

JT-NM: ENABLING THE BUSINESS BENEFITS

AMWA

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THE BUSINESS CHALLENGE

- **Acquire content** from a wide range of sources
- **Create versions** for a wide range of consumers and devices
- **Deliver content** through a wide range of distribution channels

THE GOAL – to Monetize Content
Quickly, Efficiently, Cost Effectively

THE ENABLING FRAMEWORK

Reference Architecture v1.0 created by the JT-NM

- Sets out an agreed framework and strategic approach on which technology solutions can be based
- Comprises a list of best practices, recommendations, and frameworks
- **CRITICAL COMPONENTS** - Identity, Timing, Flows & Grains, Common Models

Reference Architecture available at <http://jt-nm.org/RA-1.0>

TECHNOLOGIES FOR DELIVERY

Shown here and around the show

- Current developments associated with IP-based infrastructures, based around open standards and specifications
- SMPTE ST2110 qualified products
- Reference installations
- Building on SMPTE ST2110, AES-67, and AMWA NMOS developments

TECHNOLOGIES FOR DELIVERY

Also demonstrated here:

JT-NM Tech stack based on end user requirements set out by the EBU

- A set of Specifications to increase security and to ease installation and maintenance

New NMOS developments

- Specifications IS-07 Event & Tally and IS-08 Audio Channel Mapping
- Best current practices BCP-002 High Level Grouping and BCP-003 API Security

TECHNOLOGIES FOR DELIVERY

Future discussion and activity

- Looking beyond current implementations of IP-based architectures, the JT-NM Road Map considers future technologies “Dematerialized Facilities” (shown in green on graphic)
- These promise
 - to offer greater business agility and technical flexibility
 - without the need for traditional investment in specialised media devices.

WHAT ARE “DEMATERIALIZED FACILITIES”?

Two main sub-categories

- 1) **Cloud-fit** – Suitable for use in a cloud-based environment
 - On Demand – scalable, elastic, measurable
 - Security from the outset – Internet best-of-breed
 - Generic cloud infrastructure – ubiquitous/resilient/public APIs
 - Multi-cloud – private/public/multi-cloud vendor

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2) **Non-media specific IT**

- Self-describing APIs – well documented, fully functional
- Software-only
- Virtualizable – runs on virtual machines
- Security – best current practices
- COTS Hardware – entirely COTS or COTS w/specialized boards
- Layered & open architecture – follows current best practices

OTHER TECHNOLOGIES

Critical components of JT-NM Reference Architecture also supports other distribution technologies from a unified “media factory”

- OTT delivery
- ATSC 3.0
- 5G
- Radio Broadcasting