

Candidature for the 2024 OIX General Member Representative to the OIX Board – Debora Comparin, Thales

1. What are the key opportunities you see for the OIX in 2023?

- Trust frameworks interoperability is not appropriately addressed in the ecosystem today. OIX could capitalize on the body of work it has already developed in this sphere
- OIX can differentiate itself by involving and being the voice of relying parties as current organizations represent mostly identity-focussed companies
- More collaboration in an international context

2. How will you demonstrate your commitment to the work of OIX in terms of resources, focus and leadership?

- I would actively contribute to the Global Interoperability Working Group and help promote this key body of work through international channels e.g. [SIDI Hub](#)
- I would be a regular Board, conference and workshops attendee, looking to share experiences or lead collaborative discussions amongst other members and relying parties

3. What would you like to see accomplished, and how do you plan to make these things happen?

I'd like to see accomplished the opportunities highlighted on question 1.

Here is how:

- Focus on trust framework interoperability: personal involvement in the Global Interoperability Working Group and promotion of the work via conferences and other channels
- Relying parties involvement: promote the idea at Board level and support the creation of collaterals to explain 'what's in it' for relying parties to join OIX
- More collaboration in an international context: help create a working group within SIDI Hub that OIX could lead and leverage to present its work on an international stage, including working with multilaterals as World Bank, OECD etc.

4. What resources will you and your organisation bring to help OIX attain its goals?

Beyond my time and experience, I would bring in support from Thales Digital Identity and Security (DIS) experts as appropriate i.e. conference support, participation to WGs etc.

5. What current or past experiences, skills, or interests will inform your contributions and views?

I am standardization expert at Thales Digital Identity and Security (DIS) working on digital identity and digital wallets.

Below is an overview of my current roles external to Thales:

- Board member Linux Foundation Europe
- Co-chair FIDO Europe Working Group
- Technical Director Secure Identity Alliance (SIA)
- Founder of OSIA standard
- Co-Founder of SIDI Hub