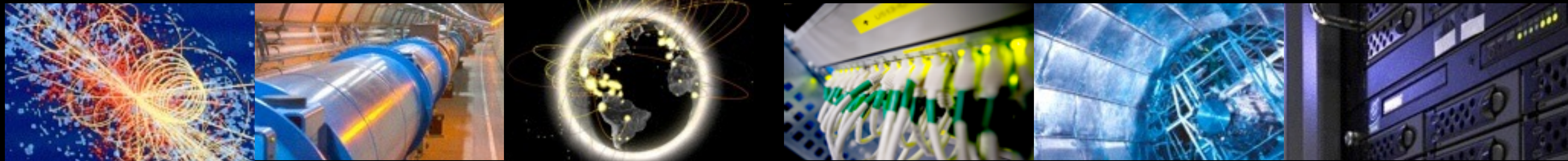


# Security update

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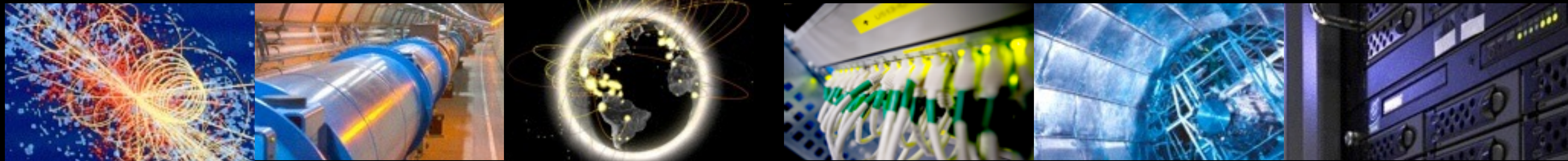


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# Singularity & Security

Traceability & isolation





# From gLExec to Singularity?

- gLExec: User traceability and isolation
  - User authenticated through X.509 proxies
  - Remote calls for audit and ACLs (suspension)
- Singularity: Pure isolation solution
  - No traceability provided, no remote call to Argus
  - End-user authentication (X.509 proxy) not required
    - Can still be needed for e.g. storage access
      - But maybe we can evolve to do without / differently?



# How to maintain traceability?

- Trust the VO framework & pilot jobs
  - If Singularity is properly used, pilot is protected from user payload
  - VO infrastructure already used for operational issues
- Ask VO to provide user traceability
  - Results of first basic challenges encouraging
  - Challenges should be ran regularly
- Traceability still possible at site (if needed)
  - VO pilot could send user session start / end
  - User identifiable by artefacts in running jobs





# Long term support

- Isolation without SUID (unprivileged user namespaces) could come part of the OS as early as RHEL 7.4
  - All security parts handled by the kernel
  - Security issues handled by Red Hat
  - *New technology, could mean more critical kernel vulnerabilities*



# No remote call: ACLs / suspension?

- Singularity doesn't remotely call Argus
  - No central emergency suspension through Argus
  - User emergency suspension still possible through VOs
- ACLs / suspension still needed at sites:
  - For submitting jobs
    - Could be simpler if no local submission: only pilot jobs?
  - For storage?
    - Non proxy-based authentication already used by e.g. Alice
- Long term requirement for Argus at sites?



# Authorization working group

- Upcoming environmental changes impact our authorization system:
  - New General Data Protection Regulation
  - Identify federation
  - Singularity, Argus, etc.
  - OSG started to use COmanage





# Authorization working group

- Creation of a new time-limited WLCG working group on authorization
  - **Review** the current status and technologies
  - **Evaluate the needs** of the WLCG VOs and sites for the coming years
  - **Assess impact** of expected changes above
  - **Make recommendations** on the next steps (strategy, architecture, technologies)
  - Regular reports in the GDB
  - Open group: anyone interested invited!
    - In particular, crucial to involve OSG, VOMS and Argus maintainers!



# WLCG Personal Data Protection Policy

- New WLCG DPP available at
  - <https://documents.egi.eu/document/2732>
- Triggered by the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)
  - Will come in effect May 25<sup>th</sup> 2018
- What are the implications for VOs?
  - Need to review needs & requirements on usage of Personal Data
  - Prepare a “Privacy Policy” for end user on all service entry points
    - Template available

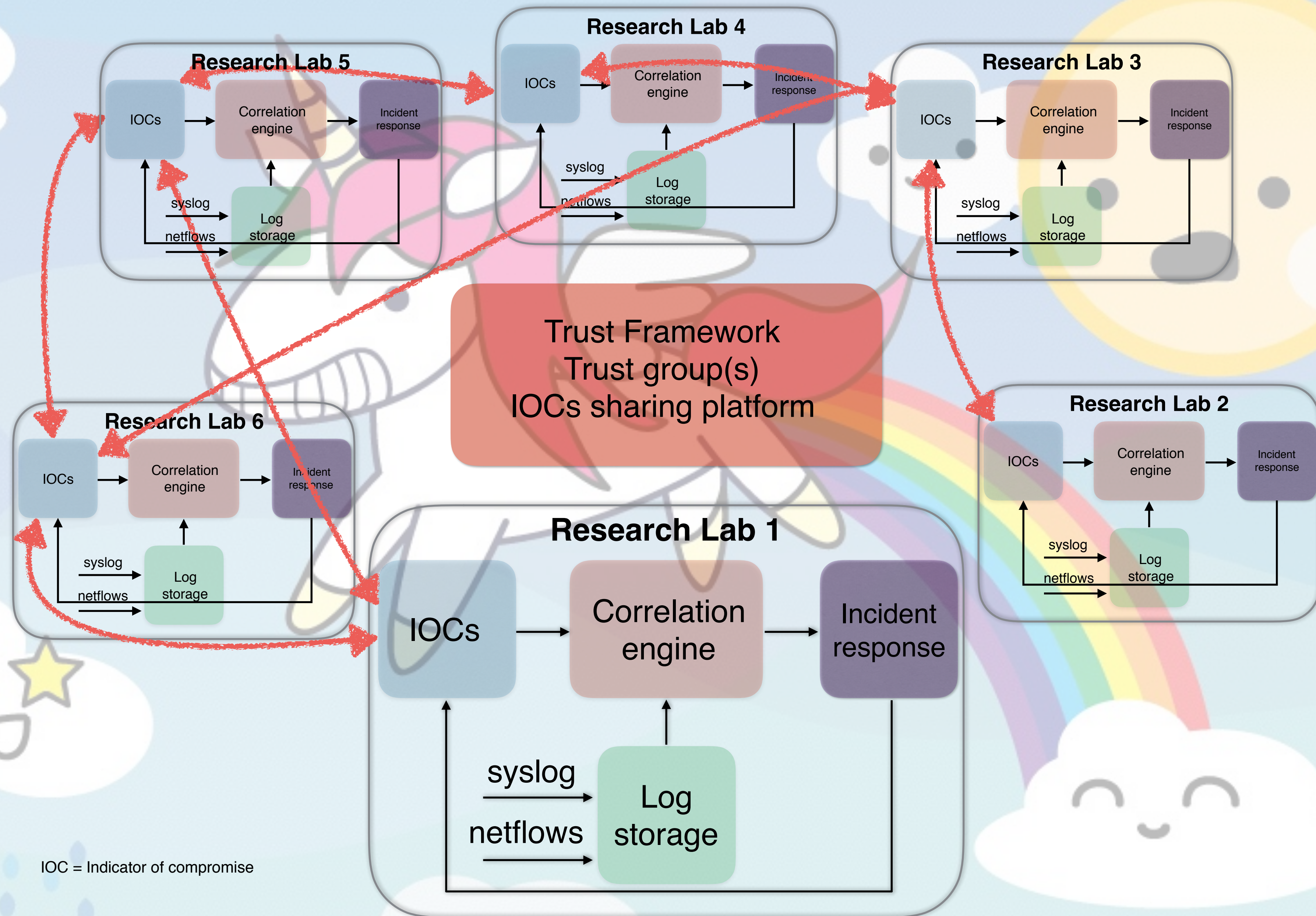
# Collaboration with, and between, security teams







# Conclusion from the last WLCG workshop







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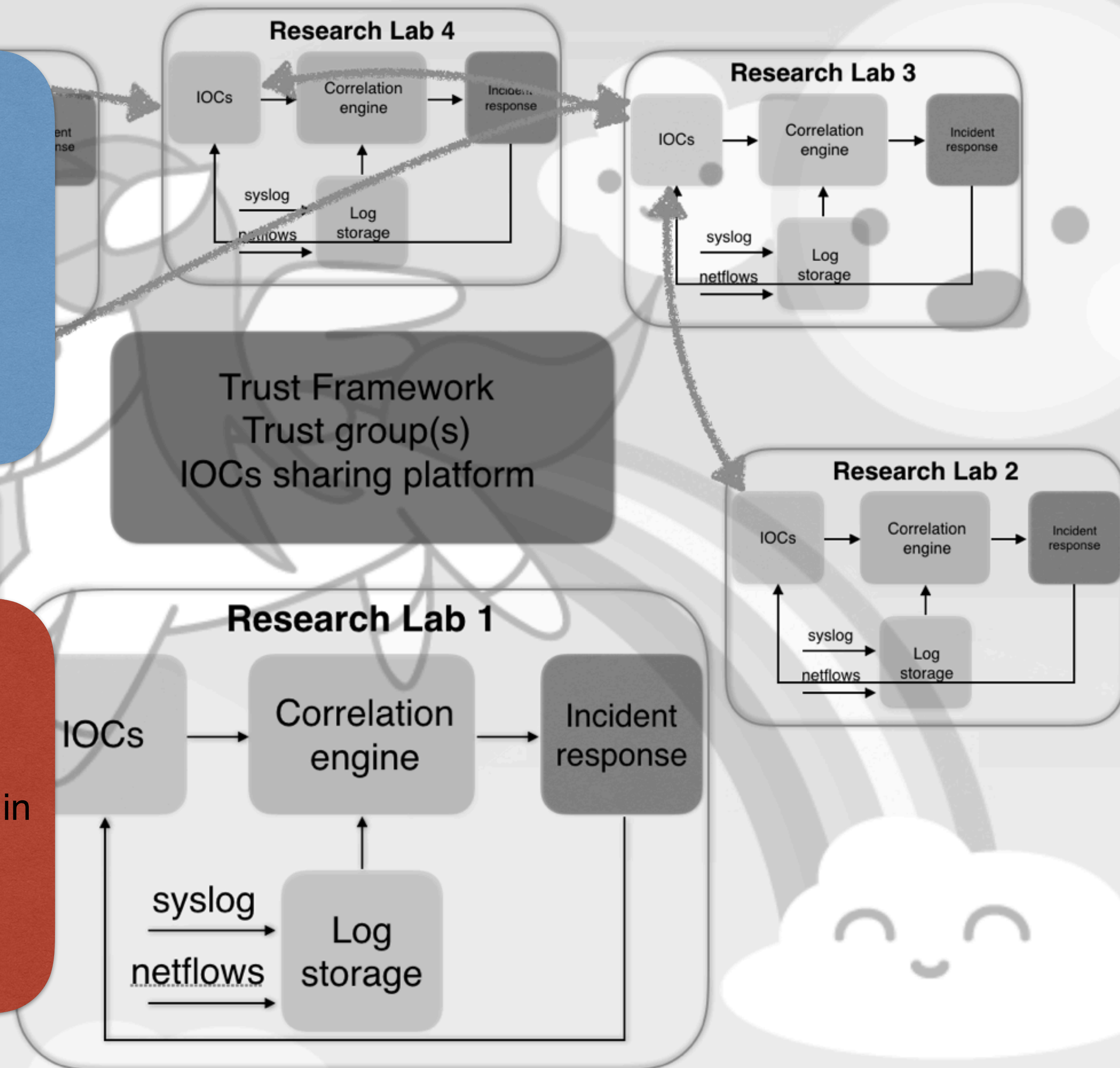
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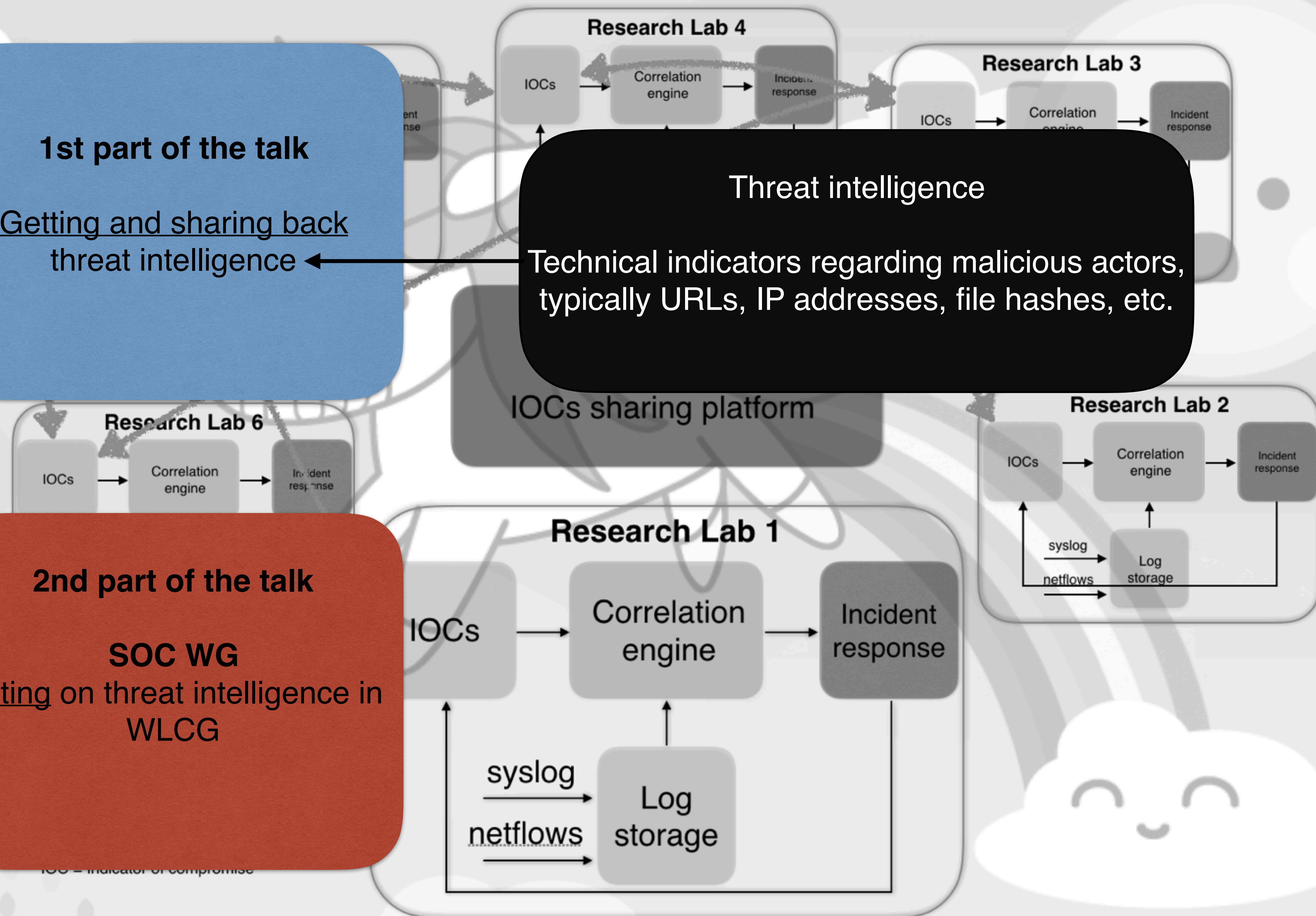
## Threat intelligence

Technical indicators regarding malicious actors,  
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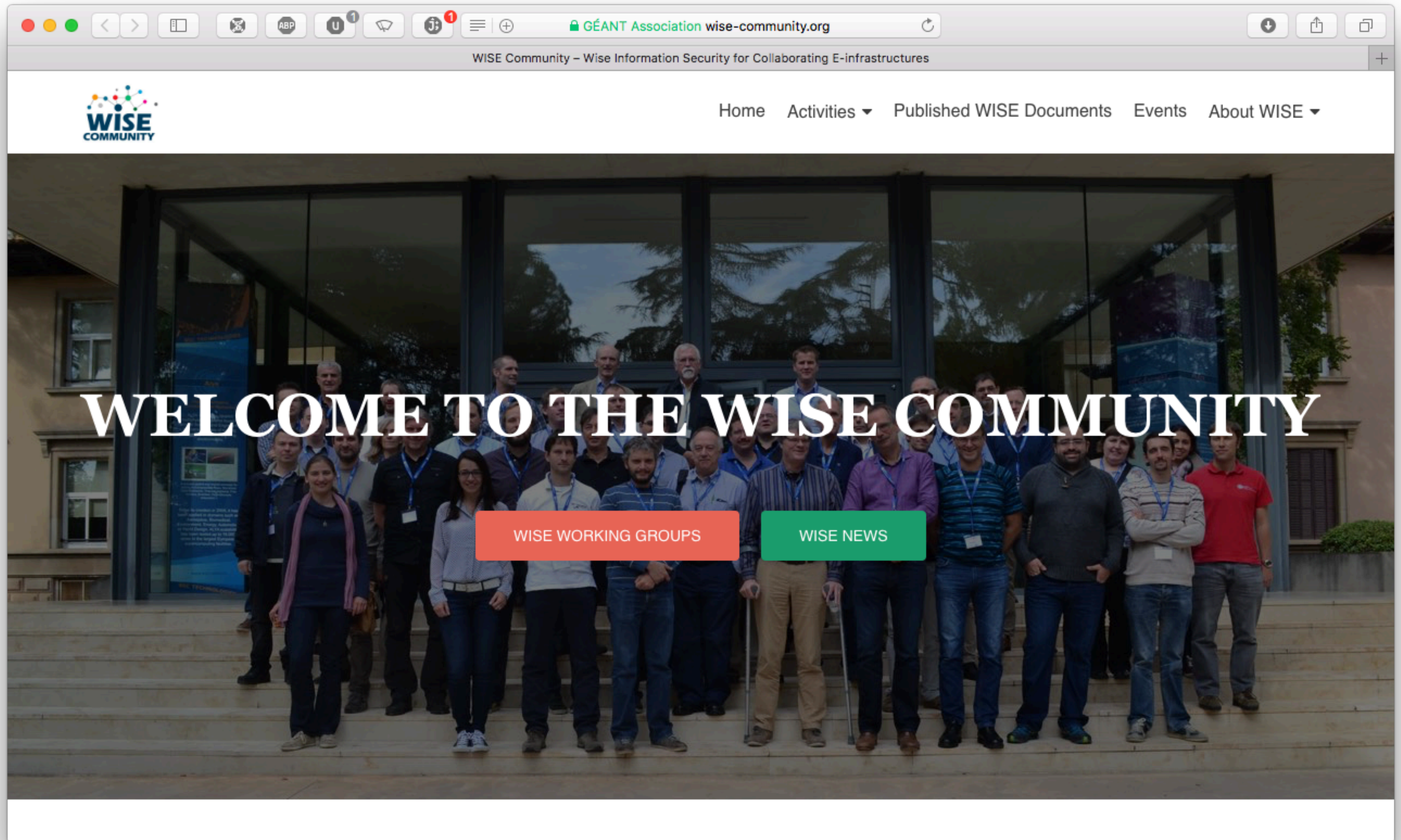
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# WISE Information Security for Collaborating E-infrastructures



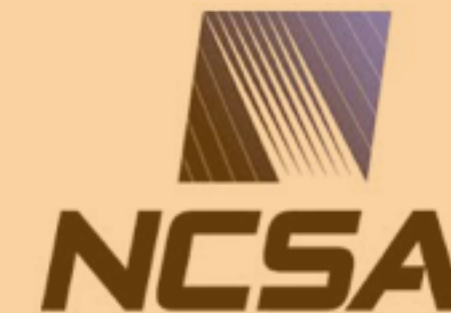




# Threat intelligence sharing

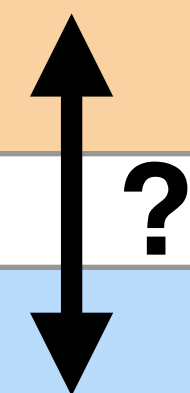


Human Brain Project



## Project-based sharing

Membership based on  
**affiliation**



## Adhoc sharing

Membership based  
**peer vetting**





# Newcomer: China



中国科学院  
CHINESE ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

- China Cyber Security Federation for High Energy Physics
  - "Chinese security federation"
  - Federation of Chinese institutes / universities / CAS
- Just getting started
  - WLCG and others will actively support the Chinese security federation
  - Crucial for HEP security operations
  - Valuable contacts and connections for other communities too
- Security Workshop 9-13 October 2017



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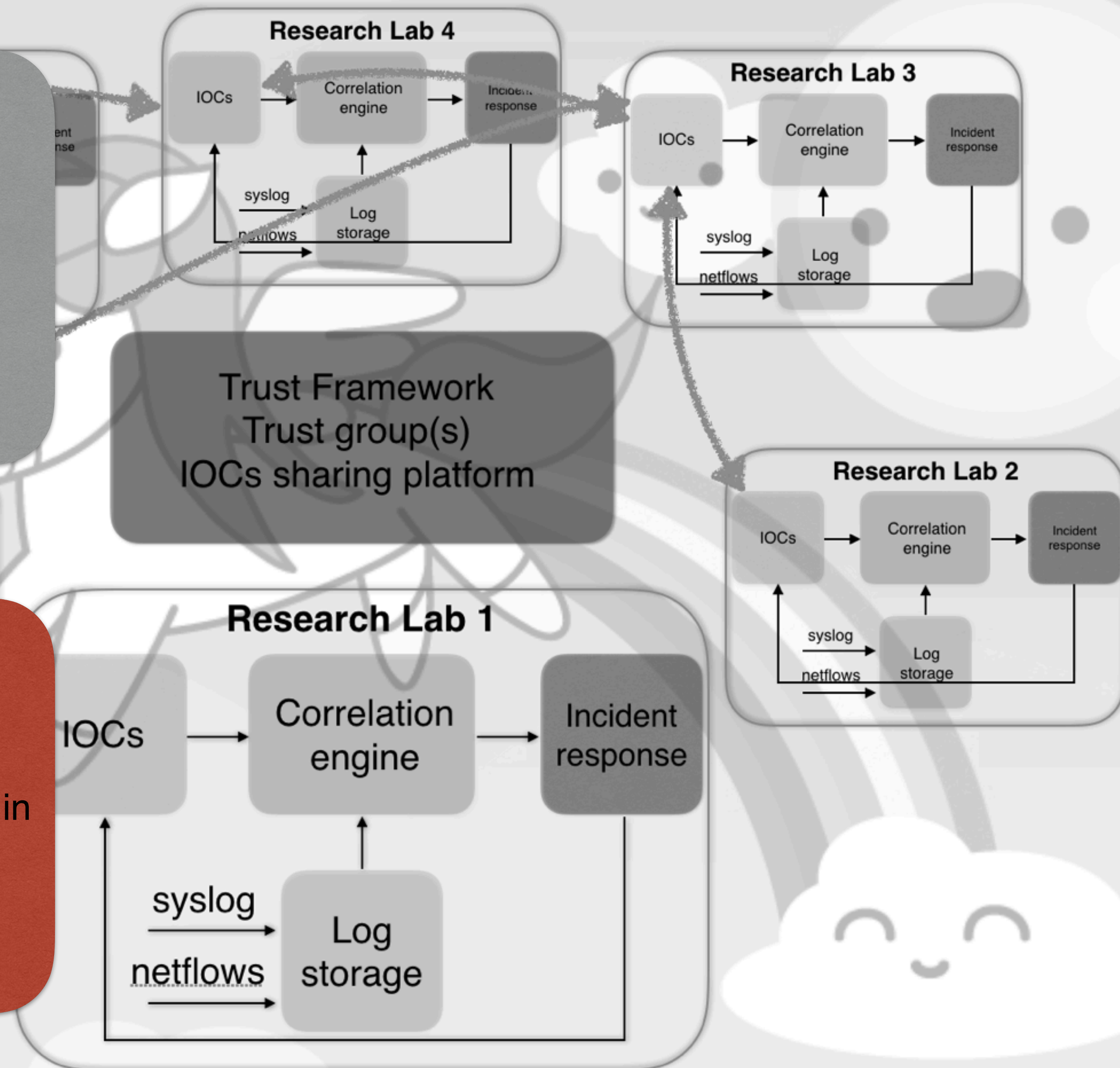
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# WLCG SOC Working Group

- A Security Operations Center (SOC) is a centralised system dealing with the detection, containment and remediation of IT threats.
- WLCG Security Operations Centers Working Group mandated to:
  - Create a scalable reference design applicable for a range of sites by examining current and prospective SOC projects & tools.
  - Establish a clear set of desired data outputs and necessary inputs.



# WLCG SOC WG Ongoing Activities

- Minimal viable product:
  - MISP (threat intelligence)
    - Deployed central MISP WLCG instance; instances at a number of sites
  - Bro IDS (intrusion detection and alerting)
    - Deployed at CERN and at number of sites
    - Different network topologies, usage metrics being gathered
- Examine Metron as a reference framework





# WLCG SOC WG Call for Participation

- Deployment of Bro and testing of integration with MISP
  - Using central WLCG MISP instance or local instance
- Validating various network setups and ways of tapping into the network traffic using Bro
- Collection of Bro logs and processing of alerts using tools / frameworks already available at the site (ELK for example)



# Details and how to join?

- Website: <https://wlcg-soc-wg.web.cern.ch>
- Indico category for [meetings](#)
- E-group: [wlcg-soc-wg](#)
- Mailing list: [wlcg-soc-wg@cern.ch](mailto:wlcg-soc-wg@cern.ch)