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- Some concerns from the WG on charter of EIX

- EIX WG has been a great success
  - Formation of Euro-IX and EPF

- Original scope needs to change

- Requirement from RIPE community to broaden existing scope

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- Proposal to dissolve EIX WG

- Consensus from the WG to dissolve EIX and create a BoF

- **A BIG Thank You to EIX WG Chairs Fearghas McKay and Andy Davidson**

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- Organisers of BoF are:
  - Ren Provo, Apple
  - Mauro Magrassi,Mix Milan
  - Edwin Punt, NL-IX
  - Martin Levy, Hurricane Electric
  - Nina Bargisen, Netflix

"Connect BOF"

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- "Connect BOF" – proposed name

- Dual purpose of the BOF
  - Discuss and agree on Charter for a future Connect-wg
  - Present content that may belong in the Connect-wg

Connect BOF initial Topic list

- IP interconnection

- Voice & Data (IPX/GRX)

- Regulation and the Internet

- State of the Internet

- New development in the IXP landscape (not marketing)

- EURO-IX slot about ISP tools and where to find IXP status

- Data center ecosystem

- Interconnecting best practices

- Interconnections in emerging markets

- Technical topics related to interconnections

- Cross border, terrestrial and undersea cables

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- A future Connect-wg will have overlaps with at least Cooporation-wg and perhaps others

  - Will be discussed in BOF

JOIN the Connect BOF

- Connect-BOF   at RIPE68

- Mailing list:
  - Connect-bof@ripe.net