

**Minutes for the 11th meeting of the
Working Group for XML Musical Application**



WG_1599 – Working Group for XML Musical Application

A. Meeting information

Date and time: February 16, 2023 – 17.00 CEST (UTC+2)

Location: in-presence meeting at the Laboratory of Music Informatics, University of Milan and virtual meeting via Google Meet

Officer presiding: Goffredo Haus, WG chair

Co-officer: Luca A. Ludovico, WG vice-chair

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C. Call to order, Chair's remarks

The meeting begins at 17.00 CEST.
Goffredo Haus presides the meeting in his role of WG chair.
Goffredo Haus and other WG members welcome the invited people.

WG members are informed of the availability of a document titled “Policies and Procedures for WG_1599 - Working Group for XML Musical Application” in the IEEE 1599 website, at the following URL:

https://iee1599.lim.di.unimi.it/documentation/policies_and_procedures/policies_and_procedure_s.pdf

D. Approval of minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the previous meeting are approved by all participants.

E. Approval of agenda

The WG vice-chair, Luca A. Ludovico, introduced the agenda and approved by participants. The voting / non-voting status of the members is updated.

F. Technical topics

The first topic, introduced by Luca A. Ludovico, concerns the update of the IEEE 1599 WG logo and, consequently, of all its instances in the documentation and the website in order to meet the requests from IEEE. In particular, the word “IEEE” has been removed from the logo. The new version is the one shown on the first page of these meeting minutes.

The second topic concerns the final decision about a venue for the new edition of the MMRP workshop. Luca Turchet proposes to organize the workshop as a satellite event of the 4th International Symposium on the Internet of Sounds, Pisa, 26 - 27 October 2023 (https://internetofsounds.net/is2_2023/). The proposal is seconded by Luca A. Ludovico and approved by all the members attending the meeting. Luca A. Ludovico, with the help of Luca Turchet, will contact the organization of the Internet of Sounds symposium and will report on the discussion (concerning administrative, logistical, and scientific issues) during the next WG meeting.

Luca A. Ludovico recalls the roadmap toward the revision of the standard and highlights the importance to prepare a first draft to submit by June 2023.

Goffredo Haus presents some recent evolutions of the standard and, specifically, the achievement of automatic audio-to-score synchronization for IEEE 1599 implemented as a two-step process (raw onset detection + refinement). This scientific result will be proposed for publication at the Sound and Music Computing Conference 2023 (<https://smcnetwork.org/smc2023/>).

Goffredo Haus informs the WG about his contacts with Sony Italy as a potentially interested stakeholder.

G. Action items

No items.

H. Items reported out of executive session

No items.

I. Recesses and time of final adjournment

After the final remarks of the WG chair, the meeting ends at 18.00 CEST.

J. Next meeting - date, time, and location

The next meeting is tentatively fixed for the end of March.