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**About me:**

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**Relevant qualifications:**

- DNS operator since the late 1980s
- Multiple DNS-related technical roles over 13 years at Verisign, operator of the .com and .net registries, the “A” and “J” root servers, and performer of the Root Zone Maintainer role
- Represented Verisign in the private root operator group and a member of RSSAC for 13 years
- Vice-chair of RSSAC in its former instantiation for several years
- Co-author of DNSSEC RFCs 4033, 4034 and 4035
- Author of O’Reilly Nutshell handbooks “DNS on Windows NT”, “DNS on Windows 2000” and “DNS on Windows Server 2003”.
- Co-host of the Ask Mr. DNS podcast

**Motivation for membership in the Caucus:**

I am interested to offer my experience to improve the root server system and to continue to participate in its evolution.

**Indication of availability:**

I can devote eight hours per month to write or edit documents. I typically attend one to two IETF meetings per year, and could attend one ICANN meeting per year, if necessary.

**Formal roles and interests in the work of RSSAC:**

- CTO of Dyn, Inc., an Internet Performance company offering DNS-based traffic management services to the leading brands in the Alexa 1000
- Member of SSAC