

Call for Volunteers for the Pilot Holistic Review Team



Application form

This call seeks individuals interested in serving as a volunteer review team member on the Pilot Holistic Review (PHR). The composition of the Review Team ideally will be balanced for diversity and skill. Candidates are asked to submit their application forms by **19 June 2024, 23:59 UTC**.

The contents of this application, excluding contact information, will be published and publically available on the [PHR wiki page](#). If including a Curriculum Vitae / Resume, remove any personal information submitted or please inform us if some of this information should be redacted from the public posting.

How to complete your application:

1. This application is divided in 4 main sections:

- Acknowledgements
- Applicant information
- Skills, expertise, and desired attributes
- Motivation for serving on the review team

2. All sections need to be completed prior to submission of this application. If the given section does not apply to you, answer N/A.

3. In addition to completing this application, you may also submit a Curriculum Vitae / Resume via email to reviews@icann.org. *This step is optional and not required for the application process.*

4. Your application must be received by **19 June 2024, 23:59 UTC**.

I accept ICANN's electronic Terms of Service (<https://www.icann.org/privacy/tos>) and acknowledge that my personal data will be processed in accordance with the ICANN Privacy Policy (<https://www.icann.org/privacy/policy>). *

Yes

No

I acknowledge that if I am selected to the Pilot Holistic Review Team, I will be expected to maintain an up-to-date statement of interest form and such statements of interest will be evaluated to confirm I do not have any conflicts of interest in participation. *

I acknowledge.

Acknowledgement of time commitment

I acknowledge that the PHR is expected to last 14-months, I may be asked to attend calls every other week, lasting 60-90 minutes, and that independent work between calls is required.

Applicant Information

Last Name: *

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First Name: *

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Email Address: *

[REDACTED]

Gender (optional)

Female

Male

Transgender

Non-binary

Country: *

NIGERIA

Geographic region associated with the domicile of the volunteer *

- Africa
- Asia/Australia/Pacific Islands
- Europe
- Latin America/Caribbean Islands
- North America

Please confirm the Advisory Committee/Supporting Organization with which you seek a nomination from to serve on the Pilot Holistic Review Team. *

- ALAC
- GAC
- RSSAC
- SSAC
- ASO
- ccNSO
- GNSO

1. Current vocation, employer and position: *

Executive President/CEO Nurses Across the Borders International,(An NGO with UN ECOSOC Status and OBSERVER NGO with UNFCCC) Permanent Representative to the UN, UNFCCC Designated Contact Person, President Diaspora Nurses Association of Nigeria, Director for International Liaison, Nigerian Nurses Charitable Association-UK, Chairman, Health Committee, Nigerians in Diaspora Organization-Europe, National Deputy Chairman, National Conscience Party, Nigeria, Director Healthcare Today Limited, UK, Pastor in Agape Generation International Church, Lagos Nigeria, General Secretary Civil Society Network of NGOS on Climate Change, Nigeria.

2. Work performed in (1.) above and declaration of relationships with entities holding a financial (or declarable) interest in ICANN: *

NONE

3. Please identify any Working Groups or other chartered teams in which you are participating (include acronyms, if applicable): *

AFRALO, ALAC ALS MOP WP, AFRALO ROP WG, ATLAS II PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, CAPACITY BUILDING WG, AFRALO ICANN 80 PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, ALAC CONSOLIDATED POLICY WG, AFRALO-AFRICANN 80 STATEMENT DRAFTING COMMITTEE, ICANN UNIVERSAL ACCEPTANCE EAI WG, UA COMMUNICATION WG

3. How many years of ICANN experience do you have? *

- Less than 3 years
- More than 3 years

4. Education *

1. Primary School Leaving Certificate 1975 Nigeria
2. Secondary School Leaving Certificate GCE O/L 1981 Nigeria
3. Registered Mental Health Nurse (Nigeria) 1983
4. Registered General nurse (Nigeria) 1994
5. Post Graduate Diploma in Pastoral Theology (Nigeria) 1999
6. Higher Certificate of Education from Coventry University (UK) 2023
7. MBA in International Relations and Diplomacy, Cumbria University (UK) 2024

5. Professional Certifications *

Registered NURSE and Registered Mental Health Nurse, MBA International Relations and Diplomacy; Pg.Dip. Theology

6. English Knowledge *

- Native Speaker
- Fluent
- Conversant
- Basic Knowledge

7. Skills, expertise, and desired attributes

Please assess and explain how your knowledge, experience, and expertise address the criteria listed below. Leave the box blank if * not applicable to you.

- Performance assessment and audits of organizational effectiveness and governance
- Development of methodologies and guidelines for process improvement and measurement
- Data analysis informing fact-based findings and recommendations
- Familiarity with ICANN Reviews, and ICANN structures
- Knowledge of recognized frameworks for organizational excellence
- Principles of accountability applicable to organizations broadly similar to ICANN

Starting with my knowledge of and familiarity with the ICANN Review process and ICANN Structures are better buttressed by the roles I have actively played so far in AFRALO, ALAC ALS MOP WP, AFRALO ROP WG, ATLAS II PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, CAPACITY BUILDING WG, AFRALO ICANN 80 PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, ALAC CONSOLIDATED POLICY WG, AFRALO-AFRICANN 80 STATEMENT DRAFTING COMMITTEE, ICANN UNIVERSAL ACCEPTANCE EAI WG, UA COMMUNICATION WG since I obtained the ICANN Fellowship in 2010 and 2011 respectively, and became emboldened to take more than a passing interest in the ICANN.ORG structures and activities. The leadership trainings provided by ICANN as an ALUMNI of ATLAS II & III helped in no small measure in broadening my understanding of organisational performance assessment and audits and governance effectiveness, and principle of accountability applicable to organisations broadly similar to ICANN. A summary of both my academic credentials, work experience, offices and positions occupied in both local, national, regional and international organisations as follows is a testament of my experience and knowledge of recognised frameworks for organisational excellence. These roles and my academic credentials include but not limited to:

1. Registered Mental Health Nurse since 1983
2. Registered General nurse since 1994
3. Post Graduate Diploma in Pastoral Theology 1999
4. Higher Certificate of Education from Coventry University UK 2021
5. MBA in International Relations and Diplomacy, Cumbria University UK 2024
6. Permanent UN Representative to Nurses Across the Borders since 2005
6. First United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change UNFCCC Designated Contact Person from Nigeria since 2004
7. Board Member Conference of NGOs in Consultative Status with UN ECOSOC (CONGO) 2011 to 2017 the BODY responsible for over 10 million civil society groups registered with the United Nations.
8. Secretary to the African Regional Committee in Conference Of NGOS 2011 - 2017
9. Treasurer, Central Association of Nigerians in the UK-CANUK 2013 -2015
10. Financial Secretary CANUK 2015-2017- CANUK is an umbrella body of all the Nigerian socio-cultural groups, academia, youth organisations, professional groups in the UK working with the Nigerian High Commission.
11. Director for International Liaison, Nigerian Nurses Charitable Association UK since 2010
12. President Diaspora Nurses Association of Nigeria since 2009
14. Chairman Health Committee, Nigerians in Diaspora Organization UK since 2023
15. In 2003, 2015 contested for the Nigerians House of Representatives and in 2016 and 2020 contested as Governor for Edo State Nigeria.
16. A fellow of the Open Society Institute since 2007

The above credentials are of great asset demonstrating my competence and expertise for the PHR IF eventually selected.

Please assess and explain how your knowledge, experience, and expertise address the criteria listed below. Leave the box blank if * not applicable to you.

- Commitment and time to participate actively for the duration of the PHR
- Understanding of the ICANN multistakeholder model
- Analytical skills
- Team spirit, adaptability, consensus-seeking attitude - willingness to learn and contribute, capacity to reason objectively, putting aside personal opinions or preconceptions
- Good communication skills using multiple methods and tools

Since my Fellowship in 2010 and 2011 respectively, and with the registration of my ALS with/in AFRALO, I have been committed to all the various WG and WP within ICANN that I have been involved in. These include but not limited to the followings: AFRALO, ALAC ALS MOP WP, AFRALO ROP WG, ATLAS II PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, CAPACITY BUILDING WG, AFRALO ICANN 80 PLANNING COMMITTEE WG, ALAC CONSOLIDATED POLICY WG, AFRALO-AFRICANN 80 STATEMENT DRAFTING COMMITTEE, ICANN UNIVERSAL ACCEPTANCE EAI WG, UA COMMUNICATION WG and ALUMNI OF ATALS II & III.

At these events, I have not only demonstrated my knowledge on issues and understanding of the process but have also played a team role by supporting the leadership and by being strong voice and advocate for the standards of the ICANN Bye-Laws and principles. I have an amiable and infectious personality with good communication skills. I have strong analytical skills when making my presentations. A case in mind was the recently concluded ICANN 80 Policy Forum where I made very concrete contributions to both the Regional and global policies in Kigali up to the ICANN Board Strategic Review.

You can not take away my commitment to the ICANN Values. I am very punctual and respect the importance of timing to organisational growth and development as could be discerned from all my engagement within the ICANN Ecosystem. The records are

My vast exposure to global politics and issues especially as a Permanent UN Representative has broadened my capacity for diplomacy and parliamentary procedures. It is to sharpened the above skills that I had to study for my MBA in International Relations and Diplomacy at one of Britain's prestigious universities-University of Cumbria and graduated March 2024.

I pledge to commit my time to the entire proceedings and procedures of the PHR if selected.

Please assess and explain how your knowledge, experience & personality meet the desired attributes listed below. Leave the box blank if not applicable to you. *

- Commitment and time to participate actively for the duration of the PHR
- Understanding of the Multistakeholder community
- Team spirit, adaptability, consensus-seeking attitude
- Willingness to learn
- Readiness to contribute
- Capacity to reason objectively, putting aside personal opinions or preconceptions
- Analytical skills
- Good communication skills using multiple methods and tools

I am apt to learn and to be taught. My quest for new ideas and knowledge are insatiable which explains my various roles and activities in my global engagements as mentioned earlier above. Since 2010 that I became involved with ICANN.ORG, I have been able to not only respect and value its multi-stakeholder principles but has been a strong advocate for this process. The ICANN Staff can attest to my commitment in time and participation to every group of ICANN I have been registered to be a part of since 2010

As a member of the Board of Trustees of the Conference of NGOs in Consultative Status with the United Nations (with over 10 million NGO/civil society groups, from 2011-2017, has demonstrated my qualities as a good team player, with the consensus seeking attitude to deal with the diversity inherent by the millions of NGOs we represent within the UN.

If there is anything you cannot take away from me, is my boldness and frankness when it comes to contributing to issues that are germane to the growth of ICANN. It shows my passion and commitment its values. ICANN does not discriminate but encourage and empowers all its stakeholders by providing the platforms for our voices to be heard.

One of my asset is my strong and good communication skills.

I can analyse issues and situations and present them to an understandable perspective for all.

9. Motivation for Serving on Review Team

*Please provide your interest in serving on the Review Team and what you will bring to the team if selected. **

Section 1.2.(a)iv, ICANN Byelaws states: Employ open, transparent and bottom-up, multi-stakeholder policy development processes that are led by the private sector (including business stakeholders, civil society, the technical community, academia, and end users), while duly taking into account the public policy advice of governments and public authorities. These processes shall (A) seek input from the public, for whose benefit ICANN in all events shall act, (B) promote well-informed decisions based on expert advice, and (C) ensure that those entities most affected can assist in the policy development process;).

The above section of the ICANN Bye-Laws is the motivation behind all that I believe in and do with/in ICANN since 2010. When I join a group, I first take time to study its Constitution or Bye-Laws.

I believe in the rule of law and due process which is the bedrock for transparency and accountability. In all the contributions I have made within ICANN since 2010, they have been premised on the above-always proposing positive and democratic changes to the the usual ways things are done in ICANN. Life is dynamic. So is any organisation, ICANN inclusive. No wonder I am still actively involved with the ICANN AFRALO ROP WG and equally actively participated in the ALAC ALS MOP WP that reviewed the ICANN ALAC ALS engagements within ICANN.

To the above, I am bringing on board the PHR my wide range of experience and knowledge of the United Nations workings, and my global exposure as a professional mental health and general nurse with over 40 years of experience both in Africa and Europe, with my MBA degree in International Relations and Diplomacy together with my activism as a civil society leader that has held several positions. This will help the committee with the review at hand. As an Internet end-user, and my background as enumerated above I shall be very comfortable serving in the Accountability and Transparency (ATRT) Review Team because my experience, exposure, and requisite knowledge and academic background in international relations and diplomacy has prepared me with the following ability Knowledge of performance assessment and audits.

- o Expertise in good governance and board performance.
 - o Understanding of performance measurement.
 - o Knowledge of process improvement.
 - o Knowledge of recognised frameworks for organisational excellence.
 - o Understanding of principles of accountability applicable to organisations broadly similar to ICANN
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