

# 2017-02-01

## Metaverse Working Group

### Agenda & Meeting Minutes

**Date:** February 1, 2017

**Time:** 2:00 PM EST / 11:00 AM PST

**Location:** BlueJeans - <https://bluejeans.com/133355606>

### Agenda

1. **Introductions** for first time attendees
2. **Collaboration Tools for Group Work**
  - Listserv mailing list - <https://lists.internet2.edu/sympa/subscribe/metaverse>
  - Bluejeans web conferencing - <https://bluejeans.com/133355606>
  - Confluence Wiki - [Metaverse Working Group Home](#)
    - Access for participants?
  - Box or Google Drive? - Everyone is comfortable with both
  - Slack - Ben mentioned that Internet2 is using Slack, and Sara will set up a server and send invite to everyone in the list.
3. **Metaverse Working Group - VR/AR Technology Survey (Draft)**
  - Draft survey - <https://goo.gl/forms/EZq9kanhelpnfTSv2>
  - Gurcharan suggested adding "Room-based VR" as an option
  - Separate issue to collect information if people wish to voluntarily be included in a Member Directory
4. **KINBERCON** - Pittsburgh, PA, April 3-5, 2017 <http://kinber.org/events/annual-conference/>
  - Virtual and augmented reality demonstration
  - 1/2 day workshop
  - Anyone interested in participating in a panel, let Ben know
5. **Internet2 Global Summit** - Washington, DC, April 23–26, 2017 <http://www.internet2.edu/news-events/events/global-summit/>
  - Metaverse Working Group meeting agenda
    - Introductory Remarks & Welcome - Ben Fineman
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6. **Upcoming guest speaker schedule**
  - March - Kevin Robuck, Oracle - Worked previously on Project Wonderland, Oracle is doing some work with mobile VR in higher education, possibly with GearVR.
  - April - In-person meeting at Global Summit
  - May - Dr. Adam Kiefer, Director of Research Education, Division of Sports Medicine, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
  - June -
  - July -
  - August -
  - September -
  - October -
  - November -
  - December -
  - Possible candidates:
    - Josh Carpenter, Mozilla,
    - Janus VR, Joe can find out if someone from Janus can speak, Ben also knows James McCray(sp?)
    - Amazon Lumberyard
    - High Fidelity - advertising as open source
7. **Open Discussion/Announcements**
  - Patrick at Brown is working with visualization, Interest in VR on the web
  - Photogrammetry - Share software packages being used