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1 Executive Summary

This document summarizes the key project presentation activities that were executed since the project started, including the Project Web Site (<http://www.ec-gin.eu>), the Project Poster, and the Initial Press Releases.

2 Introduction

According to the plans of WP6, D6.0 "Project Presentation and Web Page" presents the work done for the main project awareness and publication activities.

2.1 Purpose of the Document D6.0

The D6.0 aims to present in brief the work done for:

- Project's Presentation
- Project Web Site

2.2 Document Outline

In the rest of this document we present some brief information about the key project presentation activities that have been undertaken so far.

3 Summary and Conclusions

3.1 Project Web Site

The project team worked on the preparation of a content management enabled web site in order to dynamically communicate information throughout the duration of the project. The URL for the web site is <http://www.ec-gin.eu>. A screenshot of the initial page of the site is shown on the next page.

The web site provides visitors with information about the objectives of the project and GRID related events and activities. In the future it shall be enhanced with information about the results of the project. The profile of all EC-GIN partners is presented as well, in a special section of the web site.

An newsletter mechanism that delivers news to all interest groups, i.e. visitors that register their e-mail through the respective section of the web site, is provided.

The content of the web site is enriched with material from other communication activities, as project presentations, press releases and of course the project poster, a printable version of which is available in the following web link:

http://www.ec-gin.eu/corpsite/display/dsp_entity.asp?EN_ID=73

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The First International Conference on Networks for Grid Applications (GridNets2007) will be held in October 2007 in Lyon, France.
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http://gridnets.org
October 17-19, 2007, Lyon, France
See http://gridnets.eu for complete scope of the conference.

Meeting Agenda 20/2/2007

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EC-GIN Meeting, Zürich, Switzerland

Upcoming Meetings 14/12/2006

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3.2 Press Releases

In order to present the project to the scientific and business public, the members have started creating and releasing announcements to local and international media. The body of the main text used for international media is presented below.

3.2.1 Main Press Release Text

Europe-China Grid InterNetworking:

Innovative work promising a more efficient Grid

Europe and China join their forces in research activities for Grid computing infrastructure optimizations, namely the network layer. EC-GIN (Europe-China Grid InterNetworking, <http://www.ec-gin.eu>) is one of the very first research projects co-founded by the E.U. under the Framework Programme 6 (FP6) which puts Europe and China together to work on improving the network ability to better support Grid applications and services.

The Internet communication infrastructure (the so-called TCP/IP protocol stack) is designed for broad use; as such, it does not take the specific characteristics of Grid applications into account. This one-size-fits-all approach works for a number of application domains, however, it is far from being optimal. Thus, it cannot be as efficient as customized solutions. While the Grid and its services are slowly emerging, its network infrastructure is still in its infancy.

The EC-GIN project, based on a number of properties that make Grids unique from the network perspective, aims at developing a tailored network technology in dedicated support of Grid applications. These technical solutions will be supplemented with a secure and incentive-based Grid Services network traffic management system, which will balance the conflicting performance demand and the economic use of resources in the network and within the Grid.

Technically, EC-GIN will make Grids work, operate, and communicate better. By appropriately utilizing the underlying network, Grid resources in general will be used more efficiently and amplify the impact of Grid computing on the society and economy of Europe and China.

The duration of the project is 36 months (November 2006 - October 2009) and all partners involved are listed below:

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3.3 Project Poster

Members of the project consortium participate in several public events that attract the interest of both scientific and business community. In order to exploit this opportunity for further communication we've prepared the project poster, presented below:

ECGIN

Europe-China Grid InterNetworking
Make Grids work, operate, and communicate better

European STREP project, Duration: **Nov 06-Oct 09**

<http://www.ec-gin.eu>

Partners

UNIVERSITÄT INNSBRUCK
<http://www.uibk.ac.at>

UNIVERSITY OF ZURICH
<http://www.csg.uzh.ch>

INSTITUT NATIONAL DE RECHERCHE EN INFORMATIQUE
ET AUTOMATIQUE
<http://www.inria.fr>

UNIVERSITY OF LANCASTER
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CHINA TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY LABS
<http://www.chinattl.com>

CHINA MOBILE GROUP DESIGN INSTITUTE CO., LTD.
<http://www.bcdi.com.cn>



3.4 Other Project Presentation activities

Members participating in forums, conferences and workshops, constantly take this advantage in order to present the project to the audience; the project will be presented at the upcoming meeting of the Open Grid Forum in Manchester, UK, for example. This way a constant update to the presentation material of the project is applied and several different representatives of academia and industry have already become aware of this project.

4 Abbreviations

BUPT	Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications
CMDI	China Mobile Group Design Institute Co. Ltd., CMDI, China
CTTL	China Telecommunication Technology Labs
EC-GIN	Europe-China Grid InterNetworking
EXIS	EXIS IT (Affiliation Name)
INRIA	Institut National de Recherche en Informatique et Automatique
ISCAS	Institute of Software, Chinese Academy of Sciences
JIM	Justinmind
STREP	Specific Targeted Research or Innovation Project
UIBK	Universität Innsbruck
U.K.	United Kingdom
ULANC	Lancaster University
UniS	University of Surrey
UniZH	University of Zürich

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