

# APAC Space Web Conference

ICANN73 Readout



24 March 2022

# Agenda

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- **Welcome Remarks and ICANN73 Overview** – Jia Rong Low, Vice President, Stakeholder Engagement & Managing Director, ICANN APAC (8 min)
- **PDP Highlights: Transfer Policy Review PDP** – Antonia Chu, Transfer Policy Review PDP WG Member (7 min)
- **Stakeholder Perspectives**
  - i. ICANN Board – Edmon Chung, ICANN Board Member (7 min)
  - ii. GAC – Shi-Young Chang, GAC Vice Chair (7 min)
  - iii. ccNSO – Ai-Chin Lu, ccNSO Council Member (7 min)
- **Open Community Discussion** – Elliott Mann, APAC Space Community Facilitator (14 min)
- **Stakeholder Perspectives (continued)**
  - iv. ALAC – Maureen Hilyard, ALAC Chair (7 min)
  - v. GNSO – Tomslin Samme-Nlar, GNSO Council Vice Chair (7 min)
  - vi. RSSAC – Hiro Hotta, RSSAC Member (7 min)
- **Open Community Discussion (continued)** – Elliott Mann, APAC Space Community Facilitator (14 min)
- **AOB: APAC DNS Forum 2022** – Jia Rong Low, ICANN APAC (5 min)

# Welcome Remarks



**Jia-Rong Low**  
VP, Stakeholder Engagement &  
Managing Director, ICANN APAC



# APAC Space



- ❖ “Space for APAC community members
- ❖ Community-led bi-monthly Sessions — web conference, or face-to-face at ICANN Meetings
- ❖ ”Practice ground” to facilitate community discussion for ICANN participation
  - ❖ DNS industry topics
  - ❖ ICANN Policy Development Processes, and
  - ❖ ICANN Reviews

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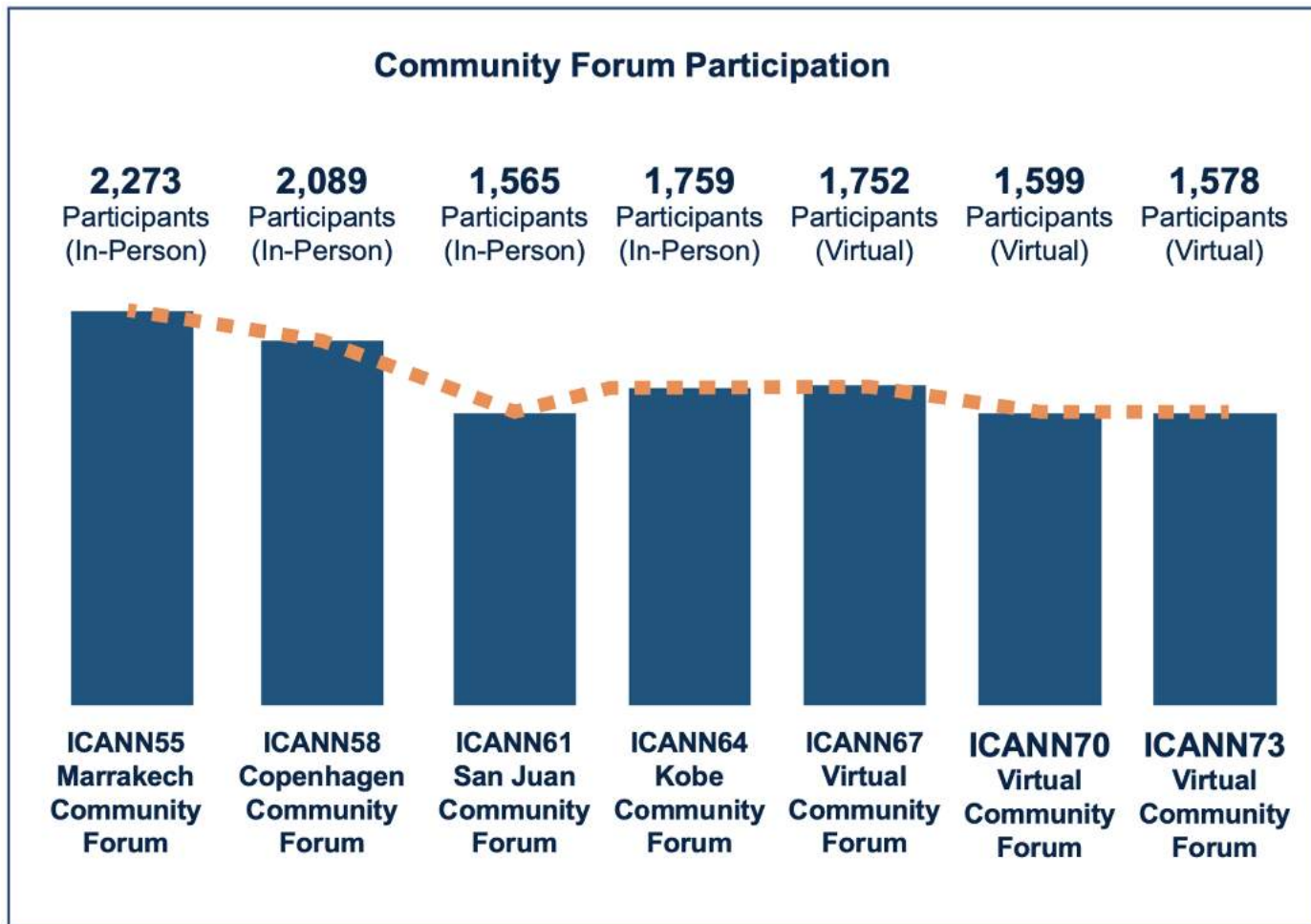
# ICANN73 Overview



**Jia-Rong Low**  
VP, Stakeholder Engagement &  
Managing Director, ICANN APAC

# ICANN73 Overview and Participation

- ICANN By the Numbers [Report](#)
  - Total participation: 1,578 attendees from 146 countries and territories



# ICANN73 Overview and Participation

APAC participation



# Most 'Popular' Topics

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- **Plenary Session: Evolving the DNS Abuse Conversation**
- ICANN Public Forum
- **Discussion Forum on Geopolitical, Legislative and Regulatory Developments**
- Q&A with ICANN Org Executive Team
- **Plenary Session: The Global Public Interest Framework – Is it Useful?**

## **Another Interesting Topic:**

- At-Large NARALO session: Blockchain, NFTs, and Decentralised Domains



# Most 'Popular' Topics (expanded)

- **Plenary Session: Evolving the DNS Abuse Conversation**
  - A more narrow focus than “DNS abuse”. Focused on:

(i)

## “Maliciously Registered Domains”

*Domains registered with malicious intent (i.e. registrant is likely complicit)*

**VS**

(ii)

## “Compromised Domains”

*Domains registered for non-abuse purpose but are later compromised (without the registrant’s knowledge or consent)*

- Different actors play a role depending on (i) or (ii)

# Most 'Popular' Topics (expanded)

- **Discussion Forum on Geopolitical, Legislative and Regulatory Developments**
  - ICANN Org's activities led by the Government Engagement Team
    - See GE's publications [page](#)
  - Open Discussion – various topics came up
    - Whether ICANN takes note of reports/studies/proposals (e.g. [EU DNS Abuse Study](#))
    - ICANN's monitoring of IGO activities (e.g. ITU elections)
    - DNS fragmentation (e.g. Russian Sovereign Internet Law, alternative DNS etc)
- **Plenary Session: The Global Public Interest Framework – Is it Useful?**
  - GPI [toolkit](#)
  - ICANN Board overseeing ICANN org in running the pilot for the framework using two test cases:
    - (1) SSAD recommendations, and
    - (2) SubPro recommendations

# Most 'Popular' Topics (expanded)

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- **At-Large NARALO session:  
Blockchain, NFTs, and Decentralised Domains**
  - Web 3.0
  - People are registering for TLDs in alternative roots like Handshake domains to 'own a piece of the web'
  - "ICANN root" currently 1400 TLDs, but Handshake already has 3.5 million TLDs (since their February 2020 launch)
  - Forecast by 2030 – "ICANN root" to have 3000 TLDs; Handshake will likely have 100 million TLDs
  - Something for ICANN community to watch and think about

# Transfer Policy Review PDP



**Antonia Chu**  
Transfer Policy Review PDP WG  
Member

# ICANN Board Perspectives



**Edmon Chung**  
ICANN Board Member

# Areas of Discussion

- Prioritization Framework
- DNS Abuse and Response
- SSAD (System for Standardized Access & Disclosure) of Registration Data
- New gTLD Subsequent Procedures (Subpro)
- GPI (Global Public Interest) Framework
- Geopolitical Developments
- IDN (Internationalized Domain Names) and UA (Universal Acceptance)

# Board & Community Interest

- Response to Situation in Ukraine
- Return to Face-to-face Meetings
  - ICANN74 The Hague, NL: Jun 2022
  - ICANN75 Kuala Lumpur, MY: Sep 2022

# GAC Perspectives



**Shi-Young Chang**  
GAC Vice Chair





# ICANN73 GAC Relevant Sessions

Monday 7 March (Day 1)	Tuesday 8 March (Day 2)	Wednesday 9 March (Day 3)	Thursday 10 March (Day 4)	AST (UTC-4)
				8:45
1. GAC Opening Plenary (60 mins)	5. GAC Meeting with the ccNSO (60 mins)	13. GAC Meeting with the ICANN Board (60 mins)	15. GAC Meeting with the ALAC (60 mins)	9:00
Virtual Coffee / Fika	Break	Break	Break	9:30
Q&A with ICANN Org Executive Team (90 mins)	6. GAC Operating Principles WG (45 mins)	Plenary Session 2: Evolving the DNS Abuse Conversation: Maliciously Registered versus Compromised Domains (90 mins)	14. GAC Communique (4/4) (60 mins)	9:45
	7. GAC Discussion on WS2 Matters (45 mins)		16. GAC Wrap-Up (30 mins)	10:00
Break	Break	Virtual Coffee / Fika	Break	10:15
2. GAC Discussion on Global Public Interest Framework (45 mins)	8. GAC Discussions on IGO Matters (30 mins)	14. GAC Communique (1/4) (90 mins)	Discussion Forum on Geopolitical Legislative & Regulatory Developments (90 mins)	10:30
3. GAC Preparation for Meeting with the Board (45 mins)	9. GAC Discussions on WHOIS/Data Protection (60 mins)			10:45
Break	Break	Break	Virtual Coffee / Fika	11:00
Plenary Session 1: Moving Forward with the Global Public Interest Framework (90 mins)	10. GAC Public Safety WG Update/DNS Abuse (45 mins)	14. GAC Communique (2/4) (90 mins)	ICANN Public Forum (90 mins)	11:15
	11. GAC Discussions on Subsequent Rounds (45 mins)			11:30
Break	Virtual Coffee / Fika	Break	Break	11:45
4. GAC Meeting with the GNSO (60 mins)	12. GAC Communique Review (60 mins)	14. GAC Communique (3/4) (60 mins)	ICANN Board Meeting	12:00
	GAC Plenary Sessions GAC Joint Sessions Community Sessions GAC Communique		Official times for ICANN73 09:00-17:30 (EST, UTC-4)	12:15
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# ICANN73 GAC Communique – Overview and Participation

- **ICANN73 GAC Overview and Participation**

- ICANN GAC By the Numbers : 179 Member governments and 38 Observer Organizations – Over 130 new GAC delegates since Nov. 2019(start of virtual meetings)
- At ICANN73 : 73 GAC Members and 8 Observers attended the meeting
- Statements made by 11 GAC members during the GAC Opening Plenary Session on the action taken by Russia against Ukraine and the related requests from Ukraine to ICANN and the GAC
- The GAC welcomes the ICANN Board’s resolution allocating emergency final support for continued access to the Internet\*
- Reference :
- <https://gac.icann.org/sessions/icann73-session-1-gac-opening-plenary>
- <https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/correspondence/fedorov-to-marby-28feb22-en.pdf>
- <https://www.icann.org/resources/board-material/resolutions-2022-03-06-en>



# ICANN73 GAC Communique – Important Issues

- **Global Public Interest Framework**

- GAC recognized the importance of incorporating Global Public Interest(GPI) considerations into policy development and decision-making at ICANN – Requirement for Bottom-Up Multistakeholder principle at ICANN.
- GAC welcomes the development of a tool that could help to ensure that GPI is embedded into policy at ICANN, and ICANN73 were a good first step towards that goal.
- GAC notes that the initial application of the GPI to the SSAD ODA appears to have been limited.
- GAC would encourage a more exhaustive application of the GPI Framework in the ODA for the New gTLD Subsequent Procedures ODP
- Challenges : Use of Implicit Definition, Render the GPI framework operational, How to effectively applied in GAC work, etc.,



# ICANN73 GAC Communique – Important Issues

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- **DNS Abuse Mitigation**

- GAC discussed a recent study on DNS abuse provided by the European Commission, providing many valuable case studies, clarifying the different actors in the Internet ecosystem, and recommendations on how the different actors can respond to DNS abuse that takes within the different layers of the DNS system.
- Additionally, GAC expressed appreciation for the DNS Security Facilitation Initiative Technical Study Group’s Final Report, which addressed real-world security incidents targeting DNS infrastructures and recommended actions for ICANN org to facilitate and promote security.
- At the ICANN73 community plenary on DNS Abuse, important discussions on malicious V.S. compromised domains names, and GAC is an important venue for governments to discuss DNS abuse and work toward solutions within and outside ICANN.



# ICANN73 GAC Communique – Important Issues

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- **Subsequent Rounds of New gTLDs**

- GAC will continue to engage in seeking a compromise solution relative to closed generic applications in the next round of new gTLDs, in keeping with the GAC Beijing Communique, “exclusive registry access should serve a public interest goal”

- **Universal Acceptance**

- GAC discussed “Universal Acceptance” issues at a Community Session, “Achieving Universal Acceptance-The Way Forward” and GAC/ALAC joint meeting.
- GAC and other communities noted significant progress had been made in the last few years in the acceptance of non-latin scripts, but there are still many works to do.
- GAC welcomes the proposal from ALAC for a collaborative initiative with GAC in the ongoing work of Universal Acceptance and IDNs.
- GAC also welcomes the offer made by Dr. Ajay Data(Chair of UASG) to discuss the work of UASG with GAC at ICANN74.



## Collaboration efforts to enhance Multi-stakeholderism in Policy-making Process in RoK

ICANN73, ALAC-GAC Bilateral Meeting  
March 10, 2022

Shi Young Chang, GAC Republic of Korea



KISA

## Contents

- I** Policy-making Process and Related Law
- II** Revision of Internet Address Resource Act

## I . Policy-making Process and Related Law

### Policy-Making Process : Bottom-Up Process

- Receive civil complaint/suggestion
- Review and organizing items (KISA)
- Gather experts' opinion  
(from academia, civil society, legal circles, etc)

- Gather public opinion (public hearing, etc)
- [Review by Internet Address Policy Committee](#)
- Obtain Minister of Science and ICT's approval
- Implement policy (KISA)

### Related Law and Regulations

#### ACT on INTERNET ADDRESS RESOURCES

#### The General Rules on IP Addresses

Rules on IP Address

#### The General Rules on AS Numbers

Rules on AS Numbers

#### The General Rules on Domain Names

Rules on Registration and Change of Domain Name

Rules on Cancellation of Domain Name

Rules on Commission of Domain Name

Rules on Dispute Result of Domain Name

Rules on Transfer to Other Registrar

Rules on Sanctions to Registrar

Rules on Dispute Adjustment of Domain Name



## II. Revision of Internet Address Resources Act

### [Main Points] Strengthening of the Multi-stakeholders' participation and roles

Internet Address Resources Act, Article 6(The Internet Address Policy Deliberation Committee)

	Current	Revision(Future)
Name	The Internet Address Policy Deliberation Committee	The Internet Address Policy Committee
Authority	Deliberation	Deliberation + Resolution
No. of Members	10 peoples(Max)	20 peoples(Max)
Member Qualifications	public Institution, legal profession, academia, industrial circles, etc.	Multi-stakeholder, including Civil Society Organization(CSO), etc.

☞ Revision of Act has approved by the National Assembly on December 9, 2021 mainly because of the collaboration among government agency(Ministry of Science and ICT, KISA), Internet Address Policy Deliberation Committee, Korea Internet Governance Alliance(KIGA), and NGOs, etc. → come into effect since July 12, 2022





**Internet On, Security In!**

**Thank you**

# ccNSO Perspectives

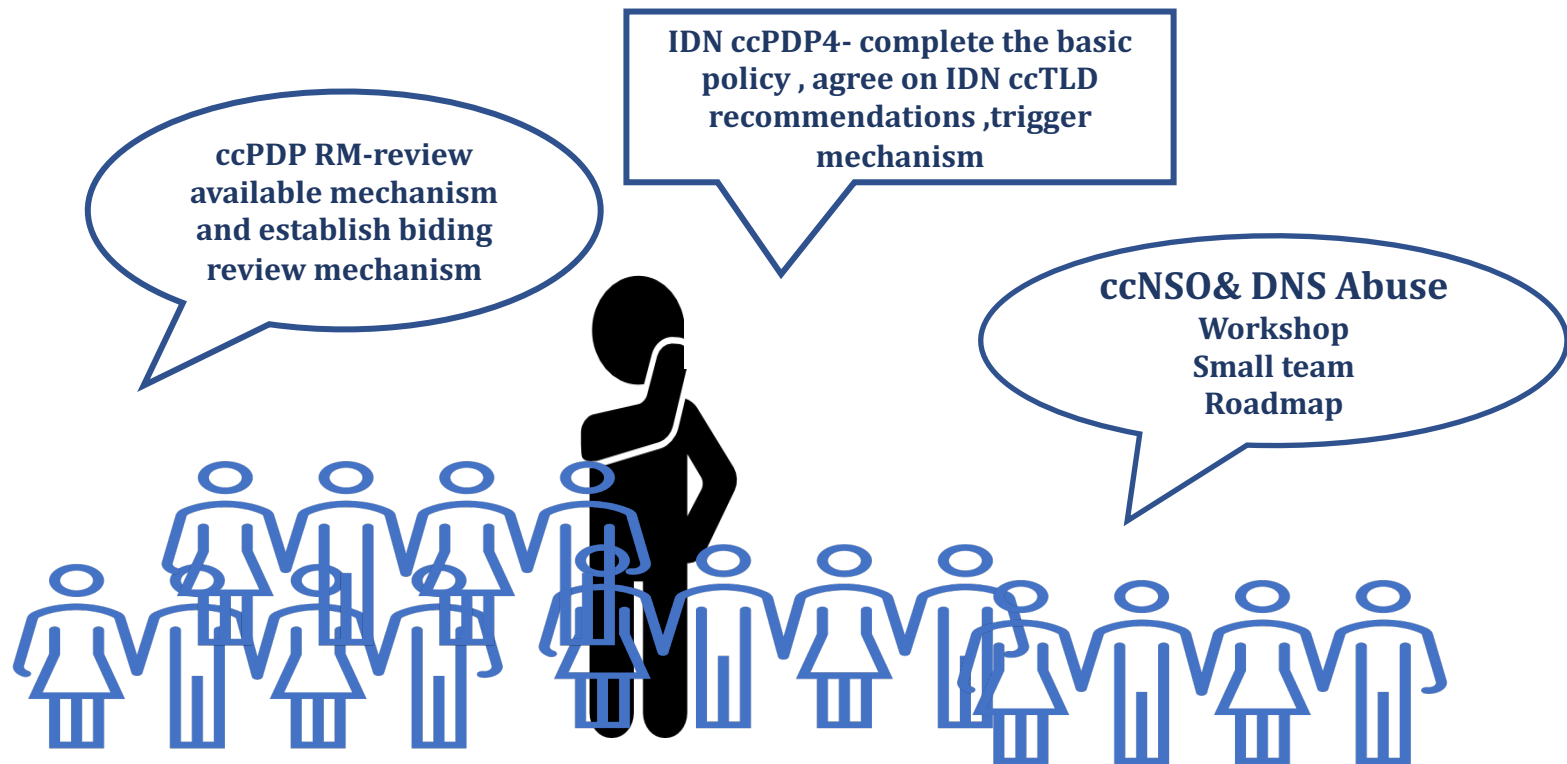


**Ai-Chin Lu**  
ccNSO Council Member

# ICANN73 ccNSO Sessions

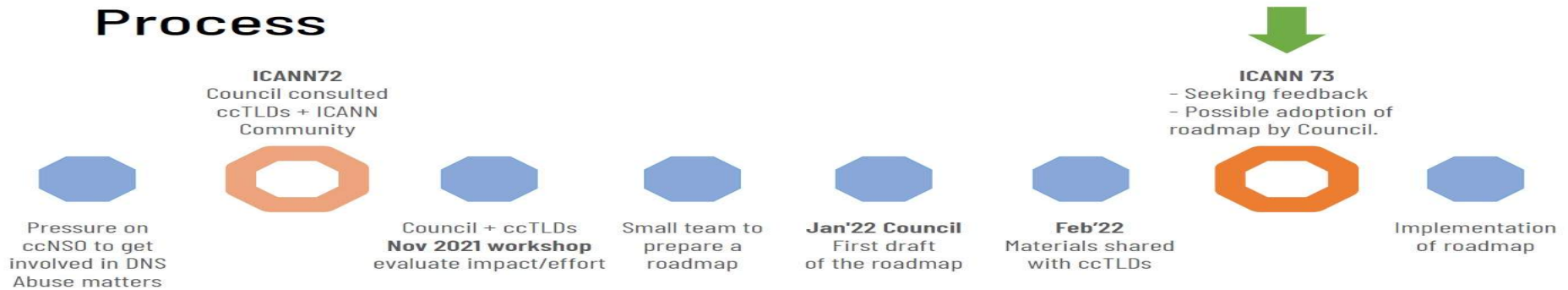
UTC	Mo, 7 March	Tue, 8 March	Wed, 9 March	Thu, 10 March
Block 1 (60') 13:00-14:00	Tech day		Joint session: ccNSO & GAC	Q&A with ccTLD-related ICANN Board members and guests
Block 2 (90') 14:30-16:00	Tech day	Executive Q&A	ccNSO Members Meeting: ccNSO and DNS abuse	Plenary session: DNS abuse
Block 3 (90') 16:30-18:00	Tech day		ccNSO Members Meeting: ccNSO governance session	ccNSO Council
Block 4 (90') 18:30-20:00	Plenary session: Moving forward with the global public interest framework			Discussion forum geopolitical, legislative & regulatory developments
Block 5 (60') 20:30-21:30				Public forum
				ICANN Board

# Joint session: ccNSO & GAC



# ccNSO Members Meeting- ccNSO and DNS abuse

## Process



## Roadmap

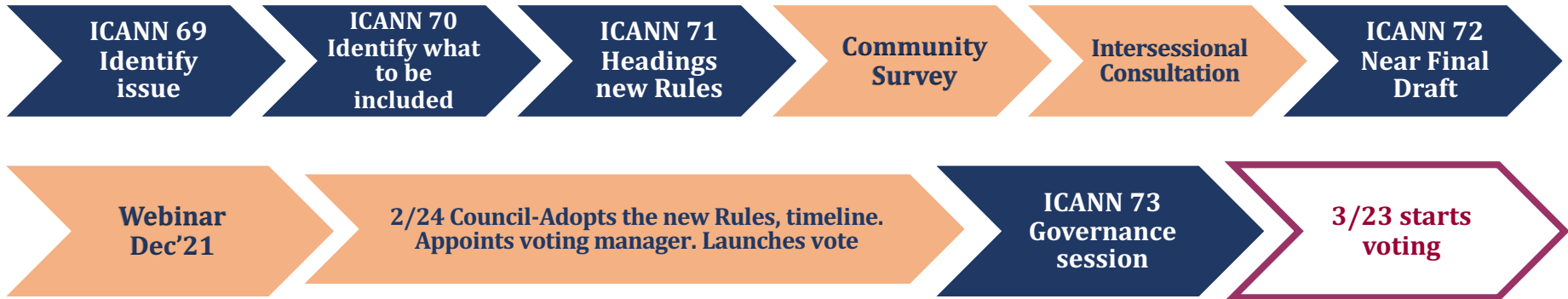
1. Enhance Sharing of Information

2. Messaging

3. Metrics

4. Create DNS Abuse Standing Committee

# ccNSO Members Meeting Governance Session – part 1 Rules for ccNSO membership



**Quorum: 33% Members**

**Super Majority: 66% votes in favor**

# ccNSO Members Meeting Governance Session – part 2 ccNSO Conflict of Interest (COI)



Chris Disspain

**High level look at ICANN's conflict of interest policy: Why have a CoI policy?**



Marika Konings

**GNSO's Approach to Conflict of Interest**

**Statement of Interest (SOI)**

## Timeline





# Q&A with ccTLD-related ICANN Board members and guests



Prioritization  
related issues

Financial  
transparency

How to enhance  
ICANN's effectiveness  
and efficiency.....

# ccNSO Council Meeting

- The ccNSO Council had its 181<sup>st</sup> meeting at ICANN73 on 10 March 2022.
- ccNSO & DNS Abuse Discussion
  - ✓ Adoption Roadmap
- Chair and Vice-Chair Election
  - ✓ Chair-Alejandra(.gt)
  - ✓ Vice-Chair-Jordan(.nz)
  - ✓ Vice-Chair-Biyi(.ng)
- Update the various ccTLD-relevant sessions etc





• *Thank you !*



# Open Community Discussion



**Elliott Mann**  
APAC Space Community Facilitator



# ALAC Perspectives



**Maureen Hilyard**  
ALAC Chair



# At-Large @ ICANN73

## AGENDA

- **Welcome**
- **ICANN**
  - ICANN Org Exec Team
  - Plenary - Global Public Interest Framework (MM)
  - DNS Women (VS)
  - Achieving UA (SB)
  - Plenary – DNS Abuse (JZ)
  - ❖ Forum – Geopolitical Legislative Developments
- **At-Large@ICANN73**
- **Talking points (JZ)**
  - **Policy – CCT Review Revisited (JZ)**
  - Board & ALAC (MH)
  - NARALO Monthly meeting (ED)
  - Policy – At-Large Prioritisation Framework (CLO)
  - Policy – Protecting Rights of Registrants & End-users (HE)
  - AFRALO-AfrICANN (SO)
  - ALAC & GNSO (JC)
  - ❖ ALAC & GAC (JK)
  - ❖ Wrap-up (MH)

# GNSO Perspectives



**Tomslin Samme-Nlar**  
GNSO Council Vice Chair



# GNSO Council – APAC Agenda

- System for Standardized Access/Disclosure (SSAD)  
Operational Design Assessment
- Subsequent Procedure Operational Design Phase
- DNS Abuse
- Closed Generics



# RSSAC Perspectives



**Hiro Hotta**  
RSSAC Member

# RSSAC

- RSSAC (Root Server System Advisory Committee)
  - standing since establishment of ICANN
  - advising the ICANN Board and community on matters related to the operation, administration, security, and integrity of the RSS
  - With RSSAC037 & 038 in 2018, the ICANN Board initiated community-wide discussion of “RSS governance framework” lead by RSS GWG
    - <https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=120820189>
- Topics discussed after ICANN72 and around ICANN73
  - success criteria for the RSS governance structure
    - RSSAC058 & 059
  - revision of “Metrics for the DNS Root Servers and the Root Server System”
    - RSSAC047v2

RSS : Root Server System  
RSO : Root Server Operator  
RSS GWG : RSS Governance Working Group

# recent RSSAC publications

<https://www.icann.org/groups/rssac/documents>

Number	Name	Date
<a href="#">RSSAC047v2</a>	<a href="#">RSSAC Advisory on Metrics for the DNS Root Servers and the Root Server System</a>	3 February 2022
<a href="#">RSSAC059</a>	<a href="#">RSSAC Advisory on Success Criteria for the Root Server System Governance Structure</a>	17 November 2021
<a href="#">RSSAC058</a>	<a href="#">Success Criteria for the RSS Governance Structure</a>	17 November 2021

# RSSAC058

- future RSS governance structure
  - initial work started voluntarily by RSSAC
  - RSSAC037 & 038 published and sent to the ICANN Board
  - community-wide discussion started by RSS GWG
  - RSS GWG combined its interim discussion results
  - RSOs found RSS GWG's interim discussion results might not appropriately support the security, stability, and resiliency of RSS
  - RSS GWG has been on-hold waiting for RSOs' elaborated response
  - RSOs work to propose a set of success criteria for the new governance model, in order to guide RSS GWG to a good proposal
- Some of the focal points
  - RSOs need to be diverse, independent, and autonomous
  - No RSO or subset of RSOs can represent the whole RSOs
  - Change of the line-up of RSOs needs prior hearing of RSOs' concerns (especially with regard to maintenance of principles)

# RSSAC059

- Main message of RSSAC059

RSSAC recommends that

- the ICANN Board accepts the advice presented in RSSAC058 and communicates its expectation that RSSAC058 shall be incorporated into all ongoing and future work involved in designing, evaluating, agreeing, implementing, and enforcing RSS governance

- After RSSAC058 & 059 were proposed to the Board

- The Board adopts RSSAC058 & 059
- Every RSO sends its representative to GWG as a voting member
- Substantial discussion on future RSS governance structure will resume on 24 March 2022 in GWG with all 12 RSO representatives in it

Thank you

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# Open Community Discussion



**Elliott Mann**  
APAC Space Community Facilitator



# AOB







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