



ISO Breakout Session

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Consideration of New Work Item Proposals

- TC and SC secretaries could require NWIPs to be complete and meaningful
- TCs and SCs could set up advisory groups to review all NWIPs
- TCs and SCs might be allowed to set their own NWIP approval requirements

How can US/TAGs enhance the value of participating in the US/TAG and in ISO working groups?

- Make it possible and/or easy for experts to focus on the projects they're interested in
- Recognize experts' service and contributions
- Help develop future experts, especially undergraduate engineering students

How can US-based secretariats of ISO technical committees and subcommittees more successfully interact with ISO TPMs and editing staff?

- Enhance teamwork among Chair, Secretary and ISO TPM
- Take advantage of organizational changes at ISO that have resulted in TPMs and editors working together as a team
- Invite TPMs to attend meetings (when necessary)

How many US/TAGs have a formal strategy?

- Not many US/TAGs have formal strategies
- One that does uses the U.S. Standards Strategy for guidance