EURALO Newsletter

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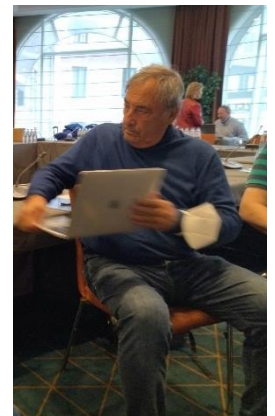
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EURALO Days
08-10 NOVEMBER 2022
Brussels, Belgium

Dear EURALO Members,

**From the 8th to the 10th November 2022, EURALO Leaders
with support of ICANN staff
were organizing the EURALO Days (in Hybrid Format)**.
Those days included the General Assembly as such Capacity building sessions, Meetings with ICANN
and friend organizations leaders. And lot of time to allow discussions and networking.
This issue of the newsletter will be devoted partly to this event
(by summarys from 3 reporters) and other ICANN and IG news.

Dear readers, dear EURALO members,

I would like to thank all the ones who made possible the EURALO Days:

Organizers
•EURALO leaders
•At-Large staff
•GSE staff
•Meeting staff

Participants
•ALS representatives
•Other participants

Speakers (from)
•EURALO
•ALAC & RALOs
•Org (including SVP & VPs)
•Board
•EURALO partners (RIPE NCC & Centr)
•Other groups (GAC, BC-GNSO, ETNO, AFNIC)
•Ombuds

With your participation it was a great success.

In this newsletter (Thanks Natalia) you will find the summary
of the 3 days, a lot of links (including the recording of the sessions) and many more information.
As you are reading be sure we need your inputs, your participation.
There are a lot of topics, a lot of opportunities.

You can help us to enhance EURALO participation in ICANN and At-Large.

You can help us to enhance EURALO voice within and outside of ICANN.

You can help us to raise higher the EURALO flag.

Sébastien Bachollet
EURALO Chair

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EURALO Days. Day 1-2-3. Summary has been written **by Frédéric Taes**

It was three days of magic at EURALO Days, from November 8th to 10th in Brussels, Belgium.

First day started, after warm welcome words from ICANN staff, EURALO and local ALS, with a "break the ice" to meet someone in pair. Given diversity of highly skilled participants from many different horizons and countries, this was a tremendous time. Some people from UK also exchanged remotely. Two questions were to be answered: what is EURALO for you, and what do you want EURALO to be? There was a vibrant call for volunteers (ex: NomCom) and Next Generation Program. How to onboard new comers and new generation was a key topic, giving increasing complexity and needed expertise. That's why in the afternoon, the structure of ICANN was explained, from NomCom to SSAC, from GNSO to GAC, or from CPWG to ICANN Board, with a member present to answer all questions, and a partner, RIPE NCC: great!   The day finished with EURALO Individuals' Association General Assembly, and a pleasant networking dinner.

Second day was even more intense, with several ICANN (S)VP's explaining GNSO's Policy Development Process (PDP) and it's 5 phases workflow, measured positive impact of version 3 of PDP (see PDP improvements tracker), or explaining the different working methods with their advantages or limits (as open model, representative model or mixed), and mobilization. Around noon we had a World-Tour with remote participation of the Regional At-Large Organizations of the 5 continents (RALO's), and the EURALO Hybrid General Assembly 2022 (see AGENDA), after what we had discussions with ICANN Board Members, and an overview of current Internet Governance topics in Europe, and an EURODIG announcement – already book 6-8 June 2023 in your agenda! The day ended with dinner round tables with ICANN Board Members and V(i)P's.

Third day started with great talks about Strategic Operations answering questions as how budget is made or how initiatives are ranked and prioritized? How IP addresses are allocated, with the IANA role – Internet Assigned Numbers Authority? What are challenges and approaches of the ICANN Office of the Ombudsman (*stay safe and be kind*) and finally meeting with a partner presenting its activities and answering to questions: Centr, the Council of European National Top-Level Domain Registries, and discussion with elected GAC Chair. The discussion shown again how Internet is fragile, and how building a better world may start at EURALO, with people from Ukraine and Russia in the same room. Multi-stakeholder approach must be preserved and is at risk. How EURALO ALS can be mobilized was the key topic of the afternoon, and everyone can participate in either (pick one!): Operations, Capacity Building Working Group, or Outreach & Engagement.

A small step for each At-Large Structure (ALS): please SHARE what you're doing and what you've done.

Want to know more? Read the full program on: https://community.icann.org/display/EURALO/2022+EURALO+Days and… register and join a next time to enjoy this wonderful international atmosphere.

Frederic Taes
President **ISOC Belgium**

EURALO Days. **Day 3**. Summary has been written **by Pari Esfandiari**

The third EURALO day began with a panel on the At Large Strategic Operations, discussing priorities for the Finance & Budget Working Group. The session was moderated by Natalia Filina. Sebastien started the conversation by referring to the interesting discussion that took place the night before during dinner emphasizing the importance of networking events in building community and also developing ideas. Then Ricardo Holmquist took the floor discussing the procedures and deadlines for the Additional Budget Requests (ABRs). The aim was to encourage those who have a project that fits the objectives of ICANN to apply. Then Sébastien Bachollet discussed the procedures for Reviews & Prioritization, and there were interesting exchanges with and amongst the participants.

The next session was Peter Van Roste, EURALO's Partner at CENTR. Referring to .RU, pointed out that an open discussion on this topic was not always easy. He explained that ".RU is still a member of the CENTR … but their membership rights have been temporarily suspended". He continued "the CENTR's community had a very intense, difficult but straightforward conversation on this. There is no doubt in anybody's mind that it is crucial that.RU keeps functioning, remains a structural part of the DNS system, and continues to provide identity and access and availability to Russian citizens". He hoped for global peace to be established and for .RU's membership rights instated soon.

Next was a discussion with Herb Waye - ICANN Ombuds. He pointed out that his job was "to try to resolve conflict, to ease tension, and to keep things running as smoothly as possible". He explained that his office had "no power or authority to take action". As an informal mediator, "I facilitate communication … the leadership in the community does have the power to take action" when they want to change the behavior. This must be supported by the "legal department and in an informal way by my office".

This was followed by a dialogue between Nicolas Caballero, the GAC Chair-Elect, and EURALO's chair, Sébastien Bachollet. Nicolas began by pointing out that he was not talking as the GAC chair because as yet he has not assumed the position. That would be in March 2023. He talked about his diverse cultural background. His professional life seems as diverse, beginning as a software engineer, he has worked in both the public and private sectors. Christopher Wilkinson asked about how GAC plans to accelerate the integration of new GAC members in terms of their knowledge. Nicolas said, "Capacity Building Workshop (CBW) was very successful in ICANN75 and now is arranged for Cancun." Another one was ICANN leadership Academy "which will go in parallel". Sebastien pointed out the importance of liaison between GAC and ALAC.

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He explained that when he joined the board he focused on that issue. The result is that we have had joint meetings at every ICANN public meeting since 2016 and there is an emphasis on the possibilities of cooperation at grassroots levels. In addition, there have been concrete policy cooperation between our committees. Fredric asked what would be GAC's biggest challenge when he becomes the chair. Nicolas responded, "on the technical level, the biggest challenge is to keep politics as much as possible out of our work. … The GAC is naturally involved in politics but I will try to focus on the role of GAC as pertaining to DNS".

Lunch break was an opportunity for networking and participants were asked to focus on two questions to start the discussion that afternoon: What is your takeaway from the EURALO days? How will you commit to engaging in the future of EURALO?

The afternoon session began with a discussion among participants about their vision for the EURALO, how to mobilize ALSs, and the questions posed earlier. Pari referred to her own experience, as an outsider becoming an ALAC member during the pandemic with no chance of meeting anyone, to highlight the importance of physical meetings for community building, sharing knowledge, and mentorship. She also discussed the different roles played by larger ICANN meetings and smaller regional meetings such as EURALO. Johnathon pointed out the importance of the broader participation of end users. He explained that participation is a huge time suck and intimidating, but people could be engaged in different levels and on non-technical topics.

The last session was an interesting conversation between ALAC Chair, Jonathan Zuck and Sébastien Bachollet, the EURALO Chair. Johnathan pointed out the "unrealized potential of RALO structures" and explained that his overarching objective as the chair of ALAC is "having a fluid system of communication and feedback loop through the RALOs to the Als's to the individual members and back again". Sebastein posed the question that if you could change one thing as ALAC chair what that would be? Johnathan responded the perception of end users about ICANN, pointing out the review of ALAC and the need to make that the top goal for next year. Sebastien pointed out the need to differentiate between the role of ALAC and RALOs. Where ALAC is involved in ICANN's finance, budget, and policy. RALOs on the other hand is involved in outreach and engagement. Johnathan agreed, explaining that "I think the primary role of ALAC responsibility is to represent end users within the ICANN community". While RALOs will represent end users outside ICANN community.

The day ended with Sebastien thanking everyone and with three action items: to set up a cross-RALO webinar on the IANA functions and the next step on internet fragmentation, all participants to send a note on how they wish to participate in EURALO, and EURALO Board to discuss the best channel to reach members.

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Pari Esfandiari
President
Global TechnoPolitics Forum

Brussels, Belgium

Summary has been written **by Natalia Filina, Secretary of EURALO**

I thank everyone who made our wonderful Euralo Days possible!
And everyone who found an opportunity to join, participate in person or follow EURALO meetings in Brussels online.
Thankful for warm hospitality and support of the event ISOC Belgium representatives: President Frederic Taes, Secretary General Eric Tomson and colleagues.

Mr. Chairman of EURALO granted me to write a summary about Day 2, but… thanks to my colleagues - there are records and there is Frederic's summary already cover all discussed issues and events, and Pari described the Day 3.

I feel I should express my main impressions:

All the EURALO Days were full of useful meetings and interactive, which we have been missing for a long time during virtual mode of work and interaction. Having received food for thought, updating our knowledge about 3 pillars of At-Large, policies, process improvements, the order of interaction within the framework of the Policy development processes, new outreach and engagement plans, we had the opportunity to brainstorm and reason - what is Euralo for us and what kind of future we see and can build.

The Questions from attendees highligted the gaps which we may cover by Capacity Building work and in-reach.Two general assemblies (EURALO`s and Association of Individual end users`) were not just summing up, but also an audit of the state of our community.

The issues of Mobilization, the official introduction of new rules of procedures and the questions "how and what we will represent in the future" and what roles we assign ourselves in these processes - we discussed this passionately, with big interest. But we didn't have enough participants, EURALO is much more than a list of those present at AGM. It is great that we already continue our talking via mailing list.

It is a wonderful **initiative of cross-RALO communication**, a meeting of regional leaders. That is an important line of information exchange and consolidation at the regional level of At-Large community.

Summary has been written **by Natalia Filina, Secretary of EURALO**

The attention of the ICANN Board members and ICANN staff is infinitely important for EURALO - we thank you for your participation, for presenting your vision of the important moments of ICANN work in cooperation with ALAC and At-Large.

We all were very glad to welcome new Youth - participants who actively joined the discussions and gave useful feedback, food for mind about what is the best way to organize work to attract young people and new members. This (and hopefully you!) will definitely be taken into account in our plans and improvements.

Meetings with representatives of Euralo MOU partners
(CENTR, RIPE NCC) were a great opportunity to get know more and move forward together.

And. **EURALO would not be like this without a living human kind attitude to each other**. Sebastien Bachollet, Chair of Euralo, gave everyone a delightful gift - a little pot of honey!
"To melt the ice and make our everyday life more sweet". Thank you very much!I

I hope you find the time and opportunity to listen to the recordings and we`ll continue our work together!

That was a real pleasure to meet all of you in real and online!

[ICANN75 Policy Outcomes Report
Is ready](#)

ICANN75
Policy Outcomes
Report

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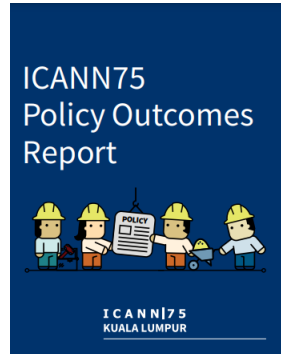
[The fifth ICANN DNS Symposium (IDS 2022)](#) was held 15-16 November 2022 in Brussels, Belgium. IDS 2022 will be held immediately before the IANA Community Day on 17 November.
The theme for IDS 2022 is "Examining the effects of both centralization and diversification in the DNS."

[The ICANN Board published its FY22 Annual Report for the fiscal year period of 1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022](#). This report documents ICANN Board, community, and org activities from the past year, recounts regional achievements and milestones, and previews ICANN's plans for the next fiscal year.

[ICANN Grant Program](#)
Learn more and participate in **ICANN Grant Program Webinar (1 December 2022)**

Dear EURALO members, Be aware and visit <u>https://www.icann.org/</u>

We also kind remind that you may subscribe and read the latest ICANN News via email

Latest ICANN News

ICANN Hosts Community Webinar on New gTLD SubPro ODA

ICANN will host a community webinar on the Operational Design Assessment (ODA) for the New Generic Top-Level Domain (gTLD) Subsequent Procedures (SubPro) Final Report. The Final Report Outputs contain important recommendations for the growth of the Internet namespace in support of ICANN's mission. The event will take place on Wednesday, 14 December 2022 at 13:00–15:00 and 20:00–22:00 UTC.

Register for the ICANN Grant Program Implementation Update Webinar

ICANN invites the community to join a public webinar for an update on the ICANN Grant Program. This webinar will report on recent updates regarding the preliminary implementation design, the work ahead as implementation design continues, and the forecasted timeline leading to the first grant cycle. The webinar will take place on 1 December 2022 at 15:00 UTC.

Advisory: Fees Related to Requests for gTLD Registration Data Access

ICANN org has published an advisory to raise awareness within ICANN community that some registrars have begun charging fees to process third-party requests for access to nonpublic generic top-level domain registration data. ICANN org is concerned that registrars' imposition of fees may pose an access barrier. Click the banner to read this advisory and learn more about this topic.

Press Release: ICANN Investment in Africa Enables Safer, Faster Internet Access Across the Continent

ICANN, in cooperation with its regional partners, is deploying a new ICANN Managed Root Server (IMRS) cluster in Nairobi, Kenya. An IMRS cluster helps improve DNS infrastructure in any country, territory, or region of the world, and in this case will reduce the impact of potential cyberattacks across Africa. Click the title to read this press release and learn more.

Engage With ICANN

CEO Reports to the Board

Before each ICANN Board Workshop, the ICANN organization (org) Executive team creates a report for the ICANN Board, which summarizes ICANN org's highlights, milestones, and recent activities.

Careers at ICANN

Interested in helping shape the future of the Internet? Explore the career opportunities available at ICANN and apply today!

Explore ICANN Learn

Check out this free online learning platform, which is dedicated to sharing knowledge about the Internet and our important role in its operation.

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Learn about our mission; our bottom-up, multistakeholder model that supports it; and how to get involved.

Explore ICANN's Engagement Calendar

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Participate in ICANN Public Meetings

Engage with ICANN Public Meetings and learn how these events support global collaboration to build policies supporting the Internet ecosystem.

Multistakeholder Advice Development

The Policy Development Support Team facilitates bottom-up, consensus-driven processes for advice on global gTLD, ccTLD, and IP address policies.

Below is an interregional policy development page for the entire At-Large community.
https://community.icann.org/display/alacpolicydev/At-Large+Policy+Advice+Development+Page

This page is intended to help the At-Large community contribute to the At-Large/ALAC policy recommendations that are currently being developed.Please add comments by clicking the "Add comment" button at the bottom of the page.Don't forget to add your name and affiliation to your comment and use additional links to get information
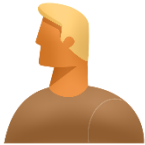
USEFUL At-Large Policy Resources
At-Large and DNS Abuse | At-Large and Universal Acceptance
| At-Large Policy Summary | At-Large Executive Summary page
Consolidated Policy Working Group (CPWG)

EPDP Resources
Web Page of EPDP | EPDP on the Temporary Specification for gTLD Registration Data | Keep Up with EPDP on the Temporary Specification for gTLD Registration Data | EPDP Background Documents

ICANN Correspondence
If you're looking for Empowered Community Correspondence, click here.
If you're looking for Data Protection/Privacy Correspondence, click here.

Please note that translations of the ALAC Advice to the ICANN Board on Subsequent Procedures in Spanish, French, Arabic, Russian, and Chinese, in addition to English, are now available on the At-Large website and workspace.
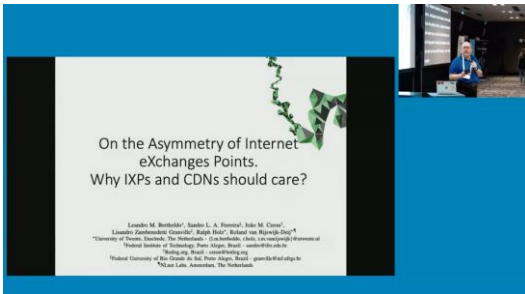
And we kindly remind about the opportunity to find your seat in At-Large Working Groups

The **RIPE 85** meeting was take place on 24-28 October in Belgrad. https://ripe85.ripe.net/

The recordings and presentations are here https://ripe85.ripe.net/archives/

The Internet standardization body, IETF (Internet Engineering Task Force), just held its 115th meeting in London from the 5th to the 11th of November. Meeting materials of IETF15 can be found here https://www.ietf.org/how/meetings/115/

Upcoming Meetings
IETF Meetings are held three times per year around the world to promote in-person attendance by IETF participants:
IETF 116
March 25-31, 2023 Yokohama, Japan - Hosted by WIDE
IETF 117
July 22-28, 2023. San Francisco, CA, USA - Hilton Union Square. Hosted by Nokia

IGF ETHIOPIA 2022 ኢ.ትዮጵያ

The 17th IGF (in a hybrid format), under the overarching theme **Resilient Internet for a Shared Sustainable and Common Future**, was held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia from 28 November to 2 December 2022.

The forum program focuses on five key topics:
- Connecting All People and Safeguarding Human Rights
- Avoiding Internet Fragmentation
- Governing Data and Protecting Privacy
- Enabling Safety, Security and Accountability
- Addressing Advanced Technologies, including AI

You may find IGF2022 Session reports here.
Please visit the At-Large 2022 IGF workspace https://community.icann.org/display/atlarge/At-Large+Outreach+Activities+at+the+2022+IGF+in+Ethiopia

5 décembre 2022

Forum sur la gouvernance de l'Internet

FGI France 2022

IGF FRANCE 2022: 5 December 2022. Be registered and join FGI France

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9h - 17h - Les Arts d'à Côté –
EXPOSITION DE PEINTURE –
GRANDE FRESQUE D'EXPRESSION LIBRE
ATELIERS D'ÉCRITURE

Internet Governance Forum Italia
L'evento annuale finale di IGS Italia 2022 si è svolto
dal 18 al 19 novembre presso la camera di Commercio delle marche.
https://www.igf-italia.org/igf-italia-2022/

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLZPatRqlawHdAQOnQdpus18NiFIwOaVCD

IGF SPAIN 2022
https://igfspain.org/jornadas-igf-spain-2022-2/
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OaMKYXm18WI&list=PLPF_vM881Ays1rRi9DRsUawZntVPF7OMP&index=6

Jornadas IGF Spain 2022

Dear EURALO members, please use the ICANN Engagement Calendar to find the event you or/and your ALS`s colleagues may be interested in:

Middle East Network Operators Group 2022 (MENOG22) - Bahrain
4 Dec 2022 to 8 Dec 2022
Manama, Bahrain / Hybrid
Asia/Australia/Pacific
Internet Ecosystem

French IGF 2022
5 Dec 2022
Paris, France / Hybrid
Europe
Internet Ecosystem

ICANN Training Series - Nordic Region: IPv6 in the Nordics (and why it's important)
7 Dec 2022 - 12:00 to 13:00
Virtual Meeting - Time in UTC
Europe
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e-AGE22
13 – 15 Dec 2022
Cairo, Egypt and hybrid
Africa, Asia/Australia/Pacific
Internet Ecosystem

ICANN Training Series - Central Europe and the Baltics: Interesting ICANN Internet Measurement Results
15 Dec 2022 - 12:00 to 13:00
Virtual Meeting - Time in UTC
ICANN Organization

RIPE NCC collection of upcoming meetings and events
https://www.ripe.net/participate/meetings/calendar?b_start:int=0

Title	Location	Start Date	End Date
IGF 2022	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	28 Nov, 2022 09:00 AM	02 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
Quantum Internet Hackathon	Amsterdam, Dublin, Padua, Poznan, Sarajevo, online	01 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	02 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
GITI 2022	Tbilisi, Georgia	01 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	02 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
CoNEXT 2022	Rome, Italy	06 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	09 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
MENOG 22 Meeting & Peering Forum	Manama, Bahrain	07 Dec, 2022 10:00 AM	08 Dec, 2022 06:00 PM
ANIX meeting	Tirana, Albania	13 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	13 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
Lebanon IGF	Beirut, Lebanon	14 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	15 Dec, 2022 05:00 PM
INEX Meeting	Dublin, IE	15 Dec, 2022 01:00 PM	15 Dec, 2022 04:30 PM
International conference on the geopolitics of Internet routing and infrastructures	Paris, France	16 Dec, 2022 09:00 AM	16 Dec, 2022 06:00 PM

Anti-Abuse Report 2022 Q2

"Identity Digital, the old Donuts, has [started publishing quarterly reports containing a wealth of data on reported abuse and the actions](#) it takes in response".

https://domainincite.com/28319-identity-digital-publishes-treasure-trove-of-abuse-data

By **Dan York**

Author and Speaker on Internet technologies - and on staff of Internet Society

[Call for Participation – ICANN DNSSEC and Security Workshop for ICANN76 Community Forum](#)

Are you doing something interesting with DNS, DNSSEC, or routing security that you would like to share with the larger DNS community at the ICANN 76 meeting in March 2023? If so, please send a brief (1-3 sentence) description of your proposed presentation to dnssec-security-workshop@icann.org by the close of business on Friday, 20 January 2023.

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