## **ICANN Community Leadership Digest**



The ICANN org Policy Development Support function publishes this twice-weekly digest to help ICANN community leaders track requests and follow updates.

This week marks the one-year anniversary of the ICANN Community Leadership Digest!

After ICANN67, there will be a short survey to gather feedback and recommendations for continuous improvement. Thank you for reading.

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# **ICANN67 Planning**

**NEW: ICANN67 Planning Call** 

From: David Olive, Senior Vice President, Policy Development Support

An ICANN67 Planning call will be held on **Tuesday, 25 February 2020 at 16:00 UTC** for all Supporting Organization, Advisory Committee, Stakeholder Group, and Constituency leaders. ICANN org will continue to make further announcements as circumstances warrant.

# DUE TODAY: Areas of Interest from the ICANN Board for ICANN67 Constituency Day From: Maarten Botterman, ICANN Board Chair

### **ACTION ITEM**

Our first meeting of the year is approaching fast! The Board and I very much look forward to engaging with you.

As we continue working with you on the format of our engagement with your groups, we would like to experiment a new way of interacting by offering you to choose one or two area(s) of interest and having an open discussion with the Board on those, instead of asking you to come up with specific questions.

We are also suggesting that the list of areas of interest be shared with the entire Community using this digest, in order to increase transparency and allow the groups to improve their own understanding of their peers' point of views on different issues.

As for time allocation, we propose to allocate the first part of our time together to be spent on your specific areas of interest, and to allow sufficient time to address the areas of interest indicated by the Board, if they have not been covered by that time. So you are aware, we are not changing the current total time allotted per group.

In preparation for our meetings, the Board proposes the following areas of interest to have an open discussion with you:

- 1. Key priorities for action of ICANN constituencies in 2020 (e.g. prioritization of recommendations, streamlining of reviews, improve effectiveness of ICANN's multistakeholder model. ...)
- 2. Specific developments coming up that ICANN constituencies feel need to be addressed when updating the ICANN Strategic Plan.

We would be very grateful if you could send Board Operations, board-ops-team@icann.org, your area(s) of interest, in order of priority, no later than Monday, 24 February 2020.

We look forward to hearing your thoughts on our suggestions and on how to further improve our interaction. We thank you in advance for your time on this matter.

# **Information Sharing**

**NEW: EPDP Recommendation 17.2 Questionnaire** 

From: Cyrus Namazi, Senior Vice President, Global Domains Division

### **INFORMATION SHARING**

As part of ICANN org's research for Recommendation 17.2 of the EPDP Team's Phase 1 Final Report, the Global Domains Division (GDD) has prepared a short questionnaire to collect input on the risks, feasibility, and costs of differentiating between legal and natural persons in registration data directory services (RDDS).

Members of ICANN community groups with a view on the subject are invited to fill out and share the questionnaire at https://icannprds.typeform.com/to/ehG295 before Friday, 20 March 2020.

Results will be integrated into the report on Recommendation 17.2 for the EPDP Team.

REMINDER: Nomination Period for ICANN Community Excellence Award 2020 Now Open

From: David Olive, Senior Vice President, Policy Development Support

#### INFORMATION SHARING

The nomination period for the ICANN Community Excellence Award 2020 is now open. Formerly known as the Multistakeholder Ethos Award, the ICANN Community Excellence Award recognizes ICANN community members who substantively contribute to policymaking within the ICANN ecosystem and who are deeply invested in developing consensus-based solutions within ICANN's multistakeholder model. Learn more about the <u>nomination process</u> and submit your nominations <u>here</u>.

## **Public Comment**

CLOSES TOMORROW: Draft FY21-25 Operating & Financial Plan and Draft FY21 Operating Plan &

**Budget** 

Close Date: Tuesday, 25 February 2020

<u>Second Security, Stability, and Resiliency (SSR2) Review Team Draft Report</u> Close Date: Wednesday, 4 March 2020

Initial Report of the Expedited Policy Development Process (EPDP) on the Temporary

Specification for gTLD Registration Data Team – Phase 2 Close Date: Monday, 23 March 2020

<u>Draft Proposal for NextGen@ICANN Program Improvements</u> Close Date: Tuesday, 31 March 2020

Name Collision Analysis Project (NCAP) Study 1

Close Date: Tuesday, 31 March 2020

Middle East and Adjoining Countries (MEAC) Strategy 2021-2025

Close Date: Friday, 3 April 2020

**Revised Community Travel Support Guidelines** 

Close Date: Monday, 13 April 2020

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