

## Sean Sheedy's JCP Executive Committee Position Statement

### What's **your** position?

I've provided my position in my [candidate statement](#) (reprinted below) and [answers to your questions](#). I'd like to hear yours. Please take a minute to tell me what you want from the EC by filling out the informal survey below.

#### [Enter the Survey](#)

url: <http://tinyurl.com/65s4jl>

If elected, I will be the only Individual Member in the 16 member ME Executive Committee. I consider it my role to understand and support the interests of other Individual Members who make up 80% of the JCP - but less than 10% of the combined Executive Committees.

Thank you,

Sean Sheedy

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#### Candidate Statement

Thank you for taking the time to consider my candidacy. I am running for a seat on the ME EC to:

- Help solve longstanding problems in fragmentation and interoperability that continue to challenge Java ME
- Support the drive to increase transparency of JCP processes
- Work with community leaders to create a dialog between the community and the EC
- Encourage the EC to play a leading role in bridging Java ME with newer mobile technologies
- Help the EC maintain our collective investment in Java
- Use the JCP's example to encourage other standards organizations to lower their barriers to access

Why should you vote for an individual or smaller firm for this role? At least 75% of JCP members are individuals or small or medium companies, but representation on the EC is reversed: the ME EC is almost exclusively comprised of the largest manufacturers and operators.

Altering this mix, even a little, can bring a fresh perspective to the EC and help it accomplish these goals.

Past election results suggest that brand recognition plays a large part in who gets elected. Therefore, I urge you to dig a little deeper - read all the candidates' statements - and then place your votes with the candidates you feel would best forward the interests of the community.

More information about my candidacy can be found at <http://phonedevolver.com/ec>

### **Experience with the Java Community Process:**

I am an independent consultant and application developer in the mobile space. Until last year, I was Sprint Nextel's representative to the JCP and coordinated Sprint's participation in the JCP standards process. I actively participated in JSRs 248 (MSA), 249 (MSA Advanced), and 271 (MIDP3) and worked with other Sprint Nextel Experts who participated in JSRs 281 (IMS Services API), 290 (Java Language & XML User Interface Markup Integration), and 293 (Location API 2.0). I co-founded the Nextel Application Developer Program and have been recognized as a Mobile & Embedded Community Star on Java.net. I have over 20 years of experience in the wireless industry.