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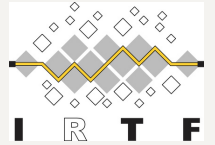
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# AGENDA

<https://datatracker.ietf.org/meeting/120/session/cfrg>

13:00 - Chairs' update (5 mins).

13:05 - Ghouss Amjad, "Partially Blind RSA Signatures" (10+5 mins)

13:20 - Burt Kaliski, "Merkle Tree Ladder (MTL) Mode Signatures" (10+5 mins)

13:35 - Ruediger Geib, "Crypto in IP Capacity Measurement Protocol" (5+10 mins)

13:50 - Shay Gueron, "Double Nonce Derive Key AES-GCM" (10+5 mins)

14:05 - Deirdre Connolly, Stephen Farrell, "KEM Combiners" (5+10 mins)

14:20 - Deirdre Connolly, "HPKE v2" (5+5 mins)

14:30 - End

# **RG DOCUMENT STATUS**



# DOCUMENT STATUS (1 OF 3)

- New RFC (since IETF 119)
  - **RFC 9591**: The Flexible Round-Optimized Schnorr Threshold (FROST) Protocol for Two-Round Schnorr Signatures
- In RFC Editor's queue
  - None
- In IESG review
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-aead-properties-07**: Properties of AEAD Algorithms
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-kangarootwelve-14**: KangarooTwelve eXtendable Output Function
- In IRSG review
  - None
- Waiting for IRTF Chair
  - **draft-fluhrer-lms-more-param-sets-15**: Additional Parameter sets for HSS/LMS Hash-Based Signatures
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-opaque-16**: The OPAQUE Augmented PAKE Protocol

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- Active CFRG drafts
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-dnhpke-04** (RGLC ended, needs shepherd followup): Deterministic Nonce-less Hybrid Public Key Encryption
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-det-sigs-with-noise-03** (updated): Deterministic ECDSA and EdDSA Signatures with Additional Randomness
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-signature-key-blinding-06** (updated): Key Blinding for Signature Schemes
  - **draft-irtf-aegis-aead-11** (updated): The AEGIS family of authenticated encryption algorithms
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-bbs-signatures-06** (updated): The BBS Signature Scheme
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-pace-11** (updated): CPace, a balanced composable PAKE
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-vdaf-10** (updated): Verifiable Distributed Aggregation Functions
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-cryptography-specification-01** (updated): Guidelines for Writing Cryptography Specifications
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-aead-limits-08** (updated): Usage Limits on AEAD Algorithms

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- Recently adopted documents
  - None
- Documents in adoption call
  - None
- Expired (active)
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-pairing-friendly-curves-11**: Pairing-Friendly Curves
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-bls-signature-05**: BLS Signatures
- Expired (inactive and archived)
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-cipher-catalog-01**: Ciphers in Use in the Internet
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-webcrypto-algorithms-00**: Security Guidelines for Cryptographic Algorithms in the W3C Web Cryptography AP
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-augpake-09**: Augmented Password-Authenticated Key Exchange (AugPAKE)
  - **draft-hoffman-rfc6090bis-02**: Fundamental Elliptic Curve Cryptography Algorithms
  - **draft-irtf-cfrg-xchacha-03**: XChaCha: eXtended-nonce ChaCha and AEAD\_XChaCha20\_Poly1305

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- RFC7748: Elliptic Curves for Security (Langley, Hamburg, Turner)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7096> test vector error
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7824> test vector error
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7879> variable error
- RFC8032: Edwards-Curve Digital Signature Algorithm (EdDSA) (S. Josefsson, Liusvaara)
  - <https://rfc-editor.org/errata/eid5968>: equal sign
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6306> capitalization
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6348> punctuation
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7031> test vectors
- RFC8391: XMSS: eXtended Merkle Signature Scheme (A. Huelsing, D. Butin, S. Gazdag, J. Rijnveld, A. Mohaisen)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6352>: text
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6821>: numerical error
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7420>: function parameter

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- RFC8439: ChaCha20 and Poly1305 for IETF Protocols (Nir, Langley)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6569>: ambiguous endianness
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6989>: missing character in constant
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7880>: off-by-one
- RFC8554: Leighton-Micali Hash-Based Signatures (D. McGrew, M. Curcio, S. Fluhrer)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7409>: size error
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid8035>: terminology
- RFC 9180: Hybrid Public Key Encryption (Barnes, Bhargavan, Lipp, Wood)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7121>: algorithm change:trim
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7251>: parenthetical
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7790>: added security text
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7933>: clarification
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7937>: missing details
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7934>: clarification

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- RFC 9497: Oblivious Pseudorandom Functions (OPRFs) Using Prime-Order Groups (Davidson, Faz-Hernandez, Sullivan, Wood)
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid7999>: algorithm error
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6989>: missing character in constant

# CRYPTO REVIEW PANEL

- Formed in September 2016
  - Wiki page for the team:  
<<https://wiki.ietf.org/group/cfrg/CryptoPanel>>
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- CFRG chairs ask for reviews from Crypto Review Panel before RGLC for CFRG documents.
- Current members (March 2024 – February 2026):
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