WHAT DO WE DO IN NARALO?

NARALO comprises of At-Large structures who meet virtually on the second Monday of each month for a teleconference plus at three ICANN meetings per year. Our membership spans Canada, continental USA and Puerto Rico with participation in English, Spanish and French.

Message from the Chair and Secretariat

Our vision of NARALO is an inclusive one and we want to reach out to all individual end users in the US, Canada, and Puerto Rico and especially to those who have been historically underserved, including rural, remote and Indigenous communities, people with accessibility challenges, and low income populations.
We will continue our efforts to outreach to these groups and encourage them to join NARALO and become ALS.

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NORTH AMERICAN REGIONAL AT-LARGE ORGANISATION

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THE AT-LARGE ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

5 REGIONAL AT-LARGE ORGANISATIONS (RALOs) — OVER 190 AT-LARGE STRUCTURES (ALSes)

The At-Large Structures form the basis of the At-Large community, representing the interests of individual Internet users worldwide. The five RALOs unite our ALSes based on their geographic regions, namely: Africa (AFRALO), Asia, Australasian and Pacific Islands (APRALO), Europe (EURALO), Latin American and the Caribbean Islands (LACRALO) and North America (NARALO).

SEAT #15 ON THE ICANN BOARD IS SELECTED BY THE ALAC AND THE AT-LARGE COMMUNITY

AT-LARGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (ALAC) — 15 MEMBERS

10 selected by RALOs to serve on the ALAC (2 from each RALO)

5 selected by NomCom to serve on the ALAC (1 from each region)

WHAT DOES ICANN DO?

To reach another person on the Internet, you have to type an address into your computer - a name or a number. That address has to be unique so computers know where to find each other. ICANN helps coordinate and support these unique identifiers across the world. ICANN was formed in 1998 as a not-for-profit public-benefit corporation and a community with participants from all over the world. ICANN and its community help keep the Internet secure, stable and interoperable.

WHAT IS THE AT-LARGE COMMUNITY?

Within ICANN, we are a volunteer community representing the interests of Internet users. There are over 200 At-Large Structures (ALSes) around the world and a growing number of independent members. Whether it is an Internet-relat-ed consumer rights group, an academic organisation, or a public-minded individual, we share a passion for furthering the development of ICTs and contributing to policies that influence the technical coordination of the Domain Name System. We work to ensure that the Internet continues to serve the global public interest.

WHAT IS AN AT-LARGE REGIONAL ORGANISATION?

NARALO is one of five regional organisations within the ICANN system. The five RALOs unite our ALSes and in-dependent members within their regions. RALOs form a communication forum and coordination point for their members to promote and encourage the participation of regional Internet user communities within ICANN activities. Each RALO has its own organising documents including a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with ICANN. NARALO signed it's MOUs with ICANN in 2017

NARALO has a signed MOU with ARIN. American Registry Internet Numbers - Feb 2015 . Many of the NARALO members routinely attends ARIN meetings in the region.

NARALO in its participation in regional activities. The RALO is also supported by a member of the Global Stakeholder Engagement (GSE) Team who facilitates the development of critical infrastructure for the Domain Name System (DNS). Because of the size of the region's population,

NARALOs encourage our ALSes and individual members with-in their region to participate in various internal working groups where they can collaborate on issues ranging from policy development to Internet Governance. NARALO encourages its members to participate in public consultation activities to support the work of the ALAC.

Application form to join NARALO
https://atlarge.icann.org/en/als-application