OFA Developers’ Workshop: Wrap-up, feedback, action items

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What We Heard

• Cases for the OFIWG and OFVWG have been made
• NVM continues to be a key area of interest
• Ongoing, regular dialog with the national labs is needed. Paul will form the initial team
• A question for the User Group Workshop: is a new “User Working Group” needed?
• Storage at a distance should be investigated
• Several possible changes to the duration and format of the Workshop, e.g., WG F2F meetings were suggested for consideration
What We Heard (cont’d)

• Consider working with Red Hat is consistent with how we deal with SUSE to make sure our operations reflect OFED’s upstream status
• IoT seems to be worth some focused follow-up
• Possibly related to the above were observations related to the convergence of HPC and big data
• Virtualization should be investigated
• Initiate an outreach program to investigate getting classes on our technologies into college courses to help ensure we have future generations of individuals who can continue this work