Meeting #11

Jun 24, 2022

The following reflects the proceedings from the eleventh (11th) meeting held of the Software Transparency Foundation on June 24th , 2022 at 9am (CET).

The meeting was called to order by Mr. José María Lancho Rodríguez and was held via video conference.

ATTENDEES:

The following attendees participated in the meeting:

Mr. José María Lancho Rodríguez
Mr. Alberto Gomez
Mr. Julian Coccia

The following attendees, representing sponsors and guests, participated in the meeting:

Mr. Alec Zheng (Huawei)
Mr. Fernando García (Fg-tec)

AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Opening comments
Mr. Lancho Rodríguez thanked everyone for participating, and opened the meeting talking about the ISO/IEC 27001. The standard has gained a lot of traction lately due to increasing global cybersecurity concerns. Open Source constitutes 75% of software projects today (Source: The Forrester WaveTM, Software Composition Analysis, Q3 2021). Therefore, most of the security concerns come from the Open Source that makes part of our software. The Foundation's OSSKB.org service allows precise identification of Open Source components which constitutes the basis for an effective security vulnerability monitoring.

2. Sponsorship program
Mr. Lancho has updated the last draft of the University program application and will circulate soon. Dialogs are ongoing with universities in Mainland China, Spain and North America to expand the OSSKB mirror network.

3. Project Office Updates
Mr. Coccia presented updates from the project office.

The board revised the new OSSKB.org usage report and suggested modifications. The report will start being circulated automatically on a weekly basis.

Mr. Zheng proposed to contribute an API proxy that would improve the OSSKB.org throttling mechanisms to prevent abuse and to guarantee availability to all users. The contribution will be released as Open Source and will be tested in the upcoming days.

4. Marketing and events
Mr. Coccia gave a speech in the past FOSS North event in Gothemburg (virtual) and will give a speech today at EsLibre in Galicia (virtual) where he will introduce the Foundation projects to the audience. Mr. Coccia was also interviewed by the BlockchainFue cooperative from the University of Alicante and participated in two podcasts broadcasted by Pulsión Digital.

5. Closing comments
Mr. Lancho Rodríguez closed the meeting and scheduled the next meeting for July 29th at 9am (CET).