



**Wednesday December 7, 2016 10:00-11:00 am**

➤ **Welcome & Introduction**

- Meryem Simsek – present
- Mischa Dohler – excused
- Latif Ladid – excused
- Falko Dressler - present

➤ **Approval of the Agenda**

- Approved

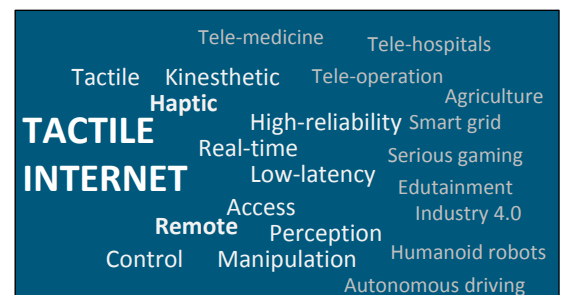
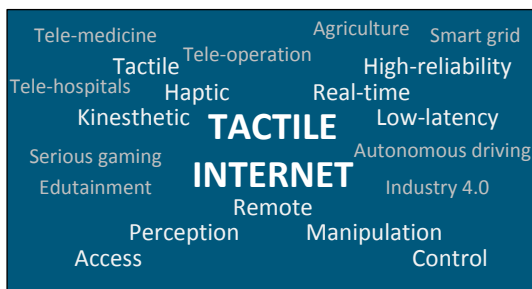
➤ **Highlights of the Sub-Committee Meeting (ICC 2016)**

- Request to inform the TI chair about activities, workshops, tutorials, etc. to add this information to the website
- More publicity is requested
- Discussion on the TI logo (to be continued at Globecom 2016 meeting)
- Talks by Mischa Dohler, Frank Fitzek, Oliver Holland

➤ **Updates on the Tactile Internet Activities**

- Overview about workshop/tutorial activities
  - Request: Please, link the workshop websites to the TI-committee website so the workshop can be counted to be supported by the TI-committee
- Special issue in *Proceedings of IEEE* under preparation
- Please, contact the chair in case of interest for contribution and provide pot. author list and title (plus abstract if applicable)
- Special issue in *IEEE CommMag Communications Standards Supplement* under preparation
- Applied for a Tactile Internet Track within SAC at Globecom 2018

- Workshops should be merged into this track if track application will be accepted
- Discussion on the logo:
  - The Logo discussed at ICC'16 is too GUI-like and haptic oriented. It will be replaced by a new logo.
  - VP will ask professionals to design a logo for the TI TSC
  - The following logos were presented based on the received feedback during the ICC'16 meeting



- In general, the logos received positive feedback, but there was a discussion on using these to highlight the aspects TI captures rather than using them as a TI-logo. They are too complex for a logo. It has been decided to use one of the alternatives on the website's home tab directly at the top
- Discussion on the website:
  - The TI definition will be shifted to the top.
  - The demos and events should be on a separate tab
  - More activities will be added to the website, once received
  - There was a request to create a Tactile Internet article at Wikipedia, so that any misunderstanding can be avoided and more publicity is achieved
  - Add the ITU-T watch report under 'standardization'
- Updates on standardization activities was presented, mainly wrt ETSI
  - Toshiba Europe Research, Bristol UK officially joined the activities

## ▶ **Teaser talk on TouCHES**

- ▶ Prof. Carlo Fischione from KTH Sweden gave a teaser talk on the TouCHES project: Tactile CyberpHysical nEtworKS
- ▶ The TouCHES is a Swedish funded project
- ▶ Prof. Fischione also presented a new startup on smart music <http://www.mindmusiclabs.com/mind/>

## ▶ **Updates on the Tactile Internet IEEE standardization activities (Oliver Holland)**

- ▶ Dr. Oliver Holland gave an overview on IEEE standardization activities and invited the attendees to join the first kick-off meeting of the IEEE P1918.1.1 Haptic Codecs standards group
- ▶ Dr. Holland highlighted that there is a huge interest to contribute to the IEEE P1918.1 working group
- ▶ More projects and contributions within the working group is expected in the near future. The presented slides are online available at the TI-website.

## ▶ **Any other Business**

- ▶ The attendees were informed about the evaluation outcome of the ETC. The TI TSC will continue as a TSC and be evaluated for full TC by 2017. The outlook of the evaluation was very positive
- ▶ Number of members increased from 75 to 120 since the ICC'16 meeting
- ▶ A brief wrap-up of the meeting
- ▶ next meeting will be held at ICC 2017

## ▶ **Meeting ended at 11:15 am**