



# CREAM Migration Workshop follow-up

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- Cream support comes to its end by the end of 2020
- We still have time ahead of us for migration to other CE solutions. However, better not postpone it to the last moment, rather start working on it ASAP
- The CREAM Migration workshop has been organized by the WLCG and EGI operations during the EGI conference in Amsterdam
  - 2 sessions 90 minutes each
  - 12 talks
  - open discussion
  - 45 people attended
- In order to get more details:
  - Overview of the alternative CEs (HTCondor, ARC)
  - Overview of no-CE solutions + SIMPLE framework
  - Very good workshop summary from Pepe presented at the last GDB

# Next steps (1)

- According to WLCG CRIC we have 112 sites which run CREAM CEs used by at least one LHC VO. Sites of different tiers and size. Some of them already have other CE flavours running, others not.
- In order to get more information about site plans and preferences, WLCG operations sent around a site survey.

**We need site answers to be able to help with this migration in an efficient way!**

# Next steps (2)

- We plan to set up a task force to support sites in this migration
- The goals of the task force :
  - Provide complete and up-to-date documentation
  - Help in deployment troubleshooting, involving ARC and HTCondor experts and site admins who already faced and solved similar problems
  - Work on deployment improvements (containers, puppet modules, configuration instructions)
  - Follow up on the progress to make sure that the affected sites will have migrated by the autumn of 2020 at the latest
- Some people already expressed interest in taking part in the task force. We look for more volunteers
- Though the task force will concentrate on the WLCG sites, it will work in close collaboration with the EGI operations team, sharing documentation and expertise

# Questions / Comments / Suggestions?