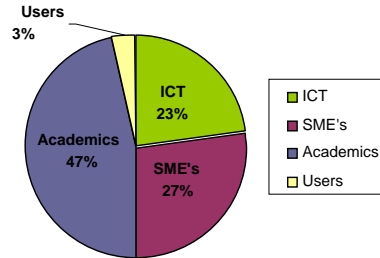


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## New Members

NESSI constituency is now 406 members from Academia, SME and Industry.

We are pleased to welcome new members that have signed the letter of Intent during the last quarter:

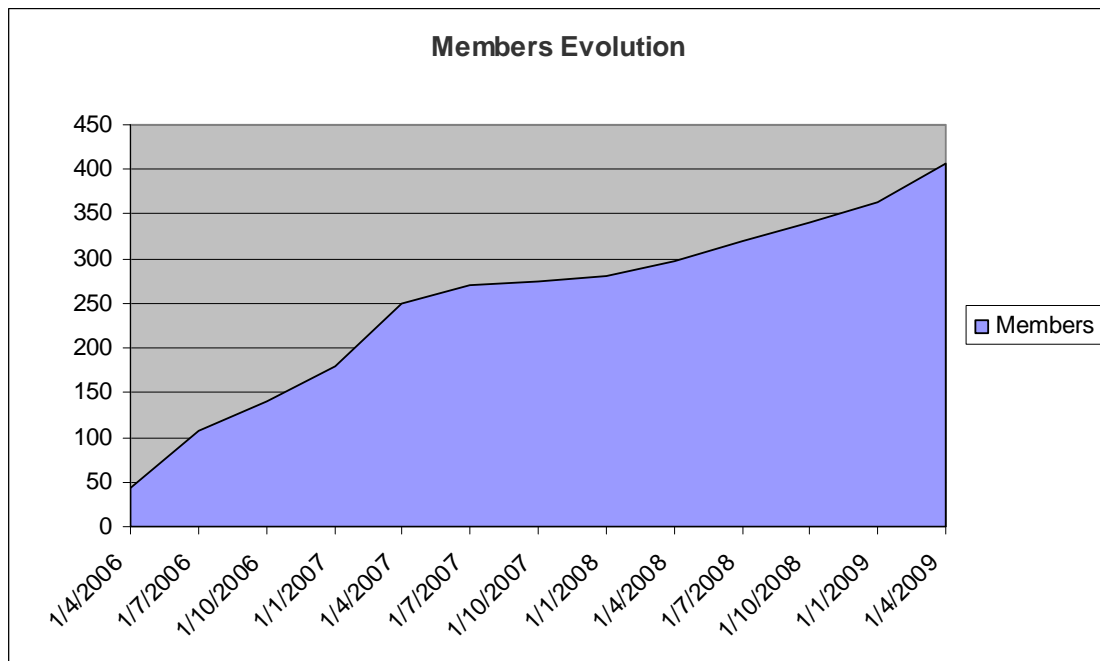


83 Degrees South Ltd., Asesoria I+D+I, Astinvest Com SRL, Dataport Bilgi Islem Cozumleri Sanayi ve Ticaret Ltd. Sti, Hi-Iberia Ingenieria y Proyectos SL, Italtel, IXXO sas, Mobilera Bilisim Ve Iletisim Teknolojileri Tic. A.S., Nokia Siemens networks, Paris-Lodron-University Salzburg (University of Salzburg), Solaiemes SL, Spikes NV, STM Savunma, Teknolojileri Muh. ve Tic. A.S., Strategic Attention Management S.L., Universidad de Malaga, Universitat de Girona, Université Claude Bernard Lyon 1, University of Bradford, University of L'Aquila, University of Reading.

You can find the complete list of members on the [NESSI website](#).

## Members Evolution

The chart below shows the evolution of the NESSI Members since its creation in 2005. The whole ICT community continues to show interest in NESSI.



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## Meetings held at NESSI Office

NESSI projects as well as working groups or committees can organise workshops or meetings in the NESSI Office. Don't hesitate to contact the office to reserve a room. Since December, an important number of meetings have been organised by Partners and Members at the Office:

2 Dec	Preparation NESSI 2010 Review
3 Dec	NESSI 2010 Review
3 Dec	I-Gov WG
18 Dec	Board

7 Jan	Preparation NESSI 2010
8 Jan	NESSI 2010 Programme Management
12 Jan	Preparation for Call4 for an IP in Challenge 1.5
13 Jan	Preparation for Call4 for an IP in Challenge 1.5
13-15 Jan	Communication Committee
13 Jan	I-Gov WG
19 Jan	Partner Selection, Special SC Work Session
20 Jan	TSD WG
21 Jan	NESSI Grid Final - Preparation
26 Jan	RESERVOIR
26-27 Jan	NEXOF-RA Architecture Board
27-29 Jan	NEXOF-RA Architecture Plenary
30 Jan	NEXOF-RA PMB

2 Feb	Preparation Steering Committee
3 Feb	Steering Committee
4-5 Feb	Preparation for Call4 for an IP in Challenge 1.5
4-5 Feb	Future Internet JTI X-ETPs FI
6 Feb	QualiPSo
11 Feb	NESSI TSD (FP7 Call 5)
17-20 Feb	TAS3
18-19 Feb	Prep for the review of Avantssar EU funded project
19 Feb	NESSI related call 4 proposal
20 Feb	OSS WG

10 Mar	VIDE (Visualize All Model-Driven Software Development)
10 Mar	SW 2009
10 Mar	NEXOF-RA Planning
11 Mar	VIDE (Visualize All Model-Driven Software Development)
16-17 Mar	NEXOF
17 Mar	Steering Committee Preparation
18 Mar	Steering Committee
23-24 Mar	TAS3
23 Mar	MASTER, compliance -anti-fraud
23 Mar	NEXOF
24 Mar	Board
25-26 Mar	MASTER FP7 project

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1 Apr	SOA4All
2-3 Apr	COMPAS
16 Apr	I-gov
20-21 Apr	TAS3
20 Apr	NEXOF
21Apr	MASTER
22 Apr	ServFace project (SAP)
23 Apr	NEXOF-RA
28-29 Apr	Communication Committee
29-30 Apr	Future Internet

## NESSI Office Conference Call

NESSI projects, working groups and committees can also reserve the conference call telephone number of the Office for their meetings. Contact the Office team if you need to organise a conference call meeting. Since December, some projects have taken advantage of this service:

23 Jan	SME WG
4 Feb	NSP & Communication
6 Feb	NESSI 2010
9 Feb	SW 2009
10 Feb	Legal Entity
11 Feb	Board
19 Feb	SRA
25 Feb	Open Source WG
27 Feb	SME WG
9 Mar	Legal Entity
25 Mar	Open Source WG
27 Mar	SME WG
24 Apr	SW 2009
27 Apr	SME WG
29 Apr	Open Source WG

## Important Meetings where NESSI participated

9-10 Dec	FIA (Future Internet Assembly) - Madrid
10-13 Dec	ServiceWave 2008 - Madrid
12-13 Mar	SRA Committee (Vol. 3.2 workshop) - Lyon

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## Election/Selection organized at the Office: Board, Steering Committee, Non-permanent Partners

**BOARD** – On the 18th of December 2008, the Board proceeded to the election of the Chair and Vice-Chairs for the coming 2 years:

Board Chairman: Reinhold Achatz (SIEMENS); Vice-Chairs: Dario Avallone (ENG), Josema Cavanillas (ATOS), Bruno Nouzille (THALES) and Yaron Wolfsthal (IBM).

**Steering Committee** – On the 28 November 2008, NESSI partners elected the Steering Committee Chairman:

Frédéric Gittler (HP) and 5 Vice-Chairs: Klaus Pohl (LERO), Stuart Campbell (TIE), Juanjo Hierro (TELEFONICA), Santi Ristol (ATOS) and Patrick Anglard (THALES).

**Non-permanent Partners Selection** – On 11<sup>th</sup> of February, eleven non permanent partners were selected for a 2 years mandate.

Organisation	Community	Status
CINI	Academic	New partner
INRIA	Academic	New partner
IT Innovation	Academic	New partner
SINTEF	Academic	New partner
UniDue	Academic	New partner
UPM	Academic	Re-elected
	<b>Total Academic</b>	6
Alcatel-Lucent	ICT	Re-elected
Atos	ICT	Permanent
BT	ICT	Permanent
Eng	ICT	Permanent
Open Position	ICT	New partner
FT - ORANGE LABS	ICT	New partner
HP	ICT	Permanent
IBM	ICT	Permanent
Nokia	ICT	Permanent
SAP	ICT	Permanent
Siemens	ICT	Permanent
Software AG	ICT	Permanent
Telecom Italia	ICT	Permanent
Telefonica	ICT	Permanent
Thales	ICT	Permanent
	<b>Total ICT</b>	15
OW2	OSS	Permanent
	<b>Total OSS</b>	1
ANSWARE	SME	New partner
ATC	SME	New partner
TIE	SME	Re-elected
	<b>Total SME</b>	3
	<b>Total</b>	25

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## Printed Communication Material

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- **NEW at the office!**
  - SME Manifesto
  - I-Gov Manifesto
  - Newsletter of October 2008
  - Newsletter of March 2009
  - Newsletter of May 2009
  - NESSI Brochure
- **NESSI documents still available at the office** (hard copies & DVDs)
  - Newsletter (March 2008, December 2007, August 2007, January 2007), NESSI General Assembly 2007 DVD, NESSI Scenarios DVD, Holistic View Paper, NEXOF Paper, SRA (Vol1), NESSI Office Paper, OSS Paper, NESSI General Assembly Paper (Summary Agenda), "NESSI is about transforming the EU economy through service oriented business..." Paper.

## Website News

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- New modules and functionality:
  - New modules like blog or interactive table are now available. The Office team will be pleased to help you integrating these new modules on your NESSI Website Pages.
  - A new function is set-up to allow redirection of a general url address to the specific address of a working group. For example we have created this specific address for the SME WG Website page: [www.nessi-europe.eu/SME](http://www.nessi-europe.eu/SME). The original link for this page was: [www.nessi-europe.eu/Nessi/WorkingGroups/AdoptionWorkingGroups/NESSISMEGroup/tabid/304/Default.aspx](http://www.nessi-europe.eu/Nessi/WorkingGroups/AdoptionWorkingGroups/NESSISMEGroup/tabid/304/Default.aspx)
- This month's KPIs (private zone) and [membership statistics](#) (public zone) are available on the NESSI website.

## May and June Events

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- **Research Connection 2009** – NESSI will have a booth "NESSI ETP and Related Project" during Research Connection on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of May.
- **FIA 2009** – NESSI will be present at FIA, from 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> of May.
- **Steering Committee and Board Meeting** – NESSI Office will host the Steering Committee Meeting on 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> of May and on the 30<sup>th</sup> June-1<sup>st</sup> of July, as well as the Board Meeting on the 24<sup>th</sup> of June.

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## Office News

- **New Office Assistant, Sophie Debeck**, joined Bruno François-Marsal in the NESSI Office team and is at your disposal for support in logistical aspects of memberships, mailing lists and website issues. Sophie is replacing Lyne Côté who left to pursue her projects in Quebec. **contact: [Office@NESSI-europe.eu](mailto:Office@NESSI-europe.eu)**
- A **new lease** has been signed for the rent of the Office located on Avenue des Pléiades, 11.
- NESSI Office is about to launch its **annual assessment**. A copy of the **Service Level Questionnaire** will be available on the NESSI website and at the Office. We would appreciate if you can kindly fill it out and send it back to the office. This will help us improve the level of services provided by the NESSI Office.



## Services offer to Working Groups and Committees

The NESSI Office team provides practical support through different communication tools:

- NESSI website: NESSI provides a website ([www.nessi-europe.eu](http://www.nessi-europe.eu)) to communicate information and to handle documentation: **the public zone** publishes information for a large diffusion; the **private zone** allows participants to manage the content of the Web pages (upload files, news, calendar, forums) and to exchange information with specific group (the Office team manages the rights access).
- NESSI mailing lists: Mailing lists ([xyz@nessi-europe.eu](mailto:xyz@nessi-europe.eu)) are proposed to each group or committee to facilitate communication between members of the group. The Office team can manage the list during the set-up and after the management is transferred to the WG leader (subscribe, unsubscribe, who is in the list).
- NESSI wiki: Project and group leaders can contact the Office team in order to set up a page relative to their NESSI activities on the wiki. The wiki allows participants with access to contribute or modify content, using a simplified markup language.

## Contact

The NESSI Office is at your disposal to answer any questions or queries that you may have, so please do not hesitate to contact us:

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