	BoF: File Systems	Ballroom
6:30 - 8:00 PM	SNIA Staff Session - Part 1 (private)	Santa Cruz

AGENDA

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 2011

	Session	Location
7:45 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast	Ballroom
7:45 AM - 3:00 PM 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer
8:15 AM - 9:20 AM	Welcome and Opening Comments by Wayne Adams, SNIA Chairman KEYNOTE: Larry Freeman, author of "Evolution of the Storage Brain: A history of transformative events, with a glimpse into the future of data storage"	Ballroom
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Cloud Storage TWG	Sainte Claire
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Green Storage TWG	Santa Vesta
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	SMI-S Technical Track (managed by SMI TSG)	Courtyard Room
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Solid State Storage (SSS) TWG	Saratoga
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Security TWG	Boardroom
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	2011 Storage Developer Conference (SDC) Taskforce	Santa Cruz
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch provided by SNIA	Courtyard Atrium
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Long Term Retention TWG	Boardroom
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Storage Management Initiative (SMI) and SMI TSG joint meeting	Courtyard Room
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
3:30 pm - 5:00 PM	SNIA Staff Session - Part II (private)	Santa Cruz
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM	SNIA Membership Recognition Awards and Reception	Courtyard Atrium
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	BoF: SNIA Technology Center - The path to Green	Courtyard Room

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2011

	Session	Location
7:45 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast	Ballroom
7:45 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer
8:30 AM - 9:20 AM	Spotlighting SNIA's Cloud and Green Initiatives - Updates from CSI & GSI	Ballroom
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Green Storage Initiative (GSI)	Santa Vesta
9:30 AM - 3:00 PM	Cloud Storage TWG	Sainte Claire
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Data Protection and Capacity Optimization (DPCO) Committee	Boardroom
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	SMI-S Technical Track (managed by SMI TSG)	Grand Suite 631
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Solid State Storage Initiative (SSSI)	Saratoga
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	SNIA Staff Session - Part III (private)	Santa Cruz
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	SNIA Technical Council (private)	Courtyard Room
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Cloud Storage Initiative (CSI) 2011 Activites Kickoff	Ballroom
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch provided by SNIA	Courtyard Atrium
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Cloud Storage Initiative (CSI)	Courtyard Room
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Green Storage Initiative Marketing Committee	Santa Vesta
1:30 PM - 3:00 PM	SNIA Staff Session - Part IV (private)	Santa Cruz
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Financial Workshop - finance training for new Forum and Initiative Treasurers	Santa Cruz
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Cross Marketing Committee	Sainte Claire
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM	BoF: Archive Preservation in the Cloud	Ballroom

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 2011

	Session	**Location**
7:45 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast	Courtyard Atrium
7:45 AM - 12:00 PM	Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	SNIA Dictionary Production Team Meeting	Boardroom
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Cloud Storage TWG	Sainte Claire
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	SMI-S Technical Track (managed by SMI TSG)	Courtyard Room
8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Data Integrity TWG	Santa Vesta
9:00 AM - 10:00	Ethernet Storage Forum (ESF) NFS Special Interest Group Meet & Greet	Saratoga
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Ethernet Storage Forum (ESF)	Saratoga
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch provided by SNIA	Courtyard Atrium
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	SNW Hands On Lab Planning Meeting	Courtyard Room
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	XAM Initiative (XAMI) 2011 Planning Meeting	Sainte Claire
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Refreshments available (session breaks as determined by Chairs)	Grand Ballroom Foyer & Sainte Claire Foyer

SPECIAL MEETING DESCRIPTIONS

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 8:15 AM - 9:20 AM - Ballroom
Larry Freeman, Senior Data Storage Technologist, NetApp, Inc.

Evolution of the Storage Brain
Using History to Predict the Future

During this presentation, Larry discusses the many facets of evolution within the data storage industry, including his own evolution from the perspective of a field engineer, product designer, sales engineer, product manager and finally, a historian and technologist.

The evolutionary path begins with storage devices themselves, in conjunction with the steady growth of data as we transitioned into a fully digital society over a 30-year period. He then describes breakthroughs in storage intelligence that allowed organizations to deliver data in megabytes, gigabytes, terabytes, and finally petabytes to information-thirsty Users around the globe.

Larry concludes with his predictions, based on historical events, for near-term and long-term trends that he feels are inevitable. Using an engaging, conversational style, this presentation will appeal to industry newcomers and veterans alike.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS AND MEETINGS

Monday, January 24, 2011, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM - Ballroom
SNW Tutorial: Leveraging Social Media to Your Advantage
Today's X-generation infused workforce is comfortable and confident with social media in their non-professional lives and want the same access while on the job. As IT professionals, how do you-or can you-effectively bring these new methods of communication into your organization? When should you make the case for social media? And what are the right uses for social media in the organization?

This tutorial will review popular social media tools and discuss the issues involved in opening the organization to social media, with illustrations of how a company can leverage these tools for business practices.

Learning Objectives

- Identify the social media tools that can be used to match your objectives and how to engage with online influencers
- Learn more about the social media work methods of the next generation of employees and how you can integrate their expectations and ideas into your business goals and deliverables
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Monday, January 24, 2011, 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM - Ballroom
Introducing the SNIA and the Symposium Experience: A Brief Orientation and Q&A
This Symposium session will provide a brief introduction to the SNIA - including its mission, key activities, organization, leadership, and staff. An overview of SNIA membership benefits will be provided along with highlights of SNIA technology, education, and event programs. Our work in specifications and standards will be outlined as well as an orientation to our Forums and Initiatives.

We will provide "tips" and advice on how to understand and leverage the SNIA Symposium "experience" in order to make the most of your participation in our planned sessions, meetings, BOFs, and other activities. Questions and Answers will follow the presentation and discussion.

SPECIAL MEETING DESCRIPTIONS

Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 8:30 AM - 9:20 AM - Ballroom
Spotlighting SNIA's Cloud and Green Initiatives - Updates from CSI & GSI
The SNIA Cloud Storage Initiative and Green Storage Initiative have been busy delivering on the promises made late last year and are in the process of planning activities for the new year.

Come to this session to hear about upcoming activities for 2011 including SNW Spring, SDC 2011, and the SNIA Cloud Burst Summit. Get involved in the planning now and plan your sponsorships to save money and increase your cloud exposure.

BIRDS-OF-A-FEATHER MEETINGS

Monday, January 24, 2011, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM - Ballroom
BoF - File Systems - The Next Steps for the SNIA

Please join the SNIA Technical Council for an open discussion on the following important topics:

• What should SNIA be doing with respect to file systems?
• What can we do to make SNIA more valuable to File Systems vendors?

Help the Technical Council determine the next steps for the SNIA!

Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM - Courtyard Atrium
BoF: SNIA Technology Center – The Path to Green
Please join us in an open discussion on the possibilities of turning the SNIA Technology Center in Colorado Springs into a Green (Storage) Center of Excellence. We would like to hear your thoughts and ideas on this important topic. Please make sure that you attend to learn how your company can participate. Don't miss this very important meeting!

Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM - Ballroom
BoF: Archive Preservation in the Cloud

The SNIA Cloud Storage Initiative is forming up a new group to focus on Cloud Archive and Preservation:

• Whereas with Cloud Backup, the cloud is simply a repository of backup data, with Cloud Archive and Preservation, the Cloud is where the active processes occur that ensure long term retention, preservation and viability of data
• CDMI is uniquely designed to accommodate these needs with the Data System Metadata that it standardizes
• Cloud providers see the ability to offer more than just a best effort storage area with the promise of being the trusted steward of information for the long term
• Additional services such as eDiscovery and automatic format conversion can easily be offloaded to the cloud reducing costs

Please join us for a Birds of Feather session to kick off the formation of the CSI Archive/Preservation Special Interest Group (SIG). Light refreshments will be provided.

Meeting Details:
Webex: http://snia.webex.com,
Webex Meeting Name: Archive and Preservation SIG Meeting
Webex Password: cloud2011
Dial-in Information: Toll Free: 866-244-8528, International: +1-719-457-0816
Passcode: 510843#

SNIA GROUPS CONTACT INFORMATION

The best person to contact about the current activities of a particular SNIA group is the Chair of the Group. Below you will find the current list of SNIA groups and the associated email address for each Group Chair.

SNIA Forum and Initiatives	Chair Email
Cloud Storage Initiative (CSI)	csi-chair@snia.org
Data Protection and Capacity Optimization (DPCO) Committee	dpco-chair@snia.org
Education Committee	snia-edcomm-chair@snia.org
Ethernet Storage Forum (ESF)	snia-esf-chair@snia.org
Green Storage Initiative (GSI)	green-chair@snia.org
Solid State Storage Initiative (SSSI)	sssi-chair@snia.org
Standards Committee	standards-chair@snia.org
Storage Management Initiative (SMI)	sminit-chair@snia.org
Storage Security Industry Forum (SSIF)	snia-ssif-chair@snia.org
XAM Initiative	xam-chair@snia.org
SNIA Technical Work Groups	Chair Email
Cloud Storage TWG	cloudtwg-chair@snia.org
Common RAID Disk Data Format (DDF) TWG	ddftwg-chair@snia.org
Data Integrity TWG	dataintegritytwg-chair@snia.org
Disk Resource Management (DRM) TWG	snia-drm-chair@snia.org
Fibre Channel (FC) TWG	snia-snmwg-fc-chair@snia.org
File Systems Management (FSM) TWG	fsmtwg-chair@snia.org
Fixed Content Aware Storage (FCAS) TWG	fcastwg-chair@snia.org
Green Storage TWG	greentwg-chair@snia.org
Hypervisor Storage Interfaces (HSI) TWG	hsitwg-chair@snia.org
I/O Traces, Tools and Analysis (IOTTA) TWG	iottatwg-chair@snia.org
Long Term Retention (LT) TWG	lttwg-chair@snia.org
Multipath Management API (MMA) TWG	mmatwg-chair@snia.org
NDMP Software TWG	ndmptwg-chair@snia.org
Object-based Storage Device (OSD) TWG	snia-osd-chair@snia.org
Security TWG	snia-security-chair@snia.org
SMI TSG	tsg_smi-chair@snia.org
SMI-S Core TWG	smiscoretwg-chair@snia.org
Solid State Storage TWG	ssstwg-chair@snia.org
Storage Media Library TWG	snia-sml-chair@snia.org
XAM SDK TWG	xamsdktwg-chair@snia.org

GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

Below you will find descriptions for each of the groups participating in the Winter Symposium listed by category in alphabetical order. Take a moment to locate groups that are of interest to you to aid your Symposium schedule planning. If an meeting details were supplied, you will find it following the group description.

TECHNICAL WORK GROUP (TWG) AND TECHNICAL STEERING GROUP (TSG) DESCRIPTIONS

CLOUD STORAGE TWG
The Cloud Storage TWG will be wrapping up the final edits of errata for CDMI 1.0.1 before sending off to ISO. We will spend significant time scoping 1.1 and preparing the Reference Implementation for another working draft release.

Meeting Details:

Dial-in Information for all days:
Toll-free:1-888-450-5996, Toll: 1-719-955-1371
Participant Passcode: 706991#

Webex Information for each day:

Go to: snia.webex.com

Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 1:00 pm - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 799 808 605
Webex Meeting Password: cloud2011
Host Key: 757626 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 791 147 374
Webex Meeting Password: cloud2011
Host Key: 535941 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 795 971 614
Webex Meeting Password: cloud2011
Host Key: 411928 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 795 673 053
Webex Meeting Password: cloud2011
Host Key: 623396 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

DATA INTEGRITY TWG
This meeting will continue the development of the architectural document to provide Data Protection from the application to the storage device.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 792 874 705
Webex Meeting Password: data2010
Host Key: 210241 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll-free: 1-866-846-3997
Passcode: 206841

GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

GREEN STORAGE TWG

The Green Storage TWG acts as the primary technical entity for the SNIA to identify, develop, and coordinate technical matters related to energy and cooling of storage networking products. To be effective, standard metrics must be a realistic reflection of efficiency: work accomplished per energy expended, allowing a determination of clear costs for operations. We believe that a variety of types of storage work must be considered, and that several distinct 'figures of merit' will be needed. We believe that the SNIA is uniquely qualified, as an impartial forum with the right participants, to create useful metrics for users.

Meeting Details:

Dial-in Information for both days:
Toll free: 1-888-864-0793, Toll: 1-719-234-7885
Passcode: 192554

Webex Information for each day:

Go to: snia.webex.com

Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 798 886 602
Webex Meeting Password: gogreen
Host Key: 318486 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 794 310 256
Webex Meeting Password: gogreen
Host Key: 992853 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

LONG TERM RETENTION TWG

The Long Term Retention (LTR) TWG is focused on the technical challenges of long term digital information retention & preservation, namely both physical ("bit") and logical preservation.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: January 26, 2011, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Name: Long Term Retention (LTR) TWG
Webex Meeting Password: 100years
Dial-In Numbers: Toll-free: 1-877-860-3058, Toll: 1-719-867-1571
Participant Passcode: 9279986701

SECURITY TWG

The Security TWG provides a focus for defining methods of increasing the security of both information residing within (or transmitting through) storage networks and information related to the management of those networks. The scope of work encompasses storage and storage networking security for installations from the departmental level to the multi-enterprise. Technologies of interest include Fibre Channel and IP storage networks, NAS, CAS, objected-based storage, storage devices and hosts. The target audiences for the TWG's deliverables are the vendors and customers of advanced storage infrastructures.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

SMI-S TECHNICAL TRACK (MANAGED BY THE SMI TSG)

The SMI TSG is responsible for the overall technical content of the Storage Management Initiative Specification (SMI-S). By coordinating the specification work of the various TWGs involved, the TSG will steer the content to be consistent, accurate and comprehensive.

GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

SMI-S TECHNICAL TRACK (MANAGED BY THE SMI TSG) (continued)

Meeting Details:

Dial-in Information for all days:
Toll-free: 888-813-8477, Toll:1-719-785-9333
Passcode: 473194

Webex Information for all days: snia.webex.com

Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 792 328 210
Webex Meeting Password: tsg2011
Host Key: 437524 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 798 853 854
Webex Meeting Password: tsg2011
Host Key: 786052 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 793 127 692
Webex Meeting Password: tsg2011
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SOLID STATE STORAGE (SSS) TWG
The SSS TWG is meeting to finalize Client PTS v 1.0 and to discuss 2011 work items for Enterprise and Client PTS 1.1. An Official Ballot is scheduled for Tuesday 25JAN11 for release of Client PTS 1.0 to the TC.

Meeting Details:

Dial-in Information for each day:
Teleconference: 1-866-642-1665
Passcode: 117677

Webex Information for each day: snia.webex.com

Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 795 713 139
Webex Meeting Password: SSSrocks
Host Key: 735168 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

Date: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Meeting Number: 791 161 952
Webex Meeting Password: SSSrocks
Host Key: 973805 (use this to reclaim host privileges)

GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

FORUM AND INITIATIVE DESCRIPTIONS

CLOUD STORAGE INITIATIVE (CSI)

The mission of the SNIA Cloud Storage Initiative is to foster the growth and success of the market for what is generally referred to as cloud storage and more generally the use of data storage resources and services in the Cloud.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

ETHERNET STORAGE FORUM (ESF)

The ESF will be kicking off the new year by meeting Face-to-Face. We will be reviewing our marketing plan for 2011 and will allow time in our agenda for the iSCSI and NFS SIGs to meet as well. Everyone wanting to contribute to the direction, agenda and deliverables of the ESF is welcome to attend.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 797 260 806
Webex Meeting Password: ESFsymposium
Host Key: 101575 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll: 712-432-1600
Passcode: 131248

GREEN STORAGE INITIATIVE (GSI)

SNIA's Green Storage Initiative is dedicated to advancing energy efficiency and conservation in all networked storage technologies in an effort to minimize the environmental impact of data storage operations.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 792 311 519
Webex Meeting Password: gogreen
Host Key: 909008 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll free: 1-888-864-0793, Toll: 1-719-234-7885
Passcode: 192554

SOLID STATE STORAGE INITIATIVE (SSSI)

Solid State Storage Initiative (SSSI) will meet to discuss SSSI status and decide on plans for 2011, including performance testing. Presentations from 3 SSD industry analysts.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 790 956 665
Meeting Password: sssi2011
Host Key: 522566 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll free: 1-866-642-1665, Toll: 1-719-387-8317
Participant Passcode: 117677

STORAGE MANAGEMENT INITIATIVE (SMI)

The SMI has made significant strides over recent years to deliver the industry's first standardized, interoperable, storage management interface via the SMI-Specification, which has been adopted and deployed by major storage vendors worldwide. Program Leaders will meet to lay out plans to bring storage vendors to up SMI-S Version 1.6.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 792 134 981
Webex Meeting Password: tuesday
Host Key: 635744 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll Free: 1-866-548-4703, Toll: 1-719-785-9423
Participant Passcode: 888999

XAM INITIATIVE (XAM)

The SNIA eXtensible Access Method Initiative (XAM) is chartered to drive adoption of the XAM specification, and ensure that the specification fulfills market needs for compliance, legal e-discovery, digital preservation, and digital content library communities.

Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 790 874 277
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Dial-in Information: Toll: 712-432-0600
Passcode: 540066#

COMMITTEE AND PLANNING GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

DATA PROTECTION AND CAPACITY OPTIMIZATION (DPCO) COMMITTEE

The goals of the DPCO Committee are to educate the vendor and user communities about data protection and efficient data storage technologies, perform market outreach that highlights the benefits of relevant technologies and document implementation considerations and best practices, and advocate and support technical work associated with data protection and capacity optimization.

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 26, 2011, 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Meeting Number: 797 539 234
Meeting Password: dpco2011
Host Key: 583749 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll-free: 888-450-5996
Passcode: 183 809

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The SNIA Education Committee (EdComm) is an education organization that delivers educational products and services that enhance storage networking knowledge, and contributes to the strength of SNIA's brand. This meeting will discuss the current status of several projects and activities plus formal introduction of Paul Talbut to the committee in his new role.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Dial-in Information: US Toll-free: 1-800-281-5354, International 1-913-312-4165
Passcode: 428898

GROUP DESCRIPTIONS

SNIA DICTIONARY PRODUCTION TEAM
This meeting is a private meeting of the SNIA Dictionary Production Team.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM
Dial-in Information: Toll-free: 800-482-3251, Toll: 719-457-5113
Participant Passcode: 195238

SNW HANDS-ON LAB PLANNING MEETING - SPRING 2011
Join us to preview the SNW Hands-On Lab program at SNW Spring 2011 in Santa Clara, CA.   With the great feedback to our previous HOLs, now is a better time than ever to think about participating.

Attend the meeting or dial-in to discuss the following: HOL process, agenda, venue; Lab schedule to date – Cloud, Data Deduplication, Data Protection, Managing Storage Resources, Solid State Storage, Storage Security, Unified Fabrics and Networks, Virtualization – Server and Storage; Abstracts and topics brainstorming; How to participate as a vendor company; Exercises for prospective labs; and Next steps.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Thursday, January 27, 2011, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 797 334 395
Webex Meeting Password: handson
Host Key: 642467 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll-free: 1-800-289-5126
Passcode: 198120

STANDARDS COMMITTEE
The standards committee is responsible for all standardization activities within the SNIA. The standards committees oversees that policies and procedures associated with SNIA approve architectures as they follow the standardization process to become an ANSI and ISO standard.
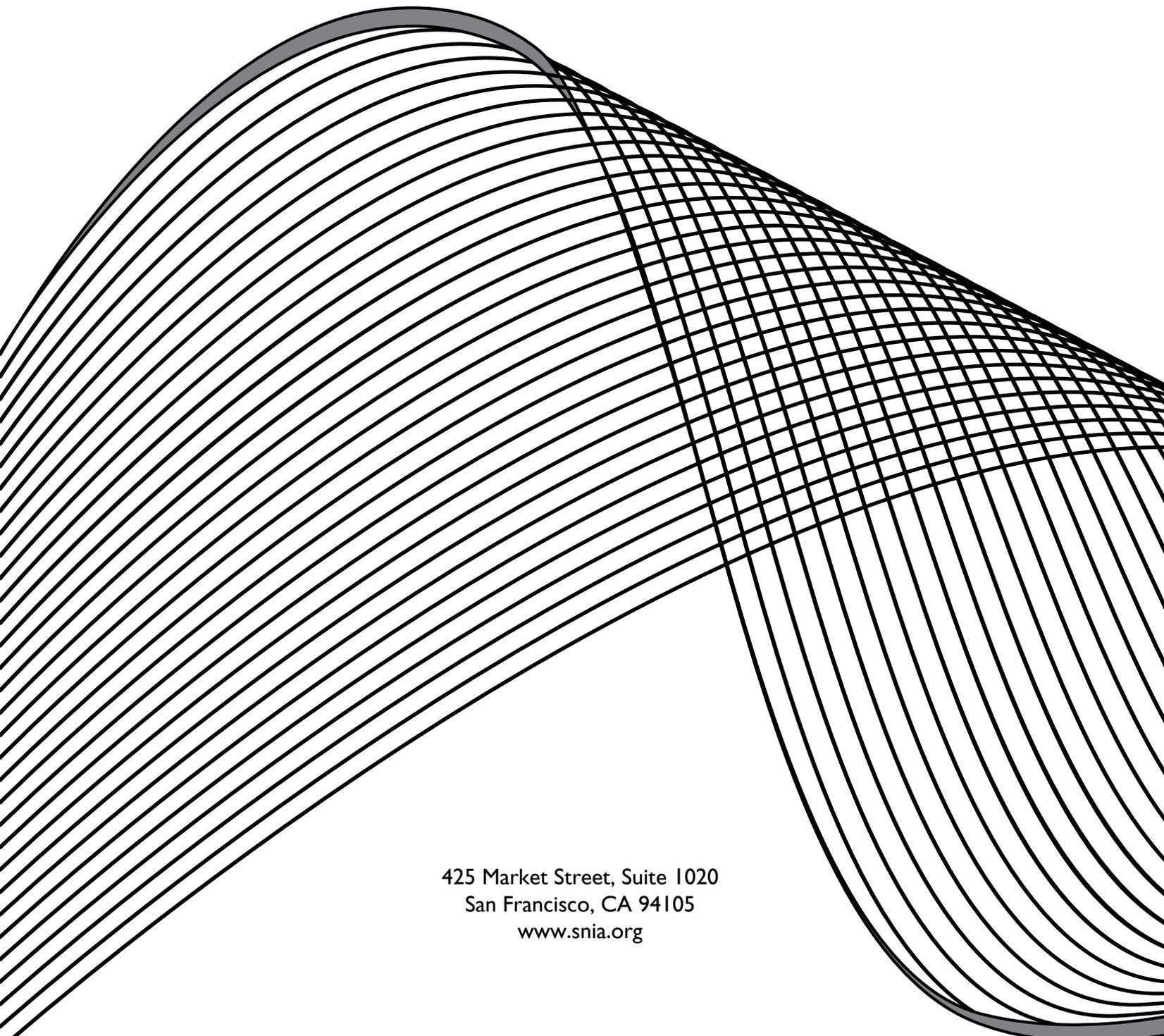
Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Monday, January 24, 2011, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Webex Information: snia.webex.com
Webex Meeting Number: 792 509 866
Webex Meeting Password: iso2011
Host Key: 415934 (use this to reclaim host privileges)
Dial-in Information: Toll-free: 800-482-3251, Toll: 719-457-5113
Passcode: 195238

STORAGE DEVELOPER CONFERENCE (SDC) TASKFORCE
SNIA's Storage Developer Conference will be held in Santa Clara on Septemeber 19 - 22, 2011. SDC's Agenda is developed under the supervision of the SNIA Technical Council and covers leading storage development matters such as Advances in Hardware, Cloud Storage, Data Deduplication, FCoE, File Systems, Green Technologies, Virtualization, Security, Solid State Storage, Storage Management, Storage Testing, and CIFS/SMB/SMB2. This taskforce will meet to discuss plans for the upcoming conference.

Meeting Details:
Date and Time: Tuesday, January 25, 2011, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Teleconference: 1-800-361-5659
Passcode: 554575

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