

**Agenda for the:** **32<sup>nd</sup> meeting of Ecma TC39**  
**in:** **San Francisco CA, USA**  
**on:** **29-31 January 2013**

**TIME:** 10:00 till 17:00 on 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> of January 2013  
10:00 till 16:00 on 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2013

**LOCATION:** Conference room "The Board Room"  
Mozilla Foundation  
2 Harrison Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105, USA  
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Please register [here](#) before 23 January 2013.

The Mozilla Foundation San Francisco office manager, [Cristina Akimoff](#), can direct arriving people.

Tuesday Jan 29 Mozilla will host an outing at Ozumo (<http://www.ozumo.com/>)

Wednesday Jan 30 -- Ecma hosts an outing to Epic Roasthouse ([www.epicroasthouse.com](http://www.epicroasthouse.com)).

## 1 Opening, welcome and roll call

- 1.1 Opening of the meeting (Mr. Neumann)
- 1.2 Introduction of attendees
- 1.3 Host facilities, local logistics

## 2 Adoption of the agenda ([2013/004-Rev1](#))

## 3 Approval of minutes from November 2012 ([2012/086](#))

## 4 Discussion of ES harmony (technical contributions are available and can be found on the ES wiki)

- 4.1 "is/isnt" operators
- 4.2 Is SameValue really what we want for Map/Set equivalence? (the -0 different from +0 issue)
- 4.3 Parameterize the equivalence operator for Map/Set?
- 4.4 Is there a need for Number.isNaN if we have [Object.is](#) available?
- 4.5 Why standardizing on `__proto__` and not `__define(G|S)etter__`, `__lookup(G|S)etter__` ?

In a recent es-discuss thread, Brendan stated:

[...] So the full answer to Andreas and others' query about why `__proto__`

**normative mandatory in ES6 but no `__define/lookup...` is:**

1. `__proto__` much more used on the mobile (iOS WebKit-first) web, no equivalent interop pressure for `__d/l`.
2. ES5 is in all new/evergreened browsers and it has standard APIs supplanting `__d/l` but nothing for writing to `__proto__`.

Therefore `__proto__` gets standardized, `__d/l` do not.

Offlist, I mentioned that we should add this discussion to the agenda for next meeting so that we can say this out loud, entered as a resolution in consensus, and then published as a matter of public record.

1. Rationale for not adding `Object.setPrototypeOf`

<https://mail.mozilla.org/pipermail/es-discuss/2012-May/022904.html>

Brendan

**4.6 A. Kevin Smith's grand compromise proposal for ES6 strict and sloppy semantics**

(<https://mail.mozilla.org/pipermail/es-discuss/2012-December/027736.html>):

- > (1) No opt-in required for new syntax, except:
- > (2) No breaking changes to sloppy mode, and
- > (3) No grammar contortions (e.g. `let`) to support sloppy mode. And
- > (4) All new syntax forms with code bodies are implicit strict.

Item (2) raises the question of what to do about function-in-block, separated out here as item C below.

**B. Should sloppy-mode function-in-block usage on the web be broken, with specific evangelism of 20 or so sites relying on its de-facto intersection semantics that don't intersect with ES6's?**

See

<https://mail.mozilla.org/pipermail/es-discuss/2012-December/027419.html>

et seq.

**4.7 Fail-fast destructuring with `?-syntax` for irrefutable opt-in:**

- >/1. No `ToObject(RHS)`.
- />2. Exception on missing property selected without a `?-suffix`.
- />3. `?-suffix` allowed on any pattern, imputing undefined deeply instead of refuting. /
- >/4: the `?` is a separate lexeme from the `:` in long-hand patterns.
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One entry point:

<https://mail.mozilla.org/pipermail/es-discuss/2013-January/027800.html>,

wherein Allen argues cogently against (1) but endorses (2-4).

Brendan

**4.8 Refactored `new` operator and the `@@create` method**

**4.9 Update on built-in subclassing based upon `@@create`**

**4.10 data to share on real world javascript usage (function-in-block, duplicate parameter names, `const`, strict mode, `var let/let[x]=1`, and maybe more) if people are interested. Could also just distribute the deck if the agenda is tight.**

#### 4.11 Name property of functions

[http://wiki.ecmascript.org/doku.php?id=strawman:name\\_property\\_of\\_functions](http://wiki.ecmascript.org/doku.php?id=strawman:name_property_of_functions)

#### 4.12 TypedArrays: specification progress and open issues. (Allen)

#### 4.13 Revisit the @-names discussion/resolution from the November meeting.

A significant body of work has emerged that I feel makes a strong case towards making an exception to the cut-off deadline. I'd like to urge everyone to take a moment to review this:

<https://github.com/Benvie/continuum/tree/gh-pages/engine/builtins>

### 5 Edition 5.1 Issues

### 6 Second edition of ECMA-402.

#### 6.1 Status report

### 7 Test 262 Progression

#### 7.1 Status report

### 8 Status Reports

#### 8.1 Report from Geneva

##### 8.1.1 Brief report from the IPR meeting

##### 8.1.2 Approval of the TC39 RFTG Scope (TC39-2013-003)

### 9 Date and place of the next meeting(s)

#### Schedule 2013 meetings:

- March 12 – 14, 2013 (Yahoo)
- May 21 – 23, 2013 (Google)
- July 23 – 25, 2013 (Redmond)
- September 24 – 26, 2013 (Boston)
- November 19 – 21, 2013 (PayPal)

### 10 Closure