OpenSG EIM Task Force
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EIM Birds of a feather presentations and themes

- Missing vision, mission, strategy, framework
- Approach for metadata management and relationship to semantic modeling
- Information architecture, what models and how to maintain
- Incorporation into SDLC
- Need to model behavior of data (processes)
- EIM is a continuous journey that meets business needs and provides business benefit
- Need to manage structured, semi-structured, and unstructured data
- Need to manage and reconcile disparate data structures
- Multiple starts may be needed to fully get EIM under way
  - Roll-outs often involve changing institutional processes

- Business support for EIM is important
- Some EIM efforts can start organically to prove value
    - I.e. project roll outs
- Data needs to be viewed as an asset and managed as such
    - Business units may to try to keep data silos
- Smart grid projects require a growing number of integrations and interfaces
- How to sell need for common data dictionary to the business
- Managing and integrating large volumes of data is a key challenge

What business units will this support? Eventually all business units, starting with Smart Grid

CIM is an asset that provides a common language that provides content structure

One process approach is to follow the data objects from beginning to irrelevance

Use ontology to provide data interpretation through behavior, can maintain it as a model