



Models for Cyberinfrastructure Support for Research and Education

Introductions

Panelists

- Marla Meehl, the manager of networking for NCAR/UCAR, the Front Range GigaPoP (FRGP), and NSF PI on the Women in IT Networking at Supercomputing (WINS) and Co-PI on the Navajo Tech University-led “Using air (technology) to learn and understand new things”.
- Lauren Rotman, is the Group Lead for ESnet's Science Engagement Team. Her team works directly with science collaborations to ensure they have the tools and resources they need to effectively use network technologies with the goal of accelerating science discovery.
- Dr. Jennifer Schopf is the director of the engagement and performance operations center at Indiana University and has spent 20 years bridging between application communities and cyber infrastructure technology in her roles at IU, NSF, University of Edinburgh, and Argonne National lab.

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- John Moore is Associate Vice President for Research and Infrastructure Strategy at Internet2, working on engaging those in the community who are supporting research and science and helping define how to evolve US cyberinfrastructure with the entire end-to-end ecosystem in mind.
- Jeffrey Weekley is the Director of Research Computing and CyberInfrastructure at the newest UC campus, UC Merced. Before coming to UC Merced in 2016, he briefly served as the Science Manager for the Research and Education Advanced Network New Zealand in Wellington, New Zealand from 2014 - 2016. Prior to that, he spent nearly 20 years as founding faculty of the MOVES Institute at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, CA, where he specialized in advanced network-enabled media applications, cluster and grid computing, virtual reality and virtual environments.