

Dear LACRALO Members,

As you all know, I am running for representing our region as ALAC member, and I have the honor and gratitude to have all very close friends as well as respected professionals to be interested in the same position.

At this point, I would like to tell you that I took part of ICANN since LACRALO inception and foundation and then representing LACRALO before the Nomination Committee for two consecutive periods.

After I finished my task as NomCom member, I told the Chair and Secretariat of LACRALO as well as ALAC members that I would have to be absent for a while, since my family was experiencing some difficulties for the cancer of my sister in law as well as some happiness for the birth of my fifth child that occurs just ten days before the death of the former. But, this information is personal and beyond this SoI.

Reviewing the requirements, we (all four nominees) should be accomplished persons of integrity, objectivity, sound judgment and intelligence. Since I personally know all of the candidates I can assure you that these basic requirements are fully complied.

Since I agree with and share ICANN's mission and its core values, I am committed to them. To that purpose, I understand the differences between ICANN and IGF objectives and goals as well as the differences of the potential impact of their decisions, being ICANN responsible for maintaining a stable and secure Internet infrastructure and its domain name system, to provide every person in the world the chance to communicate with its families, friends and colleagues through the Internet.

Regarding my capacity to work with different persons from all over the world, to chair meetings, provide leadership looking for consensus, you can trust that I have great experience in ICANN world (LacRalo and NomCom) as well as in different organizations, such as Universities that I take part of.

Finally, as a solo professional I have the chance to decide when and where spend my time, so if I have the pride to represent you before ALAC, I will for sure devote all the necessary time and resources to honor my commitment.

Should you have any concern, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Warm regards,

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