

Panel discussion

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- How can the user communities drive the long term strategy for their e-Infrastructure needs
- How can the collaboration between different e-infrastructures be optimized?
- Do collaborations between different e-infrastructures make sense?
- User participation in the innovation of e-Infrastructure services and governance: which role do user communities envisage?
- Contributing to the costs of e-Infrastructures services:the user community view
- Should international organizations of e-Infrastructures join forces and share their common challenges in areas as: outreach, service registry, discovery and provisioning, financial and legal issues, business development and procurement issues

Session Classification: User representation and e-Infrastructure integration: opportunities and challenges