

RSSAC Caucus Membership Application Statement of Interest (SOI) Form

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- **Name:** Daniel Mahoney
- **Affiliation and current position:** Senior Systems Architect, ISC
- **Relevant qualifications:** I am part of the systems administration team that operates the F Root Server for ISC and have been doing so for the past five years, as well as DNS being a part of my day to day responsibilities for ISC for over 12 and in systems day-jobs for over 20, in addition to operating my own infrastructure from the BGP and AS level, on down. I was active in the efforts to deploy DLV and DNSSEC before the root was signed, as well as in turning DLV down when the time came.
- **Motivation for membership in the RSSAC Caucus:** Operation and stability of the root server system have been both my job-based interest as well as something I've personally been empassioned about for many years now. This is core to the mission of both my day job as well as to me personally.
- **Indication of availability:** Available to meet in person per work allowances, post-COVID of course.
- **Formal roles (if any) and interests in the work of RSSAC:** My general interests are more in-line with technical operations over those of policy, however, I feel policymakers need to be informed by ongoing operational requirements and projections. As someone who's pulled many levers for many years on one of the busiest root letters, I feel qualified to contribute in this manner.
- **Links where appropriate:**