

Pre-General Assembly Webinar

19th July 2023 18:00 UTC

Meeting location: Remote

Welcome Remarks

Seun Ojedeji - Chair AFRALO



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar Purpose of the Webinar

- To inform members about status of the GA preparations
- To Present current GA program
- Provide background information of some items on the GA agenda
- To build capacity of our members in preparation towards the GA
- To address any outstanding logistical matters



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar Record of AFRALO General Assemblies

AFRALO has held 4 General Assemblies and that of Accra will be the 5th GA that will be held.

- 24-25 July 2023 General Assembly to be held in Accra, on the sidelines of the Africa Engagement Forum
- 26-29 June 2017 General Assembly, ICANN 59 Johannesburg
- 25 June 2014 General Assembly, ICANN 50 London at the At-Large Summit II
- 26 October 2011 General Assembly, ICANN 42 Dakar (Dakar Events)
- 03 March 2009 General Assembly at First At-Large Summit in Mexico City



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar GA 2023 Theme and Objectives

Theme:

"Generating a strong and sustained AFRALO voice within ICANN"



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Objectives:

- Bring together AFRALO members to discuss how to engage better.
- To review and approve the AFRALO Members performance metrics towards an improved AFRALO voice within ICANN
- To Re-establish strong connection between RALO members towards informal member/mentee relationships
- To establish better understanding of the AFRALO rules of procedure for ALS and individual members and suggest any revisions where possible.
- To build capacity of our members on topic of interest within the RALO
- To Recognise and/or reward some members of our RALO



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar Members of GA Organizing Committee

- Bukola Oronti (Social media Chair)
- Seun Ojedeji (AFRALO's Chair)
- Aziz Hilali (AFRALO Vice Chair & OC Program Sub-Committee Lead)
- Abdeljalil Bachar Bong (AFRALO Secretariat)
- Raymond Mamattah (ALAC member)
- Bram Fudzulani (Outreach and Engagement chair)
- Remmy Nweke (AFRALO Newsletter team representative)

The Committee started work in Feb 2023 and has meet for over 360min since inauguration info at:

https://community.icann.org/display/AFRALO/AFRALO+General+Assembly+ 2023



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar Members of GA Program Sub-Committee

- Aziz Hilali (AFRALO Vice Chair & OC Program Sub-Committee Lead)
- Seun Ojedeji (AFRALO's Chair)
- Bukola Oronti (Social media Chair)
- Raymond Mamattah (ALAC member)

The Sub-Committee was setup by the OC and started work in April 2023. The committee helped in the development of the draft Program for the GA: https://community.icann.org/display/AFRALO/AFRALO+General+Assembly+Program+Sub-Committee



Pre-General Assembly(GA) Webinar GA 2023 - Our Expectation

Expectations from members:

- Members will come prepared Both face 2 face and remote based participants
- Participants who are attending physically participate at the event
- Members interventions are brief and straight to the point
- Members will abide by the ICANN's expected standard of behaviour
- That we will all contribute towards a successful GA!



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