

# Approved Minutes of the August 12, 2025 Jakarta EE Steering Committee Meeting

Please refer to your meeting invitation for the zoom password.

Fujitsu: **Kenji Kazumura**

IBM: **Emily Jiang, Alasdair Nottingham, James Perkins, Neil Patterson**

Microsoft: **Ed Burns**

Oracle: **Will Lyons, Ed Bratt**

Payara: **Dominika Tasarz**

Tomitribe: **Cesar Hernandez**

Enterprise Member representative (Princeton): **Jun Qian**

Participant member representative (LJC): **not present**

We have quorum.

Eclipse: **Tanja Obradovic**

## Review of Minutes from Prior Meetings

The [Draft Minutes of the July 8, 2025 Jakarta EE Steering Committee Meeting](#) were approved.

The [Draft Minutes of the July 22, 2025 Jakarta EE Steering Committee Meeting](#) will be reviewed next time.

## Jakarta EE 11/12 Update

- Jakarta EE 11
  - Any [update](#) on data related to announcement metrics (planned for last Marketing Committee meeting on Thursday July 10)?
  - Release 11 Retrospective
    - Retrospective was done on the platform call ([issue link](#), [document link](#))
      - Reported last time, Ed intends to create issue tracker issues from this
    - The Spec Committee Retrospective has not yet been completed.
- Jakarta EE 12
  - Per James Perkins (secondary co-coordinator), Platform team is not meeting for next three weeks - no significant update
  - [Initial draft](#) for a Release Plan for Jakarta EE 12.

- GitHub open [issues filtered by EE 12 label](#) in the Jakarta EE Platform project
- New boards have been created for release plan tracking
  - <https://github.com/orgs/jakartaee/projects/17/views/1>
- Primary work items at the moment are to focus on open PRs for spec drafts

## **Blog on Jakarta EE and AI**

- Ed posted this to the platform dev: list <https://www.eclipse.org/lists/jakartaee-platform-dev/msg04787.html> . Seeks review on the content. You can just make comments on the gist in the email.

## **Allocation of new member funds to Marketing Committee**

- Email sent to me from Neil Patterson

As discussed at the Steering Committee meeting on July 22, please consider this a request for allocation of the additional funds coming from new members, in 1Q and 2Q 2025 to be allocated to the Marketing Committee budget. This will help with the additional work being done to support a revamped Jakarta.ee website, navigation, SEO work, along with the JakartaOne site to support the integration and promotion of all our events.

This request would cover the new revenue from:

1Q - \$8.3k revenue increase from Ant Group

2Q - \$5k revenue increase from Liferay

- Note that Neil made a prior request on June 3 for the allocation of \$8.3K which I neglected to put on the Steering Committee agenda.
- The Committee requested more information on the specifics of the proposal.
- Neil agreed to provide a description in mail, prior to the next Steering Committee meeting, of how these proposed funds would be allocated, and a summary of the Marketing Committee input to this proposal/plan.

## **JakartaOne activities**

- [JakartaOne](#) - expanding the brand
  - The JakartaOne schedule is at the above link:

## UPCOMING EVENTS

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25 July 2025  [JakartaOne China 2025](#)

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30 July 2025  [JakartaOne Japan 2025](#)

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25 September 2025  [JakartaOne Livestream Chinese 2025](#)

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2 December 2025  [JakartaOne Livestream 2025](#)

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- Updates on the China and Japan events are provided below
  - [China report](#)
  - [Japan report](#)
- JakartaOne Livestream Dec 2nd
  - CFP is open please submit talks, deadline is September 15  
<https://sessionize.com/jakartaone-livestream-2025/>
  - Vendor talks  
[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jkvN2BxqJHvnknpmBEZj\\_zmCaoxMIRj\\_zhXHO7Gn-LLE/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jkvN2BxqJHvnknpmBEZj_zmCaoxMIRj_zhXHO7Gn-LLE/edit?usp=sharing)
  - Sponsorship opportunity  
[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1IFglAb8scZoaU4BNjW5F6gFM6XfnOWQz\\_TYmtxsjbc3l/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1IFglAb8scZoaU4BNjW5F6gFM6XfnOWQz_TYmtxsjbc3l/edit?usp=sharing)

## Objectives

- Reviewed and updated [Q3/Q4 Objectives](#)
- Note that [2026 Program Planning](#) will begin soon
  - Email with process and timeline expected in September

## 2025 Jakarta EE Developer survey

- Closed June 5th
- 1693 responses - [report sheet](#)
- Report be prepared - [timeline](#)
  - Marketing Committee review ends Aug 21

## Jakarta EE Working Group Membership Fees

- Email from Tanja on August 5

Dear Steering Committee,

At our last meeting, we discussed Working Group Membership fees. As this topic will be part of the larger discussion addressing upcoming Eclipse Foundation Working Group Process updates and other changes, the Eclipse Foundation will organize a couple of formal sessions in September for Working Group members. Further details, invites and communications will follow in the coming weeks. Mike Milinkovich, Executive Director, will lead these sessions, offering a detailed overview of the updates, including their motivation, background, and associated timelines. Steering Committee members are encouraged to attend one of these sessions if possible.

- It was agreed in our last meeting that a change in membership fees would require a vote at the Steering Committee.
- Alasdair had comments that time did not permit discussion of. He will share in mail.

### **Eclipse Piranha Cloud**

- Noting that the EE4J Project Management Committee has taken on responsibility for overseeing governance of the following project (see email from ee4j-pmc mailing list from May 25) and the project was created 3 weeks ago:
  - <https://projects.eclipse.org/projects/ee4j.piranha>
  - [https://gitlab.eclipse.org/eclipsefdn/emo-team/emo/-/issues/969#note\\_4498271](https://gitlab.eclipse.org/eclipsefdn/emo-team/emo/-/issues/969#note_4498271)

### **Jakarta EE Elections Coming in September**

- Email from Sharon Corbett on August 5:

This message serves as a preliminary notification regarding the upcoming Jakarta EE Working Group elections. Its purpose is to encourage eligible individuals to consider standing for election and casting their votes. **No immediate action is required.**

The [Jakarta EE Working Group Charter](#) stipulates annual elections for its Steering, Specification, and Marketing committees. Elected positions are designated for

Enterprise and Committer Members, while Strategic Members appoint their representatives.

The Eclipse Foundation intends to conduct the 2025-26 Jakarta EE elections on behalf of the working group, commencing in early September. Detailed instructions and precise timelines will be released via email during the first part of September.

**Membership Nomination Eligibility:**

For membership classes other than Committer Members, all individuals who are employed by an organization that is a member of that class in the working group may stand for election.

Committer Members are those who are engaged in projects under the purview of the working group are eligible to stand for election. Committers may be considered members by virtue of either a) being employed by a working group corporate member, or b) an individual committer who has executed the Jakarta EE Working Group's Participation Agreement.

More details will be provided in the official announcement - stay tuned!

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**Time did not permit discussion of the following**

**Community mentor proposal**

- [Community mentor](#) - Reminder we will proceed with this proposal

**Jakarta EE and MicroProfile Discussion**

IBM and Red Hat have proposed to “Host MicroProfile in Jakarta EE”

- The proposal is [here](#):

**Jakarta EE Future Directions Interest Group**

- See:
  - <https://projects.eclipse.org/interest-groups/jakarta-ee-future-directions>
  - <https://github.com/jakartaee/jakartaee-future-directions>
- There are specific focus topics that the group is considering - separate meetings will be held/planned on each topic.
- Notes:
  - Upcoming meeting - August 21

- Topic: From CRUD to Co-Pilots: Will Jakarta EE Own or Miss the AI-Native Java Stack?
- Facilitator: Markus Eisele
- Recommendations from 2025 meetings will be available September 23rd

### **Implications of European Cyber Resilience Act (CRA)**

- Steve Millidge has proposed that the Steering Committee review the implications of CRA on the work of this Working Group. See:
  - [European Cyber Resilience Act](#)
  - [CRA FAQ](#)
  - [Open Regulatory Compliance \(ORC\) Working Group](#)
- Topics for discussion would be how GlassFish might be classified under CRA, and the potential implications (or responsibilities) for Jakarta EE Working Group members
- Steve offered to put together a brief for discussion at this committee in the September timeframe. I invite you to review the above resources. Expect further discussion in September.
  - It was requested that Steve provide some notice on when he will bring this to Steering Committee