

# Sovrin Ecosystem Governance Framework Task Force

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## Mission

The purpose of the SEGF Task Force is to develop the Sovrin Ecosystem, a ToIP Layer 4 ecosystem whose purpose is to enable self-sovereign identity (SSI) as a [universal service](#). This Task Force is a sister effort to the [Sovrin Utility Governance Framework \(SUGF\) Task Force](#), a ToIP Layer 1 public utility to support the Sovrin Ecosystem and all other digital trust ecosystems.

For background on both the SEGF and SUGF, see [this document from the Sovrin Governance Framework Working Group](#). The governance authority for both the SEGF and SUGF is the [Sovrin Foundation](#), a U.S. 501(c)4 non-profit public trust organization.

## Deliverables

1. An [implementation plan](#) for the Sovrin Ecosystem Governance Framework, an evolutionary development of the existing [Sovrin Governance Framework V2](#).

## Chairs/Convenors

- [Drummond Reed](#)
- [Chris Raczkowski](#)

## Membership and Joining

Prior to participating in the meetings please ensure that you are a member of the Trust Over IP Foundation. Contributor level membership is available to anyone at no cost. Details can be found at [this link](#).

To join this TF, add your name to this list:

- [Drummond Reed](#), Evernym
- [Chris Raczkowski](#)
- [sankarshan](#)
- [Ken Adler](#)

## Meeting Schedule

This TF is expected to start scheduling meetings in October 2020. Subscribe to this page for updates.

## Milestones

Key milestones will include, but are not limited to: <TODO>

## Intellectual Property Rights (Copyright, Patent, Source Code)

As a Task Force (TF) of the Utility Foundry WG (UFWG), the GATF inherits the IPR terms from the [GSWG JDF Charter](#). These include:

- Copyright mode: [Creative Commons Attribution 4.0](#).
- Patent mode: [W3C Mode](#) (based on the [W3C Patent Policy](#)).
- Source code: [Apache 2.0](#), available at <http://www.apache.org/licenses/LICENSE-2.0.html>. The GSWG TA TF is not expected to produce source code.

## Mailing List and Communications

This task force uses the following for communications

- **Mailing List:** <TODO>
- **Slack:** <TODO>