

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.

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TOMORROW: Webinars to Discuss the Revised Proposed FY21-25 Operating & Financial Plan and FY21 Operating Plan & Budget [Announcement](#)

ICANN org will hold two public webinars to discuss the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on its current and planned work. ICANN org has recently developed new projections in ICANN's Revised Draft FY21-25 Operating and Financial Plan and Revised Draft FY21 Operating Plan and Budget, which will be presented during the webinars for information and discussion and will be proposed for adoption by the ICANN Board in early May.

Please join one of the two scheduled informational webinars on 28 April 2020 to learn more about the impact of COVID-19 on ICANN's planned work as detailed in the Revised Draft FY21-25 Operating and Financial Plan and Revised Draft FY21 Operating Plan and Budget. ICANN welcomes the community's questions and comments.

Webinar #1

Tuesday, 28 April 2020, 15:00-16:30 UTC

[Remote Participation](#)

Webinar #2

Tuesday, 28 April 2020, 23:00-00:30 UTC

[Remote Participation](#)

REMINDER: Call for Expressions of Interest: Standing Panel for ICANN's Independent Review Process [Announcement](#)

On 31 March 2020, ICANN opened a call for Expressions of Interest for panelists to serve on the omnibus Standing Panel for ICANN's Independent Review Process (IRP).

Candidates for the IRP omnibus Standing Panel should review the [Expressions of Interest document](#) before submission. The document includes the following information:

- Panel Position Description
- Required or Highly Preferred Skills
- Required or Highly Preferred Experience
- Time Commitment
- Compensation and Selection

Expressions of Interest should be submitted to irp-standingpanel-eoi2020@icann.org by 23:59 UTC on Friday, 31 July 2020.

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REMINDER: ICANN68 Publication Support

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

Design and Translation Deadline

If you require design assistance for your publication, you need to provide all the text, images, layout, and publication type/size requirements (i.e. newsletter vs. 1-pager vs. trifold, etc.). You will receive a maximum of 2 iterations of the publication. **Please provide everything by Wednesday, 13 May 2020.** Please keep in mind that all materials, new or updated, need to be evergreen.

Translation-only Deadline

If your publication requires translation, **please provide the final material(s) by Monday, 25 May 2020.** This ensures that there is enough time to translate the publication by the below print deadline. If your materials require design assistance (outlined above), please note that the final materials will have to be complete, including the edit/approval process, by this deadline in order to be translated.

Please work directly with your support staff to submit these requests to chantelle.doerksen@icann.org and liana.teo@icann.org.

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CLOSES NEXT WEEK: [Phase 1 Initial Report of the Review of All Rights Protection Mechanisms in All gTLDs Policy Development Process](#)

Close Date: Monday, 4 May 2020

CLOSES NEXT WEEK: [Addendum to the Initial Report of the Expedited Policy Development Process \(EPDP\) on the Temporary Specification for gTLD Registration Data Team – Phase 2](#)

Close Date: Tuesday, 5 May 2020

[Guidelines for Developing Reference Label Generation Rules \(LGRs\) for the Second Level Version 2](#)

Close Date: Tuesday, 12 May 2020

[ICANN Africa Regional Plan for Fiscal Years 2021-2025](#)

Close Date: Wednesday, 27 May 2020

[Draft PTI FY21-24 Strategic Plan](#)

Close Date: Monday, 1 June 2020