IETF Meetings Rock

• But…. Routine international travel is bad for:
  - The world’s climate
  - Your body’s health
  - Various budgets
  - Family Life

• Is it time to work toward virtual IETF meetings?
  - (really this time)
Current Solution Models

- Past thinking has revolved around reproducing this:

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- IMHO: time to think outside the box
Needs of a New Solution

- New directions
- New people and groups
- New requirements
- New frame of mind
- Revolution, not evolution
- Commitment
### One Example: Re-thinking Virtual

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Goal: thinking about being time zone ambivalent!!
One Example:
Discussion Parameters

- Virtual mic-lines
  - Reproduce face-to-face
- Interaction forms:
  - video, audio, text
- Limits on posts:
  - Posts / WG meeting / day
  - Comment length
  - ??

WG 1
- Brook: Presentation
- Pat: Question 1
- Alex: Discussion issue 1
- Charley: response to issue 1

WG 2
- Alex: Presentation
- Charley: Opinion
- Charley: Counter Opinion
- Alex: Suggested compromise
Next Steps

• Needs:
  – Out of the box thinkers
    • Revolution not Evolution
  – (Lots) of people
  – Willing WGs to do trial interims
  – A place to hold discussions (many-couches?)

• Interested?
  – DOGFOOD discussion:
    • Tuesday 8:30pm @ Mezzanine bar
  – Mail hardaker@isi.edu