ICANN PREP WEEK 71

Policy Update

Thursday, 3 June 2021
16:00-17:30 UTC

Welcome to the Policy Update Session

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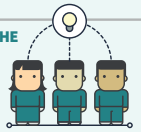
Multistakeholder Policy Development

Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO)

GNSO Council is composed of 21 members — divided into 2 houses (contracted and non-contracted parties) — who work on generic top-level domain name (gTLD) policies (e.g., .com, new gTLDs).

GNSO Policy Development Process

1 IDENTIFY THE ISSUE



- GNSO Council, ICANN Board or an AC identifies issue.
- GNSO Council considers if issue will result in consensus policy.

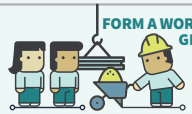
2 SCOPE THE ISSUE

- If yes, GNSO Council requests Preliminary Issue Report.
- Staff publishes Preliminary Issue Report for Public Comment Period.
- Following Public Comment review, Final Issue Report is submitted for GNSO Council consideration.

3 INITIATE THE PDP

- GNSO Council considers Final Issue Report and decides whether to initiate PDP.
- If yes, GNSO Council develops/adopts charter for PDP WG.
- GNSO Council calls for volunteers to form PDP WG.

4 FORM A WORKING GROUP



- WG consults with Community and develops Initial Report for Public Comment Period.
- After reviews, WG submits Final Report to GNSO Council.

5 DELIBERATE THE FINAL REPORT

- GNSO Council reviews Final Report and considers adoption.
- If adopted, GNSO Council submits Final Report to ICANN Board.

6 VOTE BY ICANN BOARD

- ICANN Board consults Community and GAC.
- ICANN Board votes on Final Report recommendations.

Learn more about the GNSO
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Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO)

The ccNSO (Council and members) works on global policies relating to country code top-level domain name (ccTLD) policies (e.g., .br, .uk).

ccNSO Policy Development Process

1 REQUEST AN ISSUE REPORT

- ccNSO Council, ICANN Board, Regional ccTLD organizations, SO/AC or at least 10 members of ccNSO may request Issue Report.
- ccNSO Council appoints issue manager.

2 SCOPE THE ISSUE

- Issue manager determines if issue is within the scope of ccNSO.
- ICANN Bylaws define and limit the scope of issues.

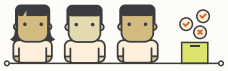
3 INITIATE THE PDP

- If issue is in scope and ccNSO Council approves Issue Report, PDP begins.
- ccNSO Council gives Public Notice and opens Public Comment Period.

4 DEVELOP POLICY

- ccNSO Council appoints WG to develop the policy.
- WG issues Initial Report.
- WG opens Public Comment Period.
- WG produces Final Report.
- ccNSO Council requests GAC input.

5 VOTE BY ccNSO (TWO STAGES)



- Stage 1. ccNSO Council deliberates Final Report and if adopted, makes recommendation to its members.
- Stage 2. If members approve, ccNSO Council submits Final Report to ICANN Board.

6 VOTE BY ICANN BOARD

- ICANN Board votes on Final Report recommendations, but national laws remain paramount.

Learn more about the ccNSO
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Address Supporting Organization (ASO)

ASO Address Council (AC) is composed of 15 volunteers — 3 from each of the Regional Internet Registries (RIRs)* — who work on global Internet Protocol (IP) Address Policy.

ASO Global Policy Development Process

1 IDENTIFY THE ISSUE

- Any individual may submit global policy proposal to ASO AC or RIR.
- RIR PDP generates global policy proposal.
- ICANN Board may also request global policy proposal.

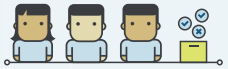
2 DETERMINE REQUIREMENTS

- ASO AC appoints Policy Proposal Facilitator Team (PPFT).
- ASO AC or PPFT determine if global policy proposal requires specific IANA functions actions or outcomes.
- ASO AC oversees global PDP.

3 REVIEW BY RIRs AND ASO AC

- Five RIRs review global policy proposal.
- Five RIRs must approve identical global policy proposal.
- Five RIRs submit approved global policy proposal to ASO AC for review.

4 REVIEW BY ICANN BOARD



- ASO AC submits ratified global policy proposal to ICANN Board.
- ICANN Board may accept, reject, request changes or take no action.

***Regional Internet Registries (RIRs)**

AFRINIC	Africa
APNIC	Asia and Pacific region
ARIN	Canada, parts of the Caribbean and North Atlantic islands, and the U.S.
LACNIC	Latin America and parts of the Caribbean
RIPE NCC	Europe, the Middle East and parts of Central Asia

Learn more about the ASO
aso.icann.org

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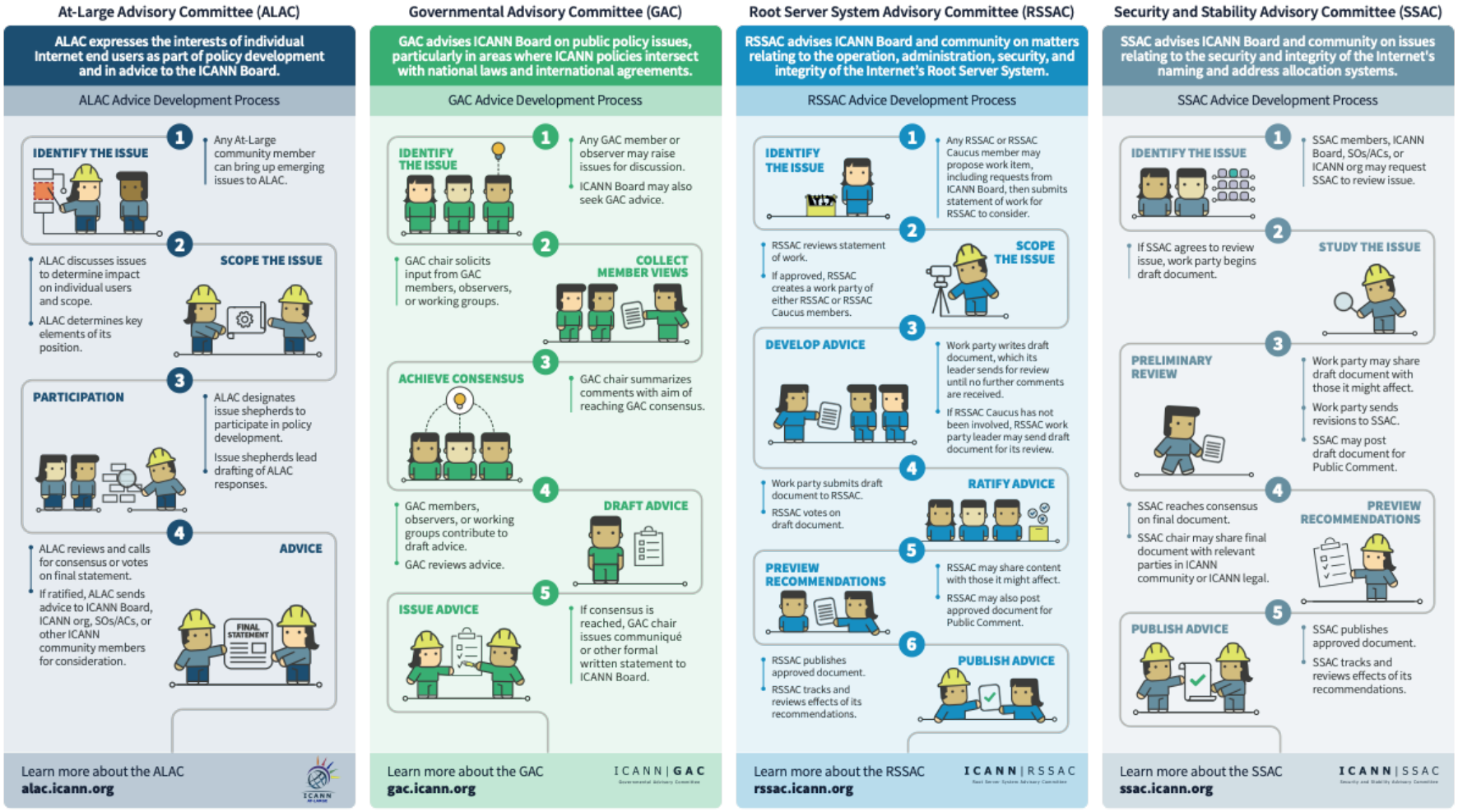
GAC Governmental Advisory Committee | **PDP** Policy Development Process | **SO/AC** Supporting Organizations/Advisory Committees | **WG** Working Group

Multistakeholder Advice Development



Policy Development Support Team

34 FTE

Subject Matter Experts and Community Operations Management

6 Time Zones across 9 Countries

9 Languages

- Afrikaans
- Chinese
- Dutch
- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Spanish
- Turkish

Plenary Sessions

Monday, 14 June, 12:30 – 14:00 UTC
Impact of Regulatory Developments on ICANN Policy Topics

Tuesday, 15 June, 14:30 - 16:00 UTC
ICANN's Multistakeholder Model within the Internet Governance Ecosystem

Thursday, 17 June, 10:30 – 12:00 UTC
Understanding Reputation Block Lists

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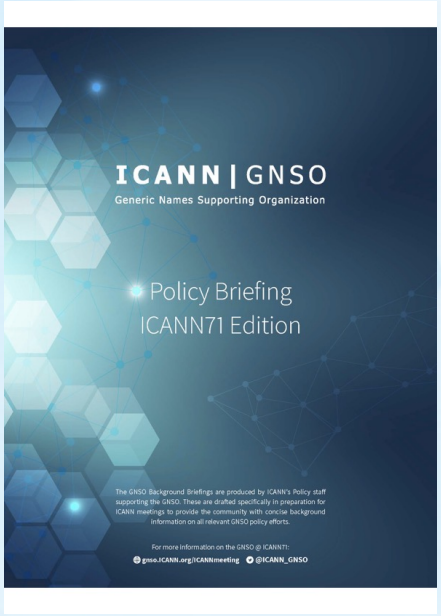
ICANN71 Policy Outlook Report: https://go.icann.org/outlook71

GNSO Policy Briefing | ICANN71 Edition: https://go.icann.org/gnsobriefing



ICANN71 Prep Sessions: https://71.schedule.icann.org/prep-week-schedule

Supporting Organization and Advisory Committee Updates

Address Supporting Organization (ASO)

Carlos Reyes

Policy Development

The ASO Address Council (AC) manages the global policy development process.
There are currently no global policy proposals.

Regional Internet Registry Community Policy Mailing Lists

- AFRINIC Resource Policy Development Working Group
- APNIC Policy Special Interest Group
- ARIN Public Policy
- LACNIC Politicas
- RIPE Address Policy Working Group

Regional Internet Registry Meetings

- APNIC 52 8-16 September 2021
- LACNIC 36 11-15 October 2021
- ARIN 48 19, 20, 28 October and 4 November 2021
- RIPE 83 22-26 November 2021
- AFRINIC 34 TBC

ICANN Board Seat 9 Selection Process

- **Nomination Phase**
  - Ten candidates met the selection criteria and conflict of interest requirements. No candidates residing in the APNIC region due to regional balance requirements in the ICANN Bylaws.
- **Interview Phase** for eight candidates
- **ICANN Due Diligence** on four nominated candidates
- **Selection Phase** (deliberation) and **Selection Phase** (voting)
- **Selected Candidate**: Alan Barrett

More information

Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO)

Bart Boswinkel

Top Issues

Ongoing ccNSO Policy Development Processes

- Third (ccPDP3) including a review mechanism pertaining to decision on the delegation, transfer, revocation, and retirement of country code top-level domains
- Fourth (ccPDP4) (de)selection of Internationalized Domain Name country code top-level domain strings

ccNSO schedule at ICANN71

- Tech Day
- ccNSO Members Meeting:
  - ccNSO Governance Session
  - Question & Answer session ccTLD-associated ICANN Board members
  - Policy Session
- ccNSO Council meeting

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ccNSO Schedule and Remote Participation Hub:
The one-stop page for all your remote participation queries
https://community.icann.org/x/WIG1CQ

Agenda ICANN71 ccNSO Members Meeting
https://community.icann.org/x/UYG1CQ

Agenda ICANN71 Tech Day
https://community.icann.org/x/a4G1CQ

Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO)

Julie Hedlund

Top Issues

EPDP on the Temporary Specification for gTLD Registration Data – Phase 2A

- The EPDP Phase 2A Team has been working on its Initial Report on two topics: (1) legal v. natural persons and (2) feasibility of uniform anonymized email addresses. The EPDP Phase 2A Team plans to present an overview and solicit community input on its Initial Report at ICANN71.

New gTLD Subsequent Procedures PDP and Rights Protection Mechanisms in All gTLDs PDP

- Final adopted outputs of the Rights Protection Mechanisms in All gTLDs and the New gTLD Subsequent Procedures PDPs have been sent to the ICANN Board. Public Comment proceedings were held to support the Board's consideration.

Transfer Policy PDP

- The GNSO Council initiated a new two-phased PDP on the Transfer Policy on 18 February 2021. The PDP will review the policy governing transfers of domain names from one registrar to another, as well as transfers from one registrant to another.

Top Issues

Internationalized Domain Names EPDP

- The GNSO Council initiated an EPDP on Internationalized Domain Names and approved its charter on 20 May 2021. An outreach session will be held at ICANN71.

Bilateral Sessions

- The GNSO Council will meet with the ICANN Board, ccNSO, and GAC during ICANN71.

GNSO Council Meeting

- Open to observers

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GNSO Council Meeting:
https://community.icann.org/display/gnsocouncilmeetings/GNSO+Council+Meeting+2021-06-16

GNSO Policy Briefing: https://go.icann.org/gnsobriefing

At-Large Advisory Committee (ALAC) and At-Large Community

Heidi Ullrich

Gisella Gruber

Top Issues

Overview of Sessions

- 10 At-Large Sessions in three tracks: Operations, Outreach and Engagement and Policy.
- At-Large at ICANN71 Workspace: https://community.icann.org/display/atlarge/ICANN71+-+June+2021%3A+Virtual+Policy+Forum

Operations Track Sessions

- Welcome Session featuring an overview of all At-Large sessions (14 June).
- Wrap Up Session

Outreach and Engagement Track Sessions

- Pre-ICANN71 webinars: At-Large at ICANN71 Overview, Outreach and Engagement.
- EURALO Sessions: Flash Pitch Tour of ICANN and At-Large, EURALO Policy Session on New gTLDs: Protection of Geographical Names in Europe and an EURALO Social Event.
- Joint AFRALO/AfrICANN Meeting.

Policy Activities

Policy Activity Since ICANN70

- Five ALAC statements, ALAC advice on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures

At-Large Policy Updates

- Two ICANN Learn Courses
- At-Large adapting to GNSO 3.0 representative model

Policy Track Sessions

- Regional Responses to DNS abuse
- GDPR, EPDP and EU policy implications
- End User Participation in ICANN PDPs and their Role within the ICANN Ecosystem
- ccTLDs and the Public Interest

Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC)

Robert Hoggarth

Current GAC Demographics

- 179 Country/Territory Members
- 38 Observer Organizations
- ~ 480 participants/delegates
- Increased attendance and participation during COVID-19
- ~ 85 New GAC delegates since ICANN66
- Continued focus on engagement activities in virtual environment

Current GAC Interests & Priorities

- New gTLDs
  - Subsequent Procedures
  - Timing of next round
- GDPR implementation
  - EPDP Phase 1 implementation
  - EPDP Phase 2 Final Report
  - EPDP Phase 2A
  - Data accuracy
- DNS abuse mitigation
- IGO protections
  - GAC Advice
  - GNSO Work Track
- GAC Operations
  - Work Stream 2/ATRT3 implementation

GAC During ICANN71

- Sixteen (16) Open Topic Sessions and Meetings
- ~19 Hours of Public Programming (*not including organizational meetings and daily updates*)
- Session Topics include:
  - New gTLD Subsequent Procedures (2)
  - DNS Abuse Mitigation
  - IGO Protections
  - Registration Data Services and Data Protection
  - GAC Meetings with ICANN Board, ALAC and GNSO (3)
  - GAC Communiqué Drafting (Wed/Thurs) (~5)

Root Server System Advisory Committee (RSSAC)

Ozan Sahin

Top Issues

Current work in the RSSAC Caucus

- Tool to Gather a Local Perspective of the RSS – RSSAC Caucus Work Party
- Effects and Mitigations of a Rogue RSO – RSSAC Caucus Work Party
- Development of an RSSAC Caucus Member Recognition Program

Current work in the RSSAC

- Explanatory publication on the 11 principles outlined in RSSAC037 guiding the operation of the public Root Server System
- Drafting a progress report on the implementation of RSSAC2 Organizational Review recommendations
- Implementation of Cross-Community Working Group on Enhancing ICANN Accountability (CCWG-Accountability), Work Stream 2 recommendations

Meeting at ICANN71

- **RSSAC Caucus Local Perspective Tool Work Party meeting**, Tuesday, 15 June

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For further information on the Root Server System and the RSSAC:

- Brief Overview of the Root Server System | ICANN Office of the Chief Technology Officer: https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/octo-010-06may20-en.pdf
- RSSAC publications: https://www.icann.org/groups/rssac/documents
- RSSAC Frequently Asked Questions: https://www.icann.org/groups/rssac/faq

Security and Stability Advisory Committee (SSAC)

Danielle Rutherford

Current Work Parties

- SSAC Routing Security Work Party
- SSAC Root Service Early Warning System Work Party

Top Issues

- Progressing the work proposed in SAC115: SSAC Report on an Interoperable Approach to Addressing Abuse Handling in the DNS
- Participating in community consultations regarding SAC114: SSAC Comments on the GNSO New gTLD Subsequent Procedures Draft Final Report

Meetings during ICANN71

- **DNSSEC Workshop,** Monday, 14 June 2021
- **SSAC Public Meeting,** Thursday, 17 June 2021

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