

Jakarta EE Spec Committee - December 10th, 2025

Attendees (present in bold):

Kenji Kazumura - Fujitsu - Takahiro Nagao

Emily Jiang - IBM - Tom Watson

Ed Bratt - Oracle - Dmitry Kornilov

Andrew Pielage (chair) - Payara

David Blevins - Tomitribe - Jean-Louis Monteiro, **Cesar Hernandez**

Ivar Grimstad - PMC Representative

Arjan Tijms - Omnifish OU - Elected Participant Member Representative

Werner Keil - Committer Member

Jun Qian - Primeton Information Technologies - Enterprise Member

Zhai Luchao - Shandong Cvicse Middleware Co. - Enterprise Member

Guest - Jakarta EE 12 co-release coordinators: **Jared Anderson, James Perkins**

Eclipse Foundation: **Tanja Obradovic**

Past business / action items:

- Approval is requested for the minutes from the October 29th, 2025 meeting as drafted - **Approved**
- Approval is requested for the minutes from the November 12th, 2025 meeting as drafted - **Approved**

Agenda:

- [Jakarta EE 12 Update](#) [Jared Anderson]
 - [Dashboard](#)
 - M2 deadline: Deadline moved to January 27th
 - Not enough specs ready for publication
 - OSSRH progress being made

- Testing of staging underway
 - MicroProfile namespace: ballot didn't pass
 - Discussions to continue in the new year
- Ongoing tracking [spreadsheet](#) of specifications progressing through the [JESP](#) specification version [lifecycle](#)
 - Carry over from previous call:
 - Progress reviews for Jakarta Config and RPC overdue.
 - Jakarta Config approaching two years overdue
 - Jakarta RPC approaching three years overdue
- Jakarta EE 11 Platform Retrospective
 - Discuss action items, if any, which require the spec committee to follow up on
- Issue [#55](#) - TCK Archive Format [Ed Bratt]
 - Check in on Ed Bratt's PR: *pending*
- Issue [#74](#) - TCK challenge automatic acceptance - [Ed Bratt]
 - Check on progress of specifications - set as a goal for M2
- Issue [#58](#) - TCK challenge templates [Andrew Pielage]
 - Check on progress of pull requests - set as a goal for M2
- Issue [#82](#) - Consistent approach for TCK challenge exclusions [Ed Bratt]
 - Carry over from February 19th: TCK Process should be updated with something akin to Scott Starks suggestion.
- Issue [#85](#) - Document Jenkins Maven Publication Jobs [Emily Jiang]
 - Specifications having wiki pages (or equivalent documentation) goal for M2
 - Carry over from previous call: Needs to be brought up in the Platform call and/or poke projects leads via email
- Issue [#86](#) - Simplify Compatibility Certification Requests [Ivar Grimstad]
 - Carry over from previous call
 - Example to be created

- Ivar to reach out to understand the complaints
- Issue [#83](#) - Clean Up And Clarify How To List TCK Service Releases On Specification Pages
 - Feedback has come in now that the PR has been merged
 - Discussions ongoing on how to track changes between TCK service release versions
 - There's already a changelog file they can update, it's just not mentioned on the PR template file
 - https://github.com/jakartaee/specifications/blob/master/service_release_pr_template.md vs. https://github.com/jakartaee/specifications/blob/master/.github/PULL_REQUEST_TEMPLATE/service_release_pr_template.md
 - It needs to be clear which changes are for the API service releases vs. the TCK service releases
 - An issue to be created for further discussion [Ivar]
- Next call to be held on the 7th Jan
- Review other [open issues](#):
 - Determine which issues to label as “enhancement” and add to our [board](#)
 - Close issues which are no longer relevant or have been dealt with