

## **Driving Secure Interoperability Support amongst Baseline Functionalities of Public Cloud Offerings**

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Cloud Computing has offered several benefits that SMEs can strategically leverage by doing a paradigm shift in their IT development and operations. However, as ever, there are several pitfalls including vendor lockin, lack of interoperability, portability and federated deployability support. In this BoF session, we would like the participants throw up possible best practices, engage and debate its wider applicability across various markets within Asia and the world at large and across various vertical domains. In addition, we will examine similar efforts put in by contemporary standards bodies and share their experiences.

Agenda:

1. Introduction
2. Cloud computing usage across Asian SMEs
3. Key challenges faced by the Asian SMEs in leveraging the Cloud computing services - IaaS, PaaS and SaaS.
4. Best Practices for successful leverage
5. Learnings
6. Session Wrap-up.

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