

Dear Members of the Review Team,

I am writing to you regarding the "Accountability and Transparency" Review Team, to express my strong willingness to be part of it.

To that effect, I would like to address the skills required for the position. ICANN has been a part of my life during the past years, since the organization of the Latinamerican Regional At- Large organization in Sao Paulo, Brazil. Since then, I had the honor to represent my region in the Nominating Committee. To duly fulfill my duties, I have studied all areas of ICANN, their needs to do the best to choose "the" excellent candidate for the position required to be filled. Furthermore, this review team has an special interest for me, since the accountability and the transparency have to be specifically done for the best interest of Internet users, those that I have been representing since my Law Master Degree in the Philadelphia, United States of America. As you are very well aware, the Nominating Committee as well as the At-Large, are composed by a myriad of persons, with opposite interests, goals and objectives, therefore, only a person with an excellent team spirit, an outstanding skill to adapt and understand those positions and perspectives; a true willingness to learn form them, understanding that in some cases he/she will have to put aside his/her personal opinions will succeed, and I did.

Regarding the other skills, I would say that my daily law practice makes me develop analytical skills, interpret different kind of evidence and value them from various perspectives, to finally draw the best possible conclusion for the benefit of my client.

Finally, since I am a solo professional, I have the great chance to decide where and when devote my time, and if you consider that I qualify for this position, I would certainly commit to perform an outstanding work.

Should you have any question or concern, please do not hesitate to contact me at my e-mail: matias@altamiragigena.com.ar, or my cellphone +54 9 351 5720101.

Sincerely yours,

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RESUME

EDUCATION

- JAMES E. BEASLEY SCHOOL OF LAW, TEMPLE UNIVERSITY**, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Master of Law (LL.M) August 1999 – May 2000
- WHARTON SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.**
Small Business Management Certificate Program January – May 2000
- UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE CÓRDOBA, FACULTAD DE DERECHO**, Córdoba, Argentina.
Attorney at Law February 1992 – May 1998

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- TECNOLOGY AND LAW DIPLOMA – BLAS PASCAL UNIVERSITY** 2007 to date
Director
- ALTAMIRA GIGENA LAW FIRM**, Córdoba, Argentina
Attorney at Law April 2004 to date
Advises clients on all types of domestic and international corporate and contractual matters as well as E-Commerce and Internet Law.
- COMERCIO Y JUSTICIA NEWSPAPER**, Córdoba, Argentina
Columnist October 2000 to date
Contributes articles on Internet and E-commerce to the printed edition of the daily newspaper, focusing on the legal aspects of those areas.
- LOCKHEED MARTIN AERONAUTICS SERVICE INTERNATIONAL**, California, United States
Attorney, Agent and Proxy December 2002 to April 2004
Represents Lockheed Martin Corporation as the major shareholder of Lockheed Martin Aircraft Argentina S.A.
- LOCKHEED MARTIN AIRCRAFT ARGENTINA S.A.**, Córdoba, Argentina
Legal Counsel December 2000 to February 2004
Responsible for negotiation, draft, closure and follow-up of domestic and international contracts as well as assisting its business lines in complying with all applicable regulations.
- UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT (UNCTAD)**
Assistant Attorney May – August 2000
Assistant for Prof. Amelia H. Boss – Temple University – drafting a training manual on E-commerce Law for developing countries requested by UNCTAD.
- CONSUMER BANKRUPTCY ASSISTANCE PROJECT**, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Pro Bono Attorney October 1999 – August 2000
Advises indigent persons filing for bankruptcy to resolve their critical financial situations.
- COMMERCIAL COURT OF CÓRDOBA**, Córdoba, Argentina.
Law Clerk October 1994 – June 1999



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Assists the Judge resolving corporate matters as well as Chapter 11 and Bankruptcy cases.

CONFERENCES AND SPEECHES

THE PUBLIC VOICE – MADRID, SPAIN <i>Member of the Organizing Committee</i>	November 2009
THE PUBLIC VOICE- MADRID, SPAIN <i>Privacy and Human Rights: The Year in Review</i>	November 2009
EUROPEAN FORUM – SCHOOL OF NEGOTIATIONS OF NAVARRA, SPAIN <i>Internal Policy on new technologies</i>	November 2009
COLLEGE OF JOURNALISM – CÓRDOBA, ARGENTINA <i>Legal issues relating to publication of content on the Internet</i>	October 2009
UVM - LAUREATE INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES- MÉXICO <i>Is the corporate email address personal?</i>	March 2009
3RD INTERNET LAW EVENT – CORDOBA, ARGENTINA <i>Domain Names: Uniform Dispute Resolution Process</i>	May 2008
2ND INTERNET LAW EVENT - BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA <i>Has the e-mail any value in a judicial proceeding?</i>	November 2007
IBEROAMERICAN ELECTRONIC LAW CONGRESS - PUEBLA, MEXICO <i>The Consumer Protection on the Internet</i>	October 2007
ARGENTINE CONGRESS OF JUSTICE AND TECHNOLOGY – SAN LUIS <i>The Electronic Communications in the Judicial Process</i>	October 2007
RICARDO C. NUÑEZ – TRAINING CENTER OF THE JUDICIAL POWER OF CORDOBA <i>Cibercrimes</i>	September 2007
IV LATINOAMERICAN CONGRESS OF INTERNET LAW LIMA, PERÚ <i>The State of Art of the e-government in Argentina</i>	November 2006
MERCOSUR CONGRESS OF INTERNET LAW <i>Chair of the Organizing Committee</i>	August 2006
MERCOSUR CONGRESS OF INTERNET LAW <i>The Virtual Administration of Justice</i>	August 2006
SCHOOL OF LAW – NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF CORDOBA <i>E-Gov – Perspectivas and Realities</i>	June 2006
INTERNET LAW INSTITUTE – UNIVERSITY OF THE REPUBLIC, MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY <i>Web access as a record of personal service</i>	May 2006
SUPREME COURT OF PARAGUAY <i>The Defense of e-consumers</i>	March 2006



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ICANN ACTIVITIES

ICANN 35TH MEETING – SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA <i>Nominating Committee</i>	June 2009
ICANN 34TH MEETING – MEXICO CITY, MEXICO <i>Nominating Committee</i>	March 2009
ICANN 33TH MEETING – CAIRO, EGYPT <i>Nominating Committee</i>	November 2008
ICANN 32TH MEETING – PARIS, FRANCE <i>Nominating Committee</i>	June 2008
ICANN 30^A MEETING – LOS ANGELES, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA <i>Nominating Committee</i>	December 2007
ICANN 29^A MEETING – SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO <i>LACRALO General Meeting – IISI Representative</i>	June 2007
ICANN 27^A ASAMBLEA – SAO PAULO, BRAZIL <i>Incorporation of Latinoamerican Regional At-Large Organizations – LACRALO</i>	December 2006

PUBLICATIONS

ABOGADOS EN LA WEB / ALFA-REDI – LATINOAMERICAN INTERNET LAW JOURNAL / EL DERECHO DIGITAL DEL URUGUAY / EL NOTARIADO.COM / HABEAS DATA.ORG FORUM / LA LEY – ARGENTINE LEGAL JOURNAL / LA VOZ DEL INTERIOR – NEWSPAPER / REPORTE INMOBILIARIO.COM / REVISTA ENL@CE – VENEZUELAN JOURNAL OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND KNOWLEDGE

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