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ACTION ID:	<p>ACT – Those who need a visa to Finland need to send a request to the host in Helsinki. Make plans to attend and provide input on agenda items. Logistics details are in document N3939. Contact persons at SFS:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Ms. Hillevi Vuori</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Ms. Sari Lamminaho</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">e-mail: hillevi.vuori@sfs.fi</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">e-mail: sari.lamminaho@sfs.fi</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">tel. +358 40 356 8003</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">tel. +358 9 1499 3466</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">fax +358 9 146 4925</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">fax +358 9 146 4925</td> </tr> </table> <p>Visa Processing: Visitors from a number of countries will be required to have a valid passport and a valid visa. The visas must be obtained before departure and the applications should be made to a Finnish Embassy or Consulate in your country of residence. For further information, see the internet site of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Finland: http://formin.finland.fi/Public/default.aspx?contentid=69601&nodeid=15716&contentlan=2&culture=en-US If you need a letter of invitation, please contact Ms. Hillevi Vuori or Ms. Sari Lamminaho at SFS (details above).</p>		Ms. Hillevi Vuori	Ms. Sari Lamminaho	e-mail: hillevi.vuori@sfs.fi	e-mail: sari.lamminaho@sfs.fi	tel. +358 40 356 8003	tel. +358 9 1499 3466	fax +358 9 146 4925	fax +358 9 146 4925
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This is the first call for WG2 meeting # 58 from 6-10 June 2011 in Helsinki, Finland and an agenda outline. The WG2 meeting starts at 10:00 am Monday, 6 June 2011 and conclude by noon time Friday 0 June 2011. ***The SC2 plenary is planned for Friday afternoon 10 June 2011. The call and the agenda will be announced by SC2 Secretariat.***

The objective of this meeting is to continue the WG2 program of work, with focus on the 3rd edition of ISO/IEC 10646 FCD and PDAM 1. Contributions, including ones that have been carried forward will be reviewed as well.

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Agenda Outline – Meeting # 58

Topic (Document No.)	Proposed Outcome
1. Opening and roll call	<i>Update WG2Distribution List</i>
2. Approval of the agenda	<i>Approved agenda</i>
3. Approval of minutes of meeting 57	<i>Approved Minutes</i>
4. Review action items from previous meeting	<i>Updated Action Item List</i>
5. JTC1 and ITTF matters:	FYI
6. SC2 matters:	FYI
6.1. SC2 Program of Work	FYI
6.2. Submittals to ITTF	FYI
6.3. Ballot results	FYI
7. WG2 matters:	
8. IRG status and reports	
9. Script contributions related to ballots:	
10. Script contributions not related to ballots	
11. Ballots disposition of comments	
11.1. <u>FCD</u> - 3 rd edition	
11.2. <u>PDAM1</u> - 3 rd edition	
12. Architecture issues	
13. Publication issues	
14. Defect reports	
15. Liaison reports	
15.1. Unicode Consortium	
15.2. IETF	
15.3. SC22	
15.4. W3C	
15.5. SEI	
16. Other business	
16.1. Web Site Review	
16.2. Future Meetings	
16.2.1. Meeting 59 – 1 st Quarter 2012, Mountain View, CA, USA (pending confirmation), Germany (as backup)	
16.2.2. Meeting 60 – 4 th Quarter 2012, Germany (pending confirmation), Thailand (Backup)	
16.2.3. Meeting 61 – 2 nd Quarter 2013 – Looking for host	
17. Closing	
17.1. Approval of Resolutions of Meeting 58	
17.2. Adjournment	

LOGISTIC INFORMATION

Here are the logistic details for the ISO/IEC JTC1/SC2/WG2 Meeting 58 and SC2 plenary meeting in Helsinki, Finland, 2011-06-06/10.

Dates June 6th–10th, 2011

Host & Location

Finnish Standards Association (SFS)

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The SFS premises are located in the Helsinki city centre. There is a wide range of hotels, restaurants and shops within walking distance.



See also Google

maps:<http://maps.google.com/maps?q=Malminkatu+34,+00100+Helsinki,+Suomi&ll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=23.875,57.630033&ie=UTF8&q=&hnear=Malminkatu+34,+00100+Helsinki,+Suomi&z=16>

Registration

Please confirm your participation by May 18th by sending an e-mail to Ms. Toshiko Kimura (kimura@itscj.ipsj.or.jp) or a fax to +81 3 3431 6493. Please send a copy to the convener Mr. Mike Ksar (mikeksar@gmail.com) and SFS (it-info@sfs.fi or fax +358 9 146 4925).

Entry Visas

Visitors from a number of countries will be required to have a valid passport and a valid visa. The visas must be obtained before departure and the applications should be made to a Finnish Embassy or Consulate in your country of residence. For further information, see the internet site of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Finland:

<http://formin.finland.fi/Public/default.aspx?contentid=69601&nodeid=15716&contentlan=2&culture=en-US>

If you need a letter of invitation, please contact Ms. Hillevi Vuori or Ms. Sari Lamminaho at SFS (details above).

Hotels

SFS has made a block reservation at the Radisson Blu Royal hotel. Please make your hotel reservation directly at the hotel.

In order to have your room with the contracted rate, please quote the client code when making the reservation.

Recommended hotel:
Radisson Blu Royal http://www.radissonblu.com/royalhotel-helsinki
Address: Runeberginkatu 2, 00100 Helsinki
- two minutes walk from SFS premises
Standard 154 € / night
The rates are valid June 5 th –10 th when reserved by May 18 th , 2011. Client code SC2 . Please note that the number of rooms at this rate is limited.
The rates include a Super Breakfast buffet during normal opening hours (VAT 23%), service, room charge VAT (9%) and sauna. High-speed and/or wireless Internet access is free of charge for all guests throughout the hotel.
Payment: Cash or credit card
Reservations: Central Sales Services
Telephone: +358 20 1234 700 / individual room reservations
Telefax: +358 20 1234 740
E-mail: reservations.finland@RadissonBlu.com
Please quote the client code SC2 when making a booking.

Other hotels with special rates within walking distance:

Hotel Scandic Simonkenttä

<http://www.scandichotels.com/en/Hotels/Countries/Finland/Helsinki/Hotels/Scandic-Simonkentta/?redirected=true>

- ten minutes walk from SFS premises

Client code **D000006032**

Please check the best daily rates (Corporate Saver) at: www.scandichotels.fi

by using the booking code "D000006032" or phone +358 (0)800 0 6969/Scandic reservations centre.

Sokos Hotel Presidentti <http://www.sokoshotelpresidentti.fi/en/index.html>

- ten minutes walk from SFS premises

Client code **SFS**

The rates for the year 2011 will be completed later.

Hotel Helka <http://www.helka.fi/>

- five minutes walk from SFS premises

Client code **SFS**

The rates for the year 2011 will be completed later.

Getting to the city centre from the Helsinki-Vantaa airport

Buses and taxis are reliable and safe to use in Finland.

Bus services from the Helsinki-Vantaa airport take you to Helsinki city centre and back comfortably and rapidly. The trip to Helsinki city centre by bus 615 or Finnair City Bus takes approximately 35 minutes and costs around 6 €. Both the lines run to Helsinki Central Railway Station, situated within 15 minutes walk from the SFS premises.

The taxi journey from the airport to the centre of Helsinki takes about 30 minutes and costs about 35-40 €. The taxi stations are located right outside the arrival areas of the terminals. There are also three taxi operators at the Helsinki-Vantaa airport that offer special taxi services, fixed fare shared taxis and tours and chartered drives. See the service map for details: <http://www.helsinki-vantaa.fi/servicemap>

Electricity The electric current in Finland is 220 V (230 V), 50 Hz. A two-pin plug system familiar throughout Europe is used.

Weather The average daytime temperature in Helsinki in the beginning of June is around +15 °C, but the temperature may vary between +10 °C and +20 °C.

You can check the Helsinki five day weather forecast at Finnish Meteorological Institute's site:

<http://www.fmi.fi/weather/local.html?Keywords=&station=2934¶m=4&map=1&place=Helsinki>

Currency & Credit Cards

The Finnish currency is the Euro (€), with 100 cents (c) = 1,00 €.

Most major credit cards are accepted in hotels, restaurants and shops. However, some shops may not accept payment by credit card.

Tourism For tourist attractions and leisure activities in Helsinki, please visit the Helsinki official tourism site:

http://www.visithelsinki.fi/In_English/Visitor/Helsinki/Welcome_to_Helsinki!.iw3

See also the Visit Finland site:

<http://www.visitfinland.com/en/web/guest/finland-guide/home>