Scott,

Yes, I know that our researcher on that project, Lesley McAllister, has had several conversations with folks at NIST, including Gordon Gillerman. We have also reached out to Mary Saunders about the project, and NIST filed comments (via Gordon) and attended last week’s meeting of the Committee on Collaborative Governance, which is considering the project.

Best,
Emily

Emily,

Good news from NIST. Do you know what lines may already be established between ACUS and NIST on the third-party project?

Best
Scott

(1) Below sounds like a terrific idea! If the third party project you mention is the one on govt agency use of third party CA programs, Gordon has been working with both the author and ACUS staff on this one. Please do reach out to Jim.

Mary,

Now that was a quick (and welcome) response…

While I have you, a couple of other issues I would like to run by you:

1) I have had a series of good meetings with Paul Verkuil and Emily Bremer at ACUS on
next steps on IBR. They would like to stay involved on that issue and perhaps expand their review of inter-agency public-private standardization issues. They have a third-party project that has been on the back-burner for a while that they would like to move on. They would be interested in jointly developing a presentation for the new Congress (late Jan. – early Feb. time frame) on the US public-private standardization system, NTTAA, etc. We both (spontaneously) came to the conclusion that having NIST involved would make a lot of sense. You may remember a few years back during WSW we held a “Standards 101” presentation in the House Cannon Caucus room, where Gordon, Joe and Jim Thomas spoke. This would be something like that by moved to early in the new year. The WSW steering group has already concluded at having an Oct event on the Hill makes no sense, so we have the buy-in for the new time. I am the lead of the WSW steering group for the Hill event. If this makes sense, I would like to reach out to Jim Schufreider to join Emily Bremer and myself to plan this event.

Thanks as always for your thoughts & advice.

Best
Scott

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Frances, I plan to participate. Thx. Mary

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Dear Committee Chairs,

This is a reminder that the monthly Chairs call will take place tomorrow at 2:30 pm. The attached agenda contains the call in information.

Please let me know if you plan to attend.

Best regards,
Frances

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