

## Meeting of 06 March 2009 with the FIA caretakers in Brussels

### Main conclusions of the meeting

- The meeting served as an opportunity to explain and hopefully clarify the planned and/or expected work of the FIA caretakers from now to FIA Prague. In particular, the following issues have been addressed:
  - The time line of work from now to FIA Prague and beyond and the links between the FIA process and the internal work that DG INFSO is now carrying out on the definition of the content of the next ICT WP (2011-2013). Such work is carried out by the DG INFSO Task Force on the Content of the Future Internet or shortly, FI Content TF, as presented to the FIA caretakers in the meeting held in Brussels on 06 FEB 09.

The enclosed PowerPoint presentation on a "Methodology of work towards FIA Prague" clarifies these aspects.
  - The methodology of work that the FI Content TF has put in place: this concerns in particular the way to move from the provided FIA input scenarios to functionalities and later on to interdisciplinary research challenges and to underlying research priorities
- Overall, this methodology of work was well received from the FIA caretakers, with the following additional remark: in the work carried out so far in terms of emerging functionalities, those functionalities addressing the network layers should be explicitly reported.
- The FIA Prague agenda was presented and feedback was collected from the FIA caretakers - the EC will soon circulate the revised agenda of the event and invite all the FIA projects to participate
- A "Newspaper"-like brochure presenting life in 2024 is under preparation and will be disseminated at the FIA event of 11 May. The input of the FIA caretakers was solicited [for further details, see enclosed EC presentation on "Meeting with the FIA Caretakers"]
- The planning of activities agreed at the meeting from now to FIA Prague is detailed in the enclosed PowerPoint presentation on a "Methodology of work towards FIA Prague"