

## 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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### Information Sharing

**NEW:** [ICANN69 Policy Outlook Report and GNSO Policy Briefing ICANN69 Edition](#)

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

The [ICANN69 Policy Outlook Report](#) and [GNSO Policy Briefing ICANN69 Edition](#) are now available. These reports provide background information for the ICANN69 Virtual Annual General Meeting scheduled for **13-22 October 2020**.

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**NEW:** [ICANN69 Social Media Sharing Campaign](#)

To get the community excited about and engaged with ICANN69, ICANN is launching [a new social media campaign](#).

For ICANN67, the campaign asked participants to share photos of their workspace; for ICANN68, we asked for photos of the city from where participants joined the meeting.

For ICANN69, the campaign is called **#ICANNintermission**.

This time, we are asking members of the ICANN community, ICANN Board, and ICANN org to send us photos of what they like to do between sessions (yoga, going for a run, playing with their pets, playing soccer with their kids, etc.). We need a few photos to get the campaign started!



Photos need to be in landscape mode, (see example above) preferably with the subject in the center to crop the image. Please provide the city and any other information you want to let us know.

Send photos and information to [icanncontent@icann.org](mailto:icanncontent@icann.org).

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### **THIS WEEK: ICANN69 Prep Week**

ICANN org recently [announced](#) the ICANN69 Prep Week schedule. Twelve webinars will be offered from **5-8 October 2020**. To access the Prep Week schedule, please [register](#) for ICANN69.

Upon registration, you will receive two emails:

- Registration confirmation
- An email with login information for the schedule

Once you log into the schedule, you will be able to sign up for the Prep Week webinars. Please note that participation links will be posted 24 hours prior to the session start times for security purposes. The session schedule will display in your local time, based on the time set for your device where you view the website. Times on the schedule are in Central European Summer Time (CEST).

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### **CLOSES NEXT THURSDAY: Nominations for NextGen Selection Committee and Mentor Positions Now Open**

**From:** Sally Costerton, Senior Advisor to the President and Senior Vice President, Global Stakeholder Engagement

The ICANN org NextGen Program [announced](#) that it is seeking nominations for mentors and for the NextGen selection committee. Communities may choose to appoint program alumni and are encouraged to appoint active community members who have an interest in mentoring students.

There are three slots available for mentors, and five slots for selection committee members. Each SO/AC is asked to nominate candidates for both positions. Individual self-nominations will not be considered.

Interested community groups should select their respective NextGen@ICANN volunteers by **Thursday, 15 October 2020** and notify Deborah Escalera at [nextgen@icann.org](mailto:nextgen@icann.org).

Learn more about the guidelines and expectations for [Mentors](#) and for the [Selection Committee](#).

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### **REMINDER: Making ICANN Public Meetings Work for You**

**From:** Göran Marby, ICANN President and CEO

The ICANN Board is seeking community feedback to assess the effectiveness of our virtual Public Meetings, the improvements that the org should make to its support for the community's work at meetings, and any other aspects that should be integrated into our in-person meeting strategy going forward.

ICANN org is sending a survey to our Supporting Organization (SO) and Advisory Committee (AC) chairs to spark a discussion within each group, as this discussion belongs to the community. The chairs will then coordinate and consolidate their respective group's feedback. The Board will also host a session at ICANN69 to continue the conversation with the community about our meeting strategy. The survey will serve as a guidepost for those discussions.

Participate in the [ICANN69 Board/Community Focus on Meetings Session](#) on **Monday, 19 October 2020 at 12:30 UTC**.

[Learn more.](#)

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### **REMINDER: Information Transparency Initiative Update: New Content Available for Your Feedback**

**From:** Sally Newell Cohen, ICANN Senior Vice President, Global Communications

As ICANN org President and CEO Göran Marby announced in his [May 2020 blog](#), the Information Transparency Initiative (ITI) team is releasing new content to <https://preview.icann.org>, and content on <https://icann.org> has been improved with ITI's enhanced search features. New and improved content

includes:

- **Correspondence** - New findability improvements include keyword(s) search allowing you to narrow your search within Correspondence files, an advanced year selector, a helpful sub-navigation menu, and an improved table layout to enhance accessibility and readability.
- **Board Meeting Materials** - We've made upgrades to this content type since the May 2020 release. The keyword(s) search has been implemented and improved, and most Board Meeting files and pages from 1998-2019 are now available via filtered or keyword search.
- **Acronyms and Terms** - Enhancements to the existing release include alignment with ITI's new user experience, additional terms added in all six U.N. languages, and a new sub-navigation menu.

### **We Need Your Feedback**

To support our current release, we invite the community to join us for two upcoming webinars. The team will demonstrate the enhancements to Correspondence, Board Materials, and Acronyms and Terms, and answer any questions.

#### **ITI Webinar 1**

Tuesday, 1 December 2020, 15:00 UTC

[Register](#)

#### **ITI Webinar 2**

Tuesday, 1 December 2020, 22:00 UTC

[Register](#)

[Learn more.](#)

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## Public Comment

[Reference Label Generation Rulesets \(LGRs\) for the Second Level](#)

**Close Date:** Thursday, 15 October 2020

[Proposed Amendment 1 to the .JOBS Registry Agreement](#)

**Close Date:** 16 November 2020

**NEW:** [Recommendations for Early Warning for Root Zone Scaling](#)

**Close Date:** Monday, 23 November 2020