

Subject: [Ext] RE: Action Amrita / Next Steps for 2019ALAC and RALO Elections, Selections and Appointments
Date: Thursday, May 16, 2019 at 9:48:43 PM Pacific Daylight Time
From: Amrita
To: Claudia Ruiz
CC: Silvia Vivanco

Dear Claudio,

Thank you for reaching out.

My brief profile along with the work I have been involved in so far has been updated in my SOI page : <https://community.icann.org/display/atlarge/Amrita+Choudhury+SOI>. Sharing below in brief, my supporting statement as requested:

Being involved in the Internet ecosystem at the grass root level, for nearly two decades has given me a nuanced understanding of the issues and opportunities not only of the APAC region, but also of most emerging nations, especially related to access, digital literacy, multilingual internet, inclusion of unrepresented communities, women and youth. Besides, my engagement in ICANN as a fellow, coach, community member and ALS member, over the years, has given me a reasonable understanding of the ICANN's structure, process and different SO/AC's.

My involvement and participation at national, regional and global IG platforms as MSG AprIGF; At Large ALS and ICANN Fellow and Coach; BPF Women, has provided me with an opportunity to meet and network with diverse community members and understand their strengths and skills. This understanding has further been enhanced due to the various community engagement initiatives I have been involved in the region, owing to my engagement as President, ISOC Delhi Chapter, Lead APAC for Women Special Interest group and ChAC-SC at ISOC, Founding member and part of Steering committee inSIG, Director CCAOI, Advisor Youth IGF in India, to name a few. This regional understanding and familiarity, I believe are skills necessary for any Nom Com member.

Further, as Beyond the Net Selection Committee member 2018, APSIG 2017 selection committee, Lead Sub theme Diversity and Inclusion AprIGF Synthesis Document 2018 drafting committee, has rendered me with the necessary skills for evaluation while balancing diversity and inclusion, decision making through rough consensus and working under strict timelines - skills necessary for any Nom Com member .

To conclude, I believe my experience, nuanced understanding of national, regional and global issues, the ICANN process along with my leadership, organizational, communication skills and result orientation makes me a suitable candidate to effectively balance the global needs of Nom Com along with the need of inclusion and diversity.

I also wish to add that, if elected to the position of Nom Com representative from APRALO, I will gladly step down from my current position of At Large nominated mentor for the Fellowship program, so that the alternate selected candidate can take over the Mentorship role.

I will be happy to provide further clarification if required.

Regards,

Amrita

From: Claudia Ruiz [mailto:claudia.ruiz@icann.org]
Sent: Friday, May 17, 2019 8:40 AM

To: Amrita
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Dear Amrita,

Hope this e-mail finds you well.

I'm reaching out to you to inform you about the next steps to follow for [2019 ALAC and RALO Elections, Selections and Appointments](#)

Since you have already accepted your nomination for the position of APRALO ALAC Delegate to the NomCom, please be so kind to complete the step given below:

1. Submitting your Nominee Statement (A brief statement explaining why you believe you are a suitable candidate)

Please let me know if you need any further help.

Thank you.
Kind Regards,
Claudia Ruiz