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INCOM STANDARDIZATION WORKSHOP

In collaboration with Bifrost Communications who has a clear focus on standardizations and is rather successful working in this arena, the PMO is investigating the options for arranging the first INCOM workshop. Such workshops are part of our INCOM project in Task 4.6. This task has the aim to facilitate exchange of information and methods obtained from standardization bodies of interest to the participants. Task 4.6 has one standardization workshop per year as KPI and Deliverables. More information will follow about the topic, time and place after the Easter break.

INCOM SHAREPOINT SITE: ShareDTU

This site has been available for a while, but finally we have concurred the GDPR issue and can now open access for all. Protection of personal data and keeping confidentiality are high priorities at DTU as well as meeting the GDPR standard requirements. In order to meet the requirements our legal advisors have now authored two simple documents that each person wanting access needs to sign. All staff members will therefore soon receive an email from the PMO asking to join the site. The email will include documents stating that your personal data will be shared on the site (Confidentiality Declaration) combined with a privacy statement (Data Sharing Declaration). The privacy statement will relate only to the personal data. When you have signed and returned the documents to PMO, you will be granted access.

INCOM ASSOCIATED PARTNERS

Invitations to the INCOM Associated Partners have just been sent out to the 15 prospective Associated Partners and we look forward to opening up for new partnerships and the network beyond the INCOM partners.

PATENT APPLICATIONS ARE MOST WELCOMMED

In short, INCOMs primary focus is to generate commercial growth and jobs. I.e. the primary focus is not research, meaning that patents come before publications and are of high priority. This means that publications may be postponed for filing a patent application. The INCOM patent strategy and the DKK 1,2 mil. budget for Task 4.2 "IPR Management" reflects this. If you have INCOM related ideas that could be candidate for patent applications, please come forward to the PMO. It is MUCH better to come forward to the PMO and be rejected with a smile than wait, and later discover that your idea could have formed the basis of a new company or new product...if not a publication already were submitted.

1ST ORDINARY STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING

On April 23rd the meeting will take place at Aarhus University Department of Engineering. Jens Kargaard Madsen will host the meeting and some of the topics of the agenda are:

- Status for activities and results since project start
- Company visits
- Internal Spring Event
- External Autumn Event
- Test network

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