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## Headaches from YANG Models?

Using YANG Suite to Automate and Validate your Journey to Programmability

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## Agenda

- Introduction
- Model-Driven Programmability
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  - Overview
  - Using YANG Suite
- Conclusion

#### Who am I?



Personal

Based in London

#### Career

- 40+ years in some aspect of Information Technology
- 19 + years focus in FSI
- 15+ years at Cisco Systems, Inc.

#### Focus

- Campus Automation and Orchestration
- Current focus on Model-Driven Programmability

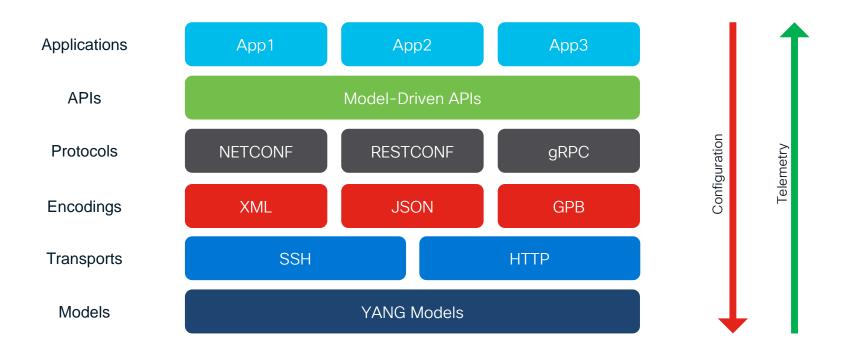


## Model-Driven Programmability





### Model-Driven Programmability Stack



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#### What is a Data Model?

A data model is simply a well understood and agreed upon method to describe "something".

As an example, consider this simple "data model" for a person.

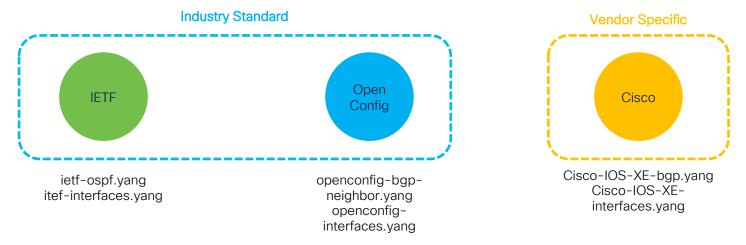
Person

- Gender male, female, other
- Height Feet/Inches or Meters
- Weight Pounds or Kilos
- Hair Color Brown, Blond, Black, Red, other
- Eye Color Brown, Blue, Green, Hazel, other



### Data Models and YANG

- Data Models
  - A data-models explicitly and precisely determines the structure, syntax, and semantics of the data which is externally available and visible.
  - Ensures completeness and consistency of interactions between systems and clients.



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### What does a YANG model look like?

module: Cis	sco-IOS-XE-native	
+rw nat	tive	
+rw	default	
+	-rw crypto	
	+rw ikev2	
	+rw proposal?	empty
	+rw policy?	empty
+rw	bfd	
+rw	version?	string
+rw	stackwise-virtual!	
+rw	boot-start-marker?	empty
+rw	boot	
+	-rw system	
	+rw tftp-path?	string
	+rw tftp?	string
	+rw bootfile	
	+rw filename-list*	[filename]
	+rw filename	string
	+rw flash	
	+rw flash-list*	[flash-leaf]
	+rw flash-leaf	string
+rw	boot-end-marker?	empty

Edited for simplicity and brevity

mbj4668/pyang

An extensible YANG validator and converter in python





### Where do you get Models?

YANG models (Vendor, IETF, and OpenConfig) available at https://github.com/YangModels/yang

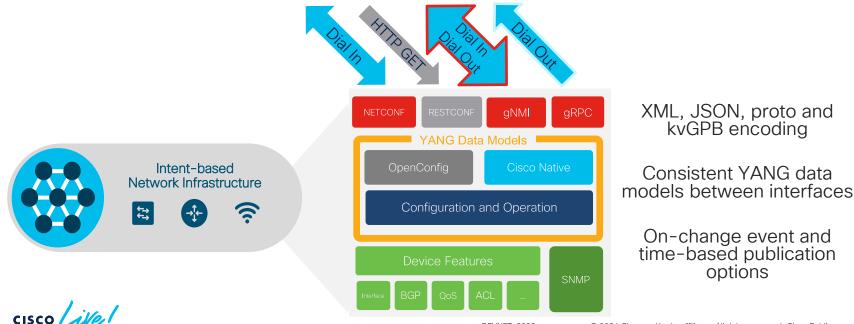
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### Model Driven Telemetry Interfaces

Dial In: Collector establishes a connection to the device then subscribes to telemetry (pub/sub)

Dial Out: Telemetry is pushed from the device to the collector based off configuration (push)



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## Cisco YANG Suite





#### YANG Suite In Your Network



Learn and Browse

The core components of YANG Suite is an extensible plugin infrastructure used for testing and validating YANG RPCs and payloads.



#### NETCONF, gNMI & gRPC Telemetry

Interact using NETCONF protocol to network devices using YANG data models and payloads. Receive gRPC Dial-Out Model Driven Telemetry.



#### Interact with Devices

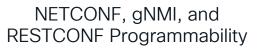
The YANG Suite File Manager works with SCP, Git, NETCONF, or local YANG files.



Migration to YANG

YANG Suite helps with migration from legacy interfaces to YANG.





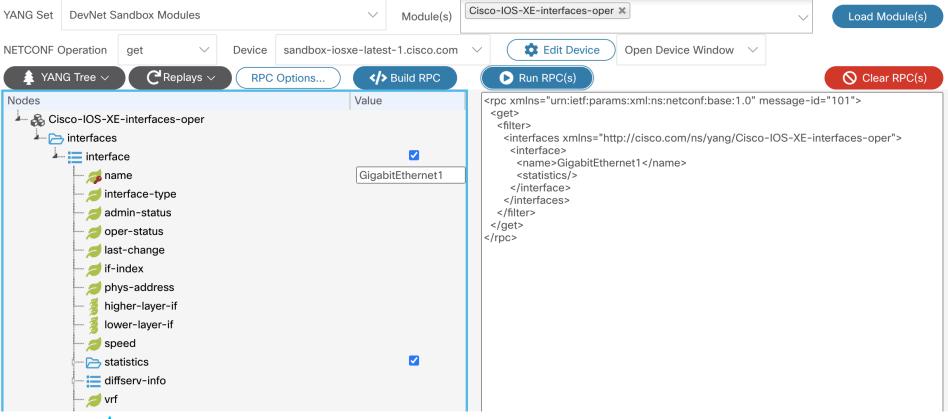
Interact using the various protocols to network devices using YANG data models and payloads.



#### Datasets and Diffs

The YANG Suite Analytics plugin provides easy transaction of the various metadata in YANG models.

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	NETCONF



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## Using Yang Suite





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