Board Liaison Report –March 2010 - Vanda Scartezini

BOARD

Board meetings in Nairobi had made several decisions already posted.

Some resolutions could not reach agreement at the last meeting having been postponed to the next meeting at April 22

The next board agenda will have the following agenda

Votes related to agreements and redelegation in the line.

Relevant issues; AoC and its actions + Transparency & Accountability till date/ next steps

New gTLDs issues related to Plan update/ vertical integration/IP issues

IDNs / DNS Cert / IRP and Latin America meeting location.

Board retreat will be in Dublin from May 20th to 22nd .

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE – PPC

The improvement of public remote participation did in Nairobi was quite good, and many remote attendees stated the improvement. Some failures also happened mostly due a lack of some infrastructure, but in general worked well. PPC is dealing now with proposal for restructure the selection of meetings, keeping relevant issues like rotation around continents, but establishing more clear criteria for 2011 meetings. Would be good to have ALAC/At Large ideas related to this.

OSC - GNSO Operations Steering Committee (OSC)

The Report II from the Communications/Coordination Team (CCT) : Communications & Coordination was submitted to OSC for consideration and comments – from my view a very good report. OSC is also working with the process / policy related to Statements of Interest and Disclosures of Interest.

ALAC

Participation on EXCOMM meetings, LACRALO + Vertical Integration group

Outreach activities – attended South School for Internet Governance held in Sao Paulo– I made a presentation at Meaningful Participation in Global Policy Development roundtable related to Fellowship Program – I looked after some numbers related to the program and came out with some interesting lists and numbers, as below:
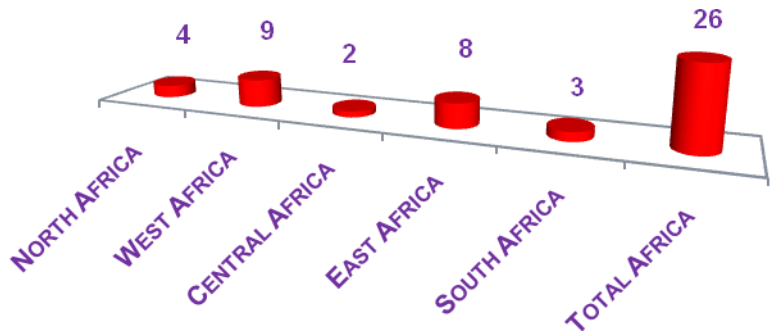
From Jun 2007 till Nairobi 2010, we had 221 fellows from 88 countries.
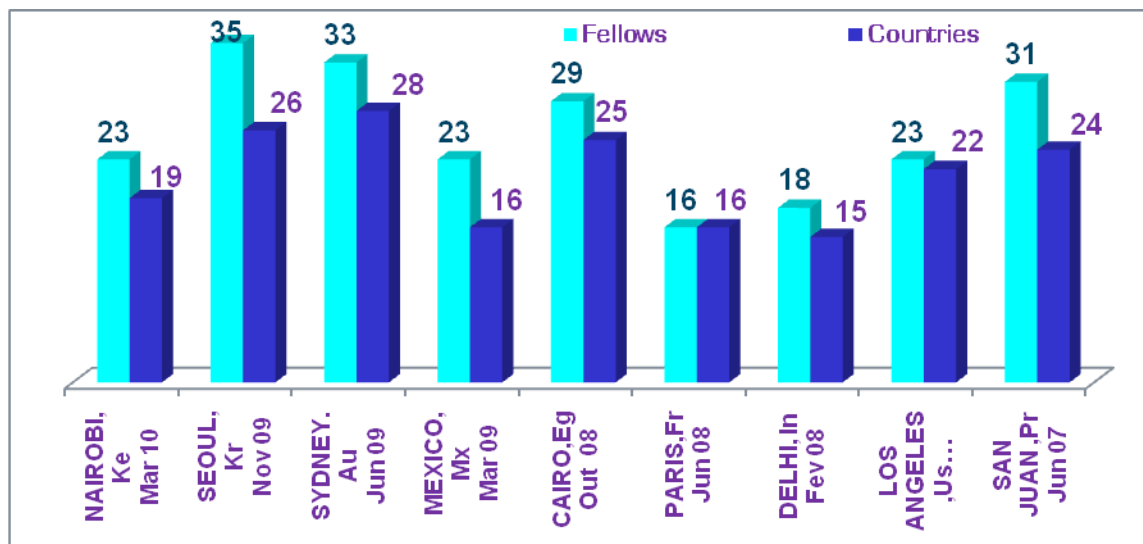
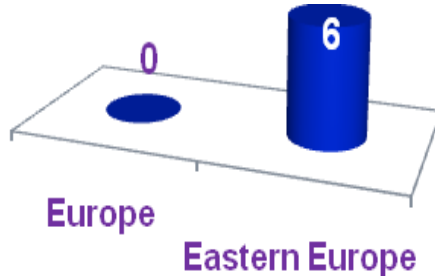The fellows by sub regions + list of countries in each region:

AFRICA

Algeria	Mauritius
Botswana	Morocco
Burkina Faso	Mozambique
Burundi	Nigeria
Cote d'Ivoire	Rwanda
Dem. Rep. of Congo	Senegal
Egypt	Somalia
Ghana	Sudan
Guinea	Tanzania
Kenya	Togo
Liberia	Tunisia
Malawi	Zambia
Mali	Zimbabwe

Chart: NORTH AFRICA 4, WEST AFRICA 9, CENTRAL AFRICA 2, EAST AFRICA 8, SOUTH AFRICA 3, TOTAL AFRICA 26

East Europe

Albania
Armenia
Bulgaria
Macedonia
Moldova
Serbia

Chart: Europe 0, Eastern Europe 6

ASIA/PACIF/MIDDLE EAST/STANS

Chart: South Asia 5, Asia Pacific 13, North Asia 2, Middle East 5, Stans 5, Total 30
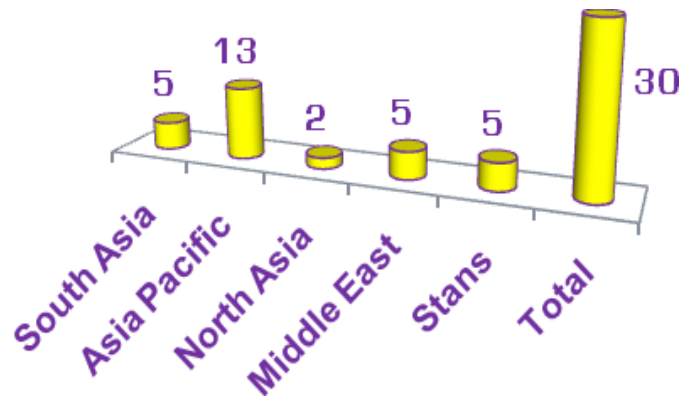
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Bangladesh	Azerbaijan	Afghanistan
Bhutan	Iran	Kazakhstan
China	Iraq	Pakistan
Cook Islands	Jordan	Tajikistan
Fiji	Yemen	Uzbekistan
Indonesia		
Marshall Islands		
Micronesia		
Mongolia		
Nepal		
Niue		
Papua New Guinea		
Phillippines		
Republic of Palau		
Samoa		
Seychelles		
Solomon Islands		
Thailand		
Tuvalu		
Vanuatu		

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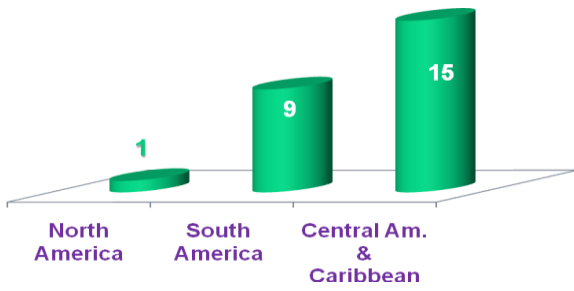
South	Central + Caribbean
Argentina	Belize
Brazil	Costa Rica
Chile	Dominican Rep.
Colombia	El Salvador
Ecuador	Grenada
Guyana	Guatemala
Paraguay	Haiti
Uruguay	Honduras
Venezuela	Jamaica
	Montserrat
North	Nicaragua
Mexico	Panama
	St Vincents & the Grenadines
	St. Lucia

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