The Global Grid Forum invites you to the
Telecom Focus Session on Monday, June 6th 2005
Graciously hosted by IBM at
One IBM Plaza
330 N. Wabash Ave. Chicago, IL 60611 USA, Rm 501
(a short ride from the Supercomm/McCormick venue)

Hosts: Bob Cohen, Frank Falcon, Pramila Mullan, and Franco Travostino

The goal for this meeting is:
1. To inform telecom service providers and vendors that GGF is starting a Telco Research Group (Telco RG) to formalize the interest shown over the past year in Grids and Telecoms.
2. To gather input on what should be included in the charter for the Telco-RG to enhance its appeal and usefulness.
3. To get early feedback on which Telecom roles—i.e., Telecom as Grid enabler, Grid user, provider of Grid Services—the Telco-RG should focus on first given the drivers and technology trends at play (see Matrix in the trailing Telco-RG poster as a plausible discussion tool)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Time</th>
<th>Topic</th>
<th>Invited Presenters/Speakers</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| 11:30-11:45   | Welcome and Intro  
                Purpose of Meeting  
                Telecom Research Group at GGF                                                             | Mark Linesch (GGF Chair),  
                Host Committee: Cohen, Falcon, Mullan, and Travostino                                      |
| 11:45-12:45   | Session 1: Progress up to date including all 2004 meetings. Establishment of Research Group in GGF on telecoms and Grids. Discussion of Telco-Grid Matrix. | Franco Travostino, Nortel  
                Frank Falcon, BT  
                Pramila Mullan, FT  
                Cees de Laat                                           |
| 12:45-1:15    | Lunch Break                                                                                     |                                                                                             |
| 1:15-2:15     | Session 2: Factors Promoting and Blocking the Adoption of Alternative Business Models for Telcos Enabling Grids, Using Grids, and Acting as Grid Brokers | Frank Falcon, BT  
                Andrew Davey, Sprint  
                Telecom Italia  
                NTT Data                                             |
| 2:15-3:15     | Session 3: Factors Promoting and Blocking the Creation of Future Requirements for Networks to Handle Grid Traffic – Challenges for Vendors and Progress at the Equipment Vendor Level | Gary Cohen, GM, IBM Global Communications Sector or his staff  
                Eckart Pech, Detecon Consulting  
                Bob Aiken, Cisco  
                Nortel  
                Siemens  
                Alcatel  
                Juniper  
                Foundry                                              |
| 3:15-4:15     | Session 4: Factors Promoting and Barriers blocking the Development of Grid Networks to Support Service Creation and Service Development: Middleware Vendors’ Role | Jikku Venkat, United Devices  
                Andreas Landhaeusser, T-Systems  
                Frank Falcon, BT  
                FT Equant  
                Andrew Davey, Sprint  
                Rich Miller, Univa Aspeed Software                 |
| 4:15-5:15     | Session 5: Review of the Telco-RG Charter. Tasks for the Next Two GGF Meetings and Planning for a Workshop between ITU and GGF | Open Discussion led by Host Committee                                                          |
| 5:15-6:00     | Session 6: Update on Interaction between GGF and network-savvy SDOs. This will include a report on the May meeting with ITU-T Study Groups. | Franco Travostino, Nortel - May meeting ITU Optical Networking Group (invited)  
                Jim Jones, Optical Internetworking Forum (OIF demo at Supercomm)  
                Bob Cohen, Economic Strategy Institute               |

Please RSVP to Julie Wulf-Knoerzer <wulf@ggf.org>
GGF Telecom Research Group (Telco-RG)

- Survey customers’ urgency
- Assess BOTH Technical & Business Enablers enhancing [A…I]
- Capture distinguishing Use Cases & develop a Roadmap
- Formulate recommendations to GGF groups, SDOs. Outreach