

Building Apps with Cisco DNA Center Platform

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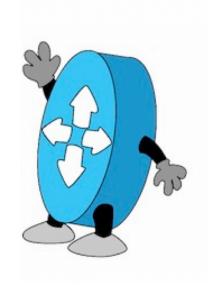
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What are we going to talk about?

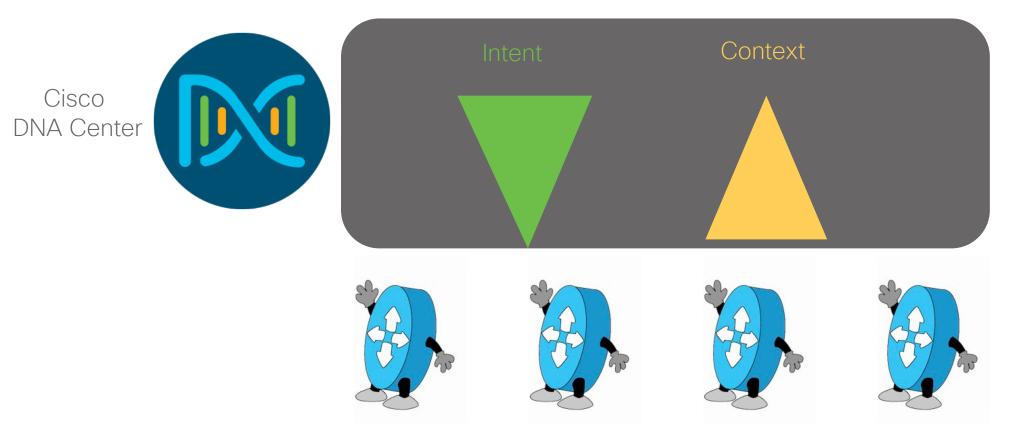
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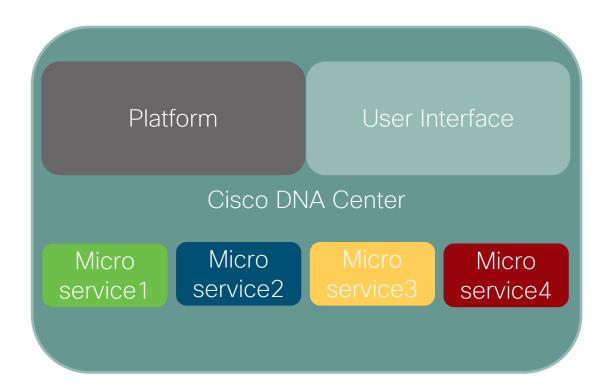


Cisco DNA Center





What is "Platform"



- Platform provides an abstraction of internal API
 - Simplified schema
 - Composite API
- /dna/intent prefix for api
- Rate limiting of endpoints
- E-W integration into ITSM (SNOW), IPAM etc

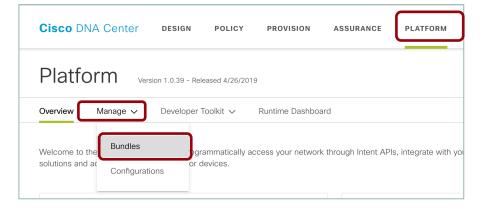


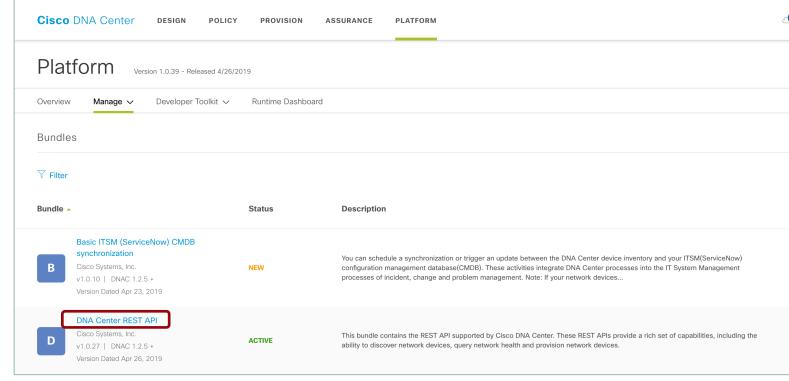
Getting Started



How to Enable Platform

Step1: Platform -> manage -> bundles Step 2: Enable "DNA Center REST API"







Try it out...

Cisco DNA Center

DESIGN

POLICY

PROVISION

ASSURANCE

PLATFORM



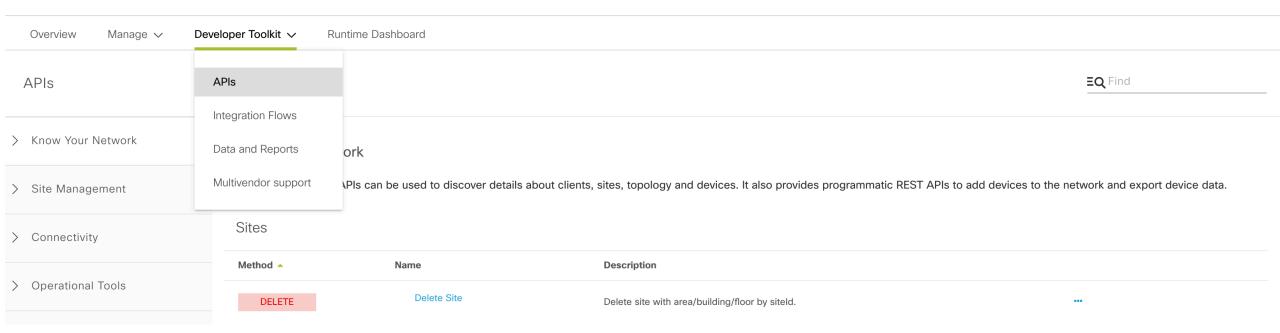






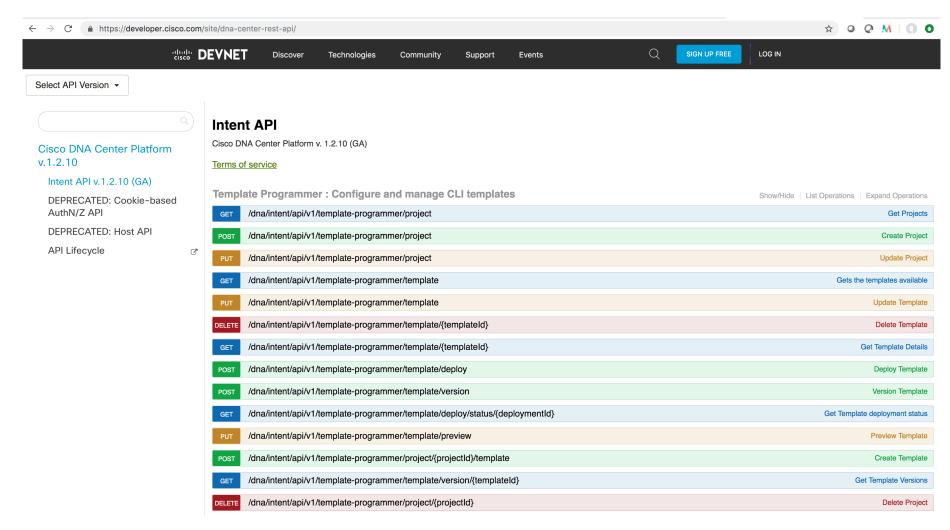


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https://developer.cisco.com/site/dna-center-rest-api/





Authentication

https://<dnac-ip>/api/system/v1/auth/token POST (basic Auth for username and password)

"Token":

"eyJ0eXAiOiJKV1QiLCJhbGciOiJSUzl1NiJ9.eyJzdWliOil1Y2NiYzcyYjNhZWE5OD AwY2Y4ZTVlNzkiLCJhdXRoU291cmNlljoiaW50ZXJuYWwiLCJ0ZW5hbnROYW1ll joiVE5UMClsInJvbGVzljpbljVjY2JjNzJhM2FlYTk4MDBjZjhlNWU3OCJdLCJ0ZW5hbnRJZCl6ljVjY2JjNzJhM2FlYTk4MDBjZjhlNWU3NilsImV4cCl6MTU1ODc2ODUzNCwiaWF0ljoxNTU4NzY0OTM0LCJqdGkiOiJhNWQ1ZTZIZC0wYmE2LTQ1MzUtYml3Ni00YjEzMDA1YjhkODMiLCJ1c2VybmFtZSl6lmFkbWluln0.QYCgbFqgbGyxNHE3XEDxXygrU7XJ8fViZwHHJXMuj---

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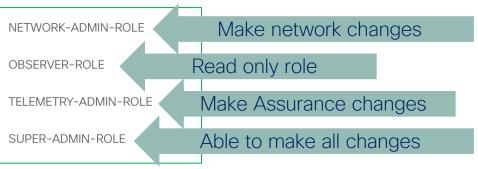
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_8jA2sm6LkTglJqZ_7a3T82RFC5xiC6WcNVShhcLDPcayBzT9cbaCzhlpoopoxA"

Need to use the token as a header in all other API calls

"x-auth-token" : response['Token']

Roles:





Rate Limiting

```
"error": "Rate Limit exceeded; BapiName: Get Overall Network Health, RateLimit config details:
RateLimitContext{rate=5, windowUnit='minute', windowDuration=1,
maxConcurrentExecutionsPermitted=0}",
    "bapiExtendedStatusCode": "REJECTED_ABOVE_THROTTLE_LIMIT",
    "bapiExtendedStatusDescription": "For BAPI: Get Overall Network Health, maximum allowed BAPI
instances per 1 minute is 5. The limit has been reached for the time-window between Fri May 24
06:11:02 UTC 2019 and now"
}
```

Rate limiting per API endpoint
Range between 5-100/minute
Displayed in on-box API documention

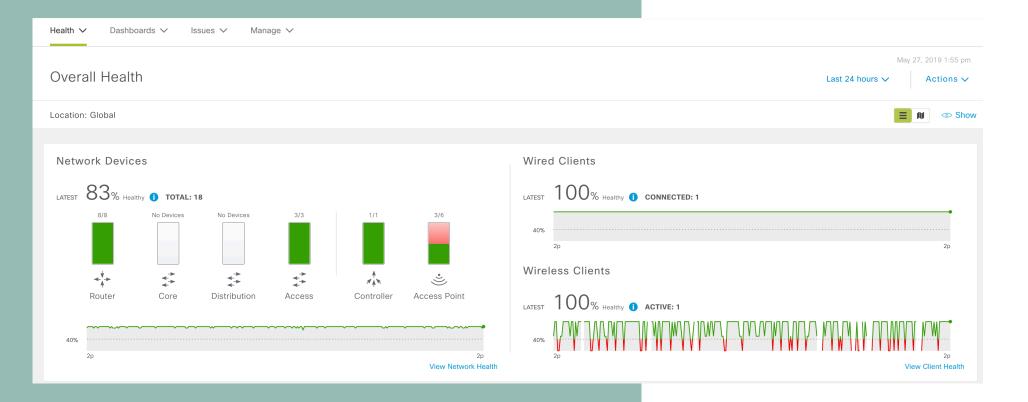


Types of Applications

Assurance - Visibility Events - Notification Automation - Change



Assurance





Current Assurance API

/site-health

Health of devices and users in each location (site)

/client-health

Breakdown of wired and wireless health Global

KPI fail for poor health score

/client-detail

All information for a specific client

/network-health

Breakdown of scores for device types Global

KPI fail for poor score

/device-detail

All information for a specific network-device



EPOCH... Keys to the time machine

0:00 JAN 1st 1970

0:01 JAN 1st 1970

0:00 May 28th 2019

0:00:000 May 28th 2019

1559001600000

Timestamps are in milli-epoch



Getting Access to hosts

```
https://<dnac-ip>/api/assurance/v1/host POST {} as the body
```

Unofficial API – this can and WILL change Can filter on sites, status, type etc Can also provide timestamp range



Filters

SiteId obtained from site-health API Optional

- startTime endTime
- Pagnation: limit, offset
- "devType":["WIRED"]



Getting Access to network devices

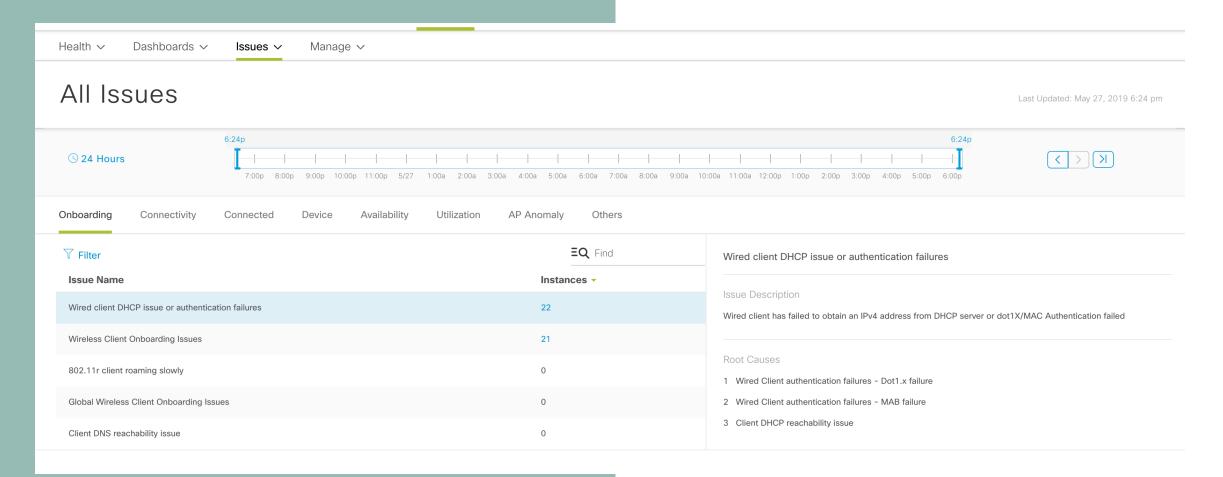
```
https://<dnac-ip> api/assurance/v1/network-
device?startTime=1558681800000&endTime=1558682100000 POST
{} as the body
```

```
"version": "1.0",
 "response": [
       "id": "d3499d32-69e9-4ae1-a657-95a369362e55",
       "deviceModelType": "Cisco Catalyst 9300 Switch",
       "platformId": "C9300-48P",
       "location": null,
       "issueCount": null,
       "connectivityStatus": "100".
       "communicationState": "REACHABLE",
       "healthScore": [
             "healthType": "OVERALL",
             "reason": "",
             "score": 10
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```

Unofficial API – this can and WILL change Can filter on sites, status, type etc startTime and endTime mandatory



Issues



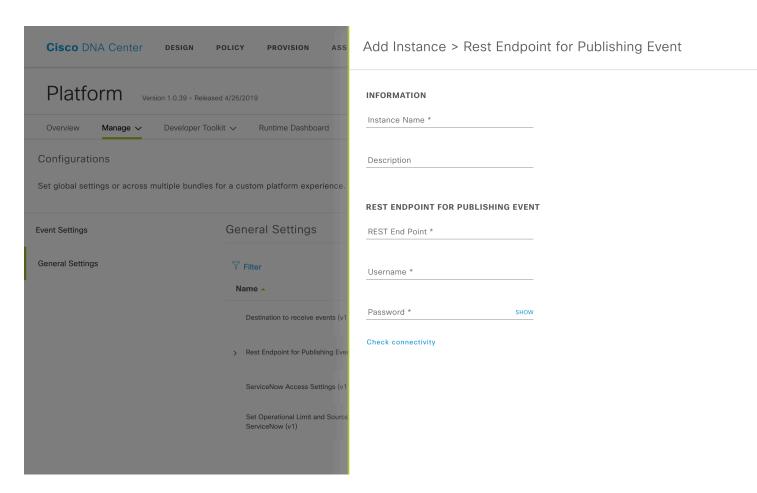


Enable Notifications (1/4)

Platform Version 1.0.39 - Released 4/26/20	019	Activa:	te the Network	Events Bundle
Overview Manage V Developer Toolkit V	Runtime Dashboard			
Bundles				
∀ Filter				∃Q Find
Bundle -	Status	Description		
DNA Center REST API Cisco Systems, Inc. v1.0.27 DNAC 1.2.5 + Version Dated Apr 26, 2019	ACTIVE	This bundle contains the REST API supported by Cisco DNA Center. These REST APIs provide a rich set of capability to discover network devices, query network health and provision network devices.	ilities, including the	
Network Events for REST API Endpoint Cisco Systems, Inc. v1.0.11 DNAC 1.2.5 + Version Dated Apr 23, 2019	ACTIVE	You can use this bundle to publish DNA Center events to any REST API endpoint, as well as to receive updates ab associated artifacts(incident, problem or request for change). The bundle then populates the Runtime Dashboard		Configure



Enable Notifications (2/4)



Create a REST Endpoint

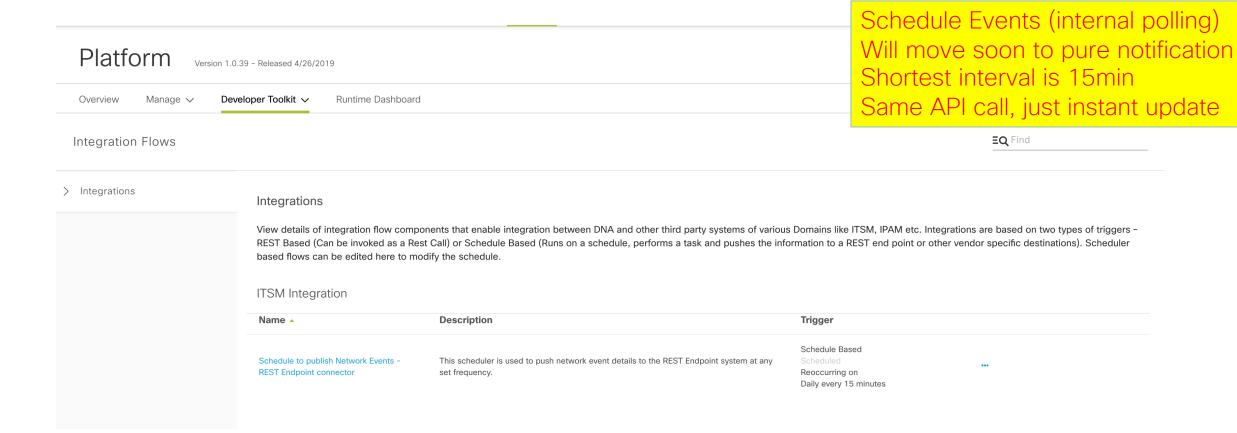
- Needs to be https
- Will be vereified
- Auth only enforce server side

Cancel

Add

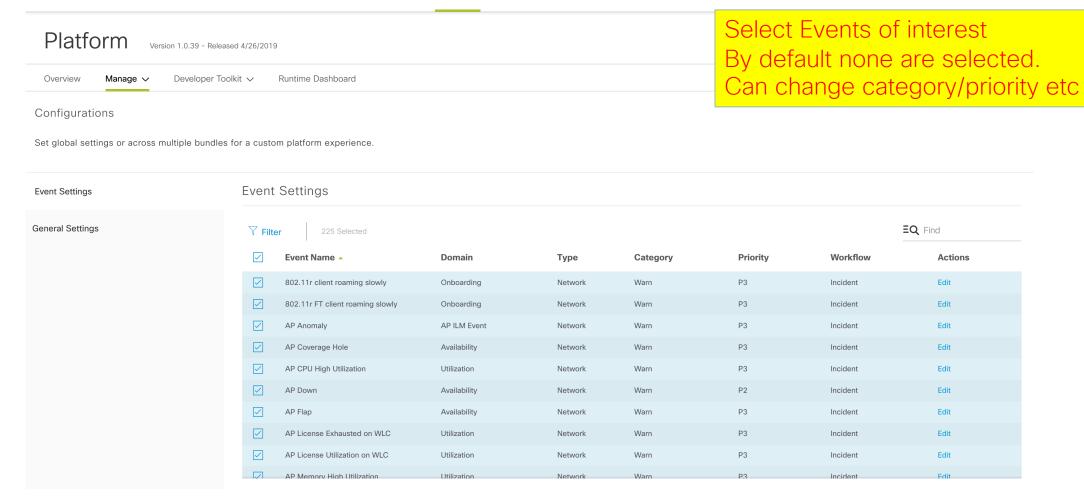


Enable Notifications (3/4) (to change soon)





Enable Notifications (4/4)





Sending to email/IM

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dnac 5:35 pm

ALERT: ******

Event: Client DHCP reachability issue, Severity: P2, Category: Warn

This client 70:F3:5A:7C:04:90 has not been assigned an IPv4 address by DHCP server.

Suggested Actions:

- -Verify that the DHCP server is reachable.
- -Verify the DHCP scope is configured correctly and has adequate free IP addresses.
- -Verify the IP helper address is configured correctly on the first hop switch 10.10.6.2.
- -Initiate a Path Trace tool to verify the DHCP server can reach the first hop switch 10.10.6.2.

ALERT: ******

Event:Wireless client failed to connect - DHCP Server Timeout, Severity:P3, Category:Warn

This client failed to get an IPv4 address during onboarding. The '192.168.200.201' DHCP server is not responding to DHCP messages. This client was connecting to 'CiscoSensorProvisioning' SSID on '10' VLAN on 2.4 GHz radio on 'pnp3802' AP in location 'Global/Perth/PER1/PER1-F5'. The AP was connected to 'WLC9800.adamlab.cisco.com' WLC.

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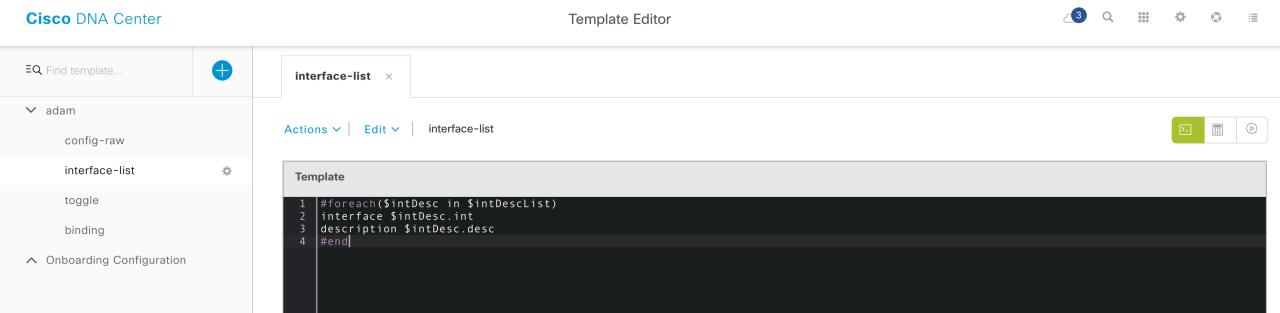
Suggested Actions:

- -Verify that the DHCP server is reachable.
- -Verify that the DHCP scope is configured correctly and has adequate free IP addresses.
- -If all new clients are not getting assigned IP Address, verify that the IP helper address is configured correctly on the first hop router servicing the VLAN.
- -Initiate the Path Trace tool to verify that the DHCP server can reach the first hop router servicing VLAN.





Automation





Examples

```
./template.py
./template.py --help
./template.py --template adam/interface-list
./template.py --template adam/interface-list --device 10.10.50.2 --params
'{"intDescList" : [{"int":"gig1/0/10", "desc" :"first"},{"int": "gig1/0/11", "desc"
:"second"}]}'
```

https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/DNAC-TemplateProgrammer



NOTES

- All templates are versioned. Need to save && Commit. (There is API for this)
- Semantics of "forcePushTemplate". Default is NOT to re-apply a template with same variables.
- Default provisioning behavior is to apply a single (or nested template) to a device. Also includes site specific settings (aaa, ntp etc). API just pushes template to device(s)
- Multiple device requires unique parameters for template (can duplicate)



Template API Summary

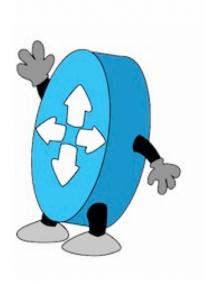
Endpoint	Verb	Description
api/v1/template-programmer/project	GET/POST/DELETE	CRUD on template projects
api/v1/template-programmer/template	GET/POST/DELETE	CRUD on templates. A template is part of a project
api/v1/template-programmer/template/deploy	POST	Deploy a template to a device
/api/v1/template- programmer/template/deploy/status/{{deploy mentId}}	GET	Status of the deployment job



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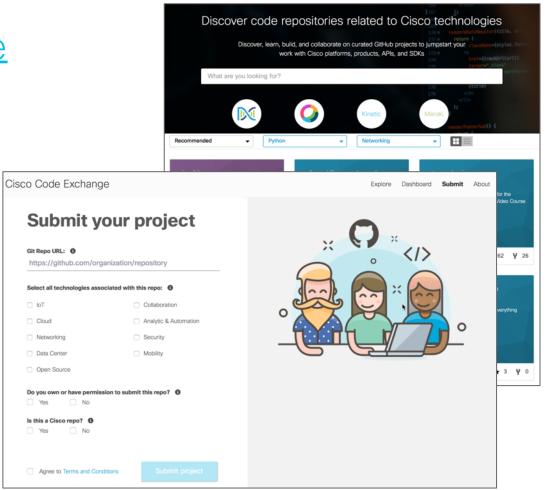
One more thing..



NetDevOps Live! Code Exchange Challenge

developer.cisco.com/codeexchange

Use the SDK (when it comes out) to access information you need.





Webinar Resource List

Docs and Links

- https://developer.cisco.com/site/dna-center-rest-api/
- Blog Series.

Learning Labs

- Laptop Setup http://cs.co/lab-dev-setup
- DNA Center Learning Labs https://learninglabs.cisco.com/tracks/dnacenter-programmability

<u>DevNet Sandboxes</u>

DNA Center Always On https://sandboxdnac.cisco.com

Code Samples

- https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/DNAC-onboarding-tools
- https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/DNAC-TemplateProgrammer
- https://github.com/CiscoDevNet/DNAC-Assurance
- © 2018 Cishttps://github.com/CiscoDevNet/DNAC-Platform





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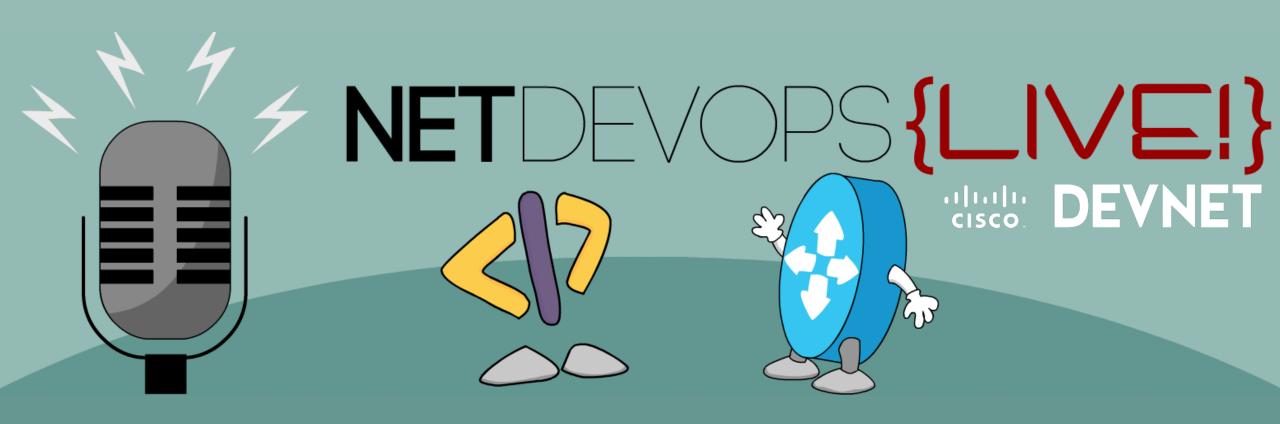
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