

T-Mobile International  
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To: Susanna Kooistra, Maurice Pope  
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Dear Susanna, dear Maurice,

On behalf of T-Mobile International AG, member of 3GPP through ETSI, it is my pleasure to announce that Mr Michele Zarri wishes to stand for the position of vice chairman of TSG SA at the upcoming elections during the SA-43 meeting in Biarritz (France).

After graduating in Telecommunications engineering at the University of Pisa (Italy) and completing his studies at the King's college of London (UK) in 1996, Michele joined the Fujitsu Research and Development Centre where he worked on the physical layer of WCDMA and supported the standardization team mostly in the RAN groups. In 1999 Michele joined One 2 One Personal Communications (soon to become T-Mobile UK) where he started to work on service aspects. In the same year Michele started to participate to TSG SA WG1 as well as other committees such as GSMA SerG, MMS Task force and many more all dealing with service requirements. Michele has been serving 2 terms as chairman of 3GPP TSG SA WG1 leading the group through a difficult transition period following the start of the OMA group. Under his leadership SA1 completed the stage 1 for two 3GPP releases and saw its participation and number of specifications created soaring. During the past two years Michele has been an active contributor to the TSG SA WG2 group where he expanded his knowledge of the 3GPP system to the architecture aspects, mostly working on IMS.

If elected, Michele will offer his support to the elected TSG SA chairman and by helping in the preparation of the meeting as well as in chairing ad hoc sessions if necessity arises.

T-Mobile International will provide Mr Michele Zarri the necessary support to fulfil his duties as chairman of TSG SA.

Yours Sincerely

Heinz Polsterer

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