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# All Activity Meeting Introduction

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- **Special All Activity Meeting dedicated to the preparation of the next phase of the project**
  - ➔ **But don't forget we have an ongoing project!!**
- **Welcome to the Collaboration Board members**
- **Major work ongoing for the preparation of phase 2**
  - Parallel work with the PEB and PMB, converging in this All Activity Meeting
  - Next PMBs on 13 July and 25 July, to finalise Consortium composition, budget and proposal content
  - August will be spent fine-tuning the proposal
- **SUBMISSION DUE ON 8 SEPTEMBER 2005**

- **In parallel, EGEE's incubator role continues:**
  - 44 projects submitted at the March 17<sup>th</sup> call
  - 18 made direct or indirect reference to EGEE
  - EGEE partners participate in 11
  - CERN intends to participate in ~ 8
- **India, South Africa, Australia: will probably participate indirectly with EGEE (through SSAs led by EGEE partners)**

- **The project directorship will change on November 1<sup>st</sup>**
- **A search committee has been set-up by CERN to find a replacement**
- **The new director will closely follow the Proposal preparation and submission process**
- **Handover at the last EGEE conference in Pisa in October**

- **This All Activity Meeting will enable you to understand:**
  - The feedback from the CB on EGEE
  - The general vision and mission of the EGEE-II proposal
  - Each activity's evolution in phase II
- **EGEE has accomplished a lot so far...**
- **Tremendous opportunity to continue to grow and be successful in delivering science with the very best computing infrastructure.**
- **Carry on the good work and have a fruitful meeting!**