

**Minutes for the 12<sup>th</sup> meeting of the  
Working Group for XML Musical Application**



WG\_1599 – Working Group for XML Musical Application

## **A. Meeting information**

Date and time: May 12, 2023 – 17.00 CEST (UTC+2)

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

Officer presiding: Goffredo Haus, WG chair

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

Secretary: Adriano Baratè

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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\\_procedures.pdf](https://iee1599.lim.di.unimi.it/documentation/policies_and_procedures/policies_and_procedures.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 meeting starts with 3 presentations by WG members:

Davide Andrea Mauro

“We’re only in it for the XML (cit.): The format and its perception in the Music Informatics Community”

Daniel Spreadbury

“Current status of MusicXML and MNX work in the W3C Music Notation Community Group”

Shlomo Dubnov

“Generative models for machine improvisation and their integration into IEEE1599”

After the presentations, Luca A. Ludovico invites other WG members to comment on the call for papers for the International Workshop on Multilayer Music Representation and Processing (MMRP23). The final details are discussed and the call for papers is published online on the dedicated website, <https://mmrp23.lim.di.unimi.it/>

The roles and the persons to involve are decided. Davide A. Mauro, in his role as program chair, will help form the scientific committee and contact external members.

#### **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 18.20 CEST.

## **J. Next meeting - date, time, and location**

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