



The 2nd At-Large Summit (ATLAS II) Statement on the NetMundial Multistakeholder Statement

Introductory

Representatives of approximately one hundred and fifty (150) At-Large Structures (“ALSes”) from five Regional At-Large Organizations (“RALOs”) representing ICANN's global At-Large community met at the 2nd At-Large Summit (ATLAS II) as part of the 50th ICANN meeting in London, United Kingdom.

Evan Leibovitch, At-Large Advisory Committee (ALAC) member from the North American Regional At-Large Organization (NARALO) and ALAC Leadership Team (ALT) member, composed an initial draft of this Statement after discussion of the topic within At-Large.

On 26 June 2014, this Statement was posted on the [ATLAS II Statement on NetMundial Workspace](#). It was reviewed and commented on by the ALS representatives attending the Summit.

On that same day during the [ALAC and Regional Leadership Wrap-Up Meeting](#), Olivier Crépin-Leblond, the Chair of the ALAC then requested that a ratification vote be held on the Statement. Staff confirmed that the vote resulted in the ALAC endorsing the Statement with 14 votes in favor, 0 votes against, and 0 abstentions. You may review the result independently under: <https://community.icann.org/x/qbPhAg>.

Summary

1. The ICANN At-Large Community applauds the numerous significant achievements of the NetMundial conference in São Paulo.
2. The NetMundial statement, a ground-breaking consensus document, includes much that aligns with the At-Large values and objectives.
3. While stopping short of the fullest possible set of rights that At-Large would have preferred, we acknowledge that in a successful consensus process no single stakeholder will achieve all aims.
4. We thank the leaders within our community, the organizers and creators of the event, and the participation of CGI.BR.
5. The At-Large Community, at the ATLAS II event, charges the ALAC to remain vigilant towards the promise of NetMundial being fulfilled and push for stronger commitment to the rights of Internet users.
6. The At-Large Community encourages the greater ICANN community to learn from the experiences of NetMundial. We support the progress of 1Net, and we welcome the challenge of moving forward what NetMundial started.

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Statement on the NetMundial Multistakeholder Statement

The ICANN At-Large Community applauds the numerous significant achievements of the NetMundial conference in São Paulo. The event was a milestone in Internet Governance that will be known for a number of accomplishments, including:

- An innovative approach to multi-stakeholder engagement
- Creative use of technology to give remote hubs equal voice to those attending in person
- Open and frank commentary from governments, business, civil society, academia and the technical community

That these achievements were accomplished within a relatively short time frame -- from the conference's announcement, to its staging, to its delivery of a statement -- makes the NetMundial achievements even more remarkable.

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The statement defines progressive rights and governance principles, and calls for openness, stability, privacy, standards and diversity. While stopping short of the fullest possible set of rights that At-Large would have preferred in matters such as surveillance and the freedom to innovate, we acknowledge that in a successful consensus process no single stakeholder will achieve all aims.

We thank the leaders within our community who worked to assure explicit reference to the needs of end-users and to ensure our issues were largely addressed. We also thank the organizers and creators of the event, including Brazilian President Dilma Rousseff, ICANN President and CEO Fadi Chehadé, his counterparts in the Internet Society and other members of the 1Net collaboration. We especially wish to express our appreciation to the participation of CGI.BR, itself a multi-stakeholder example that we encourage to be duplicated in other countries.

The At-Large Community, at the 2nd At-large Summit (ATLAS II) event, charges the At-Large Advisory Committee (ALAC) to remain vigilant towards the promise of NetMundial being fulfilled. The ALAC will push for stronger commitment to the rights of Internet users, addressing issues that were either insufficiently addressed or missing from the final statement.

The At-Large Community encourages the greater ICANN community to learn from the experiences of this extraordinary event. We support the progress of 1Net, and we welcome the challenge of moving forward what NetMundial started.