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Topics of Interest for At-Large

Policy

- New gTLD Program Next Round (Subsequent Procedures)
- DNS Abuse
- Internationalized Domain Names (IDNs) & Universal Acceptance (UA)
- Transfer Policy Review Policy Development Process (TPR)

Governance

- Holistic Review
- ICANN Governance and Operations

At-Large Policy Sessions at ICANN77



New gTLD Program Next Round (SubPro)

Leads: Justine Chew, Cheryl
Langdon-Orr

Talking Points

- Internet end users need inclusion and support to diversify online communities.

Sessions (UTC-4)

- ***Pre-ICANN77: New gTLD Program Next Round Update*** | *Wednesday, 31 May, 12:30 - 13:30 (past)*
- **GDS: New gTLD Program, Next Round Implementation Status Recap and Q&A** | Monday, 12 June, 15:30-17:00
- **GDS: Subsequent Procedures IRT** | Wednesday 14 June, 09:00 - 10:15



GNSO Guidance Process For Applicant Support

Lead: Maureen Hilyard

Talking Points

- How can we get more successful applications from underserved communities?
- Do we have enough money for the applicant support program?

Sessions (UTC-4)

- **GNSO Guidance Process for Applicant Support Working Group** | Tuesday, 13 June, 15:30-17:00



Closed Generics

Leads: Greg Shatan and Alan Greenberg

Talking Points

- No to monopolization of the Information Space.
- Open markets and public good come first.

Sessions (UTC-4)

- **Joint Session: ALAC, GAC, and GNSO Facilitated Dialogue on Closed Generics 1** | Monday, 12 June, 09:00 - 10:15
- **Joint Session: ALAC, GAC, and GNSO Facilitated Dialogue on Closed Generics 2** | Tuesday, 13 June, 10:45 - 12:15

Domain Name System (DNS) Abuse

Leads: Hadia Elminiawi and Steinar Grøtterød

Talking Points

- End user education and awareness for prevention and reporting of DNS abuse.
- Does ICANN have the required tools for compliance?

Sessions (UTC-4)

- ***GAC DNS Abuse Day Zero Session*** | Sunday, 11 June, 09:00-12:15 & 13:45-17:00 (*past*)
- **DNS Abuse Negotiation: CPH Outreach Session** | Tuesday, 13 June, 13:45 - 15:00

Internationalized Domain Names (IDNs) & Universal Acceptance (UA)

Leads: Satish Babu, Hadia El
Miniawi, Justine Chew

Talking Points

- How do we bring new local languages and user communities online?
- Measures to minimize user confusability and maximize end user online safety

Sessions (UTC-4)

IDNs

- Four sessions, one every day Mon-Thu

UA

- ***Pre-ICANN77: UA Community Update | 30 May 2023 (including review of UA Day) (past)***
- **New TLDs Need Digital Inclusion - UA Readiness is Just the Beginning | Tuesday, 13 June, 13:45 - 15:00**



Transfer Policy Review Policy Development Process

Leads: Steinar Grøtterød and
Daniel Nanghaka

Talking Points

- Simple, safe, and secure Inter-Registrar Transfers and change of Registrant updates.

Sessions (UTC-4)

- Thursday, June 15, 10:45 - 12:15



Holistic Review

Leads: Cheryl Langdon-Orr and
Sebastien Bachollet

Talking Points

- The first-post IANA transition ICANN wide review for end users is important.

Sessions (UTC-4)

- None scheduled



ICANN Governance and Operations

Leads: Holly Raiche and Cheryl
Langdon-Orr

Talking Points

- Volunteers need to be able to find ICANN materials and understand intent smoothly.
- Onboarding of new volunteers to develop subject matter expertise.

Sessions (UTC-4)

- None scheduled



At-Large ICANN77 Policy Sessions

- **An End User Perspective: The Next gTLD Application Window**
- **Unfinished Business: The Challenges of Auctions**
- **Internal New gTLD Program Next Round (SubPro) Prioritization Sub Team Update**



Next Round of New gTLDs Application Window

Leads: Hadia Elminiawi and Maureen Hilyard

Talking Points

- RALOs preparation for the next gTLD round
- Expectations of end users from the next gTLD round

Session (UTC-4)

- Monday, 12 June, 10:45-15:00

SubPro Unfinished Business - Auctions

Leads: Jonathan Zuck, Justine Chew

Talking Points

- Minimize gaming of auctions
- Maximize participation
- Include applicants from underserved regions
- **Vickrey auction model** recommended for ICANN Auctions of Last Resort **and** No private auctions.

Session (UTC-4)

- Wednesday, 14 June, 15:30-17:00

Internal New gTLD Program Next Round (SubPro) Prioritization Sub Team Update

Lead: Cheryl Langdon-Orr

Talking Points

- Prioritizing end user interests – Internal At-Large Workshop

Session (UTC-4)

- Thursday, 15 June, 09:00-10:15 (closed, At-Large members only).
 - Zoom information provided to At-Large members via email

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Thank You!

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