Expression of Interest (EOI) Form

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1)	Name:	Pooya Teimoory
2)	Country of primary residence:	Iran
3)	Current employer (s):	Pars Online Telecommunications
4)	Current position (s)	Senior Network Engineer
5)	Have you been and/or are you involved in any ICANN related working groups? If yes, which stakeholder group do you represent? Are you part of any ICANN constituency?	Unfortunately, no; but I am very interested to have the chance of being involved in a working group.
6)	Please explain your interest in participating in the Strategy Working Group. What will you bring to the Strategy Working Group, if selected?	Due to my 4 years of background in the communication service provider industry and also being a researcher at the university; I think that I can be an effective representative from technical community and academia in the Strategy Working Group. I have good experiences in planning, policy making and process design and management so I think that I can actively participate in making strategic plans. I know many people in the Internet industry of Iran as country in the middle-east and so I can convince them for cooperation to realize the strategies made by the Working Group.
7)	Additional Information (Optional)	I am working as a senior network engineer at Pars Online group of companies, one of the largest Communication Service Providers in Iran, and also a researcher at Islamic Azad University South Tehran Branch. My main activities, experiences and responsibilities include but not limited to IP/MPLS Network Design, Enterprise Network Solution Architecture, Network Automation and Software Defined Networking. Now days we are working on automation of Pars Online network as a leading Service Provider in Iran, also individually I am doing my research studies on 5G and its emerging technologies with focus of using SDN and NFV.

After attending MENOG 18, it became more tangible for me that we can accelerate network development by using the valuable experiences of other community members. Attending RIPE78 meeting as a fellow was a valuable experience for me from social and technical aspects. I had no idea before about how members of a great community with such diversity can communicate so openly and friendly. Being a RIPE fellow gave me the chance to have a more comprehensive understanding about how Internet community works and meeting key players and policy makers of the RIPE region.

I should mention that I have good knowledge about ICANN and its multi-stakeholder approach as I have passed following courses through ICANN learn platform:

102.1 Introduction to ICANN

500.1 Internet Diplomacy