



Title: Liaison Relationship with JCA-Cloud

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The CloudEthernet Forum (CEF) is a global industry alliance (1) which was founded in May 2013 to address the need for scaling and enhancing Ethernet technology to meet the stringent demands of delivering cloud services. The CloudEthernet Forum's membership comprises cloud, data center and WAN service providers as well as system integrators and network equipment manufacturers.

The Technical Committee of the CEF approved at its April 2014 meeting in Budapest a project which has as a scope defining a version 1.0 of the Reference Architecture for CloudEthernet Services. The timeline for this work aims to approve the document before the end of the calendar year 2014.

We would be interested in establishing a permanent communication including if necessary a liaison relationship with your organization with the goal of exchanging documents and other information necessary to reach complementary and collaborative development of standards in the cloud computing and cloud networking areas. If you find this useful we would be glad to attend one of your future meetings to provide more details and answer questions.

Thanks and Best Regards,
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(1) <http://www.cloudethernet.org/>

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- July 30 – Santa Clara CA, USA
- November 19-20 – Washington DC, USA