Accepting the Baton from Russ

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I'm Excited!

- Thankful for Russ, Brian, Harald, Fred, ...
 Nomcom, ..., Ericsson, ... IESG, IAB, ...
- I'm excited because we all can work on something that is so vital to the world – the Internet and new technologies that have a bright future
- And because I can work with you



Moment of Reflection

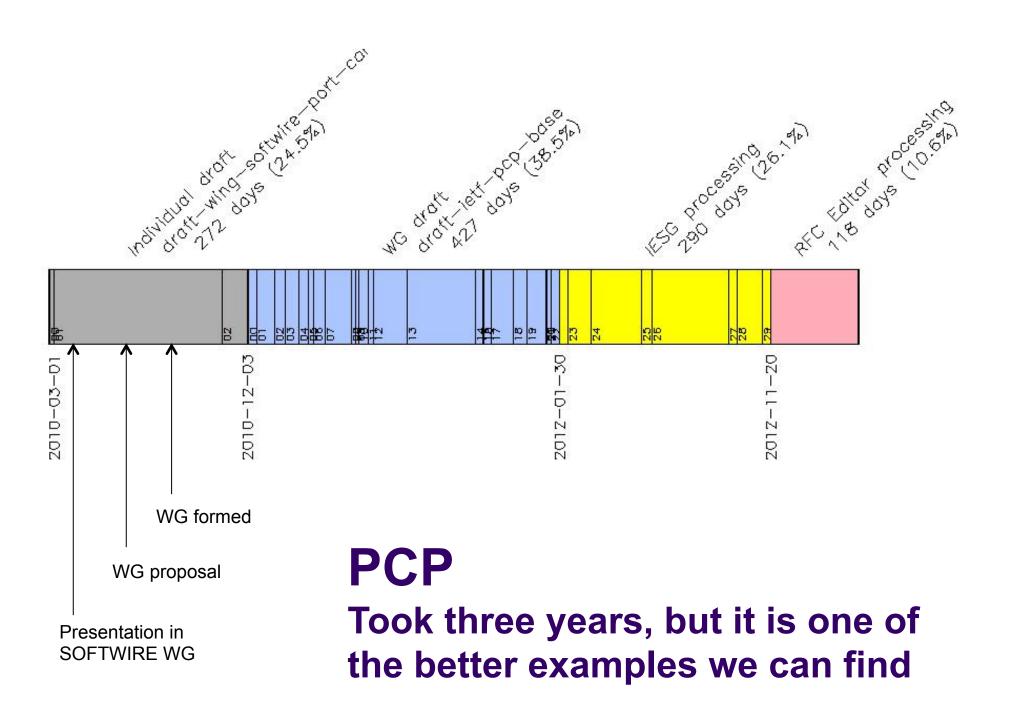
- The IETF has changed, but as changes happen on long timescales, it may be hard to see them
- Adminrest, the new datatracker, professional support organization, tools, IT systems, better transparency, IETF Trust, new participants, review teams, ...
- Much better environment today



Some Challenges, Too

- Keep delivering relevant standards, timely
- Evolving the participant base
- Long BOF-to-RFC delay
- Process that is heavier at the end
- Communication and IETF's role in the world

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Suggestions Welcome!



We all have different perspectives on how to develop the Internet or the IETF process

Your perspective is the important one – let me and the rest of the leadership hear what you need

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There is
food
within
walking
distance

Photo: Chris Morrow



"My dear colleagues, it is wrong to argue in private. Why waste words without an audience."

Spotted by Olaf Kolkman