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Webinars

REMINDER: Draft Planning Prioritization Framework Webinar

ICANN org will hold a webinar about the Draft Planning Prioritization Framework on **Tuesday, 29 March 2022 at 14:00 UTC**. Please register [here](#) in advance of the meeting.

Information Sharing

NEW: ICANN Request for Quotation (RFQ): Network Equipment Refresh 2022

ICANN organization issued a request for quotation (RFQ) to identify one or more providers to facilitate the sourcing and pre-configuration tasks for network equipment for its global network infrastructure.

[Read more.](#)

NEW: ICANN Request for Quotation (RFQ): Server Refresh 2022

ICANN organization issued a request for quotation (RFQ) to identify one or more providers to facilitate the sourcing and pre-configuration tasks for servers for its global network infrastructure.

[Read more.](#)

NEW: ICANN73 Governmental Advisory Committee Communiqué Now Available

The Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) of ICANN issued the ICANN73 GAC Communiqué. It is available for review [here](#).

NEW: ICANN Planning Prioritization Framework Pilot

ICANN org published the Draft Planning Prioritization Framework and is now ready to launch the Community led Pilot.

Org would like to thank the SO/AC Leadership for appointing one primary representative and one alternate (backup) for the Planning Prioritization Framework Pilot. The ICANN org Planning team is organizing the Pilot meetings with the first meeting expected to start the week of **Monday, 21 March 2022**.

The Draft Planning Prioritization Framework V1 is published on the ICANN Planning and Finance workspace, [here](#). The pilot will give ICANN org and the community an opportunity to test the process and methodologies developed in the draft framework and identify gaps for further improvement. The pilot will be conducted specifically on the implementation of Board-approved [Specific Reviews](#) recommendations.

We appreciate the opportunity to engage with community members on the development of this framework and we specifically thank the nominated community members for their upcoming participation in the Pilot.

CLOSES TOMORROW: ICANN 2022 NomCom Extends Deadline to 18 March

ICANN 2022 NomCom announced that it has extended the deadline for ICANN leadership applications to **18 March 2022, 23:59 Universal Coordinated Time (UTC)**.

[Read more.](#)

CLOSES MONDAY: ICANN Community Excellence Award Nomination Period

The nomination period for the ICANN Community Excellence Award is now open. The deadline for submissions is **Monday, 21 March 2022** and the winner(s) will be announced at ICANN74. Learn more about the [nomination process](#).

[Submit your nominations.](#)

REMINDER: ICANN Org's Draft Planning Prioritization Framework (Version 1) Now Available

ICANN org recently published the initial [draft](#) of its Planning Prioritization Framework. Since FY21, planning at ICANN has been one of 15 Operating Initiatives included in ICANN's Operating Plan. As part of this initiative, the draft Planning Prioritization Framework is designed to help ICANN prioritize its work within the planning cycle in a manner that is transparent, inclusive, and efficient.

[Read more.](#)

REMINDER: NextGen@ICANN Application Deadline for ICANN74 Extended Through 1 April 2022

ICANN has extended the deadline to submit applications for the NextGen@ICANN program for the ICANN74 Policy Forum Meeting. The closing date for applications is now **1 April 2022**.

For more information about the NextGen@ICANN program, its eligibility requirements, selection criteria, and the application process, please [click here](#).

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Open for Submissions Date: Monday, 14 March 2022
Closed for Submissions Date: Monday, 25 April 2022

CLOSES TOMORROW: [Name Collision Analysis Project \(NCAP\) Study 2 Documents](#)

Open for Submissions Date: Thursday, 27 January 2022
Closed for Submissions Date: Friday, 18 March 2022

Policy Status Report: [Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy \(UDRP\)](#)

Open for Submissions Date: Thursday, 03 March 2022
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