The CWG-Stewardship: **General Overview**

**NTIA Announcement & Criteria**

**ICANN**

**ICG**

**CWG-Stewardship**

**CRISP**

**IANAPLAN**

**CCWG**

**ICANN BOARD**

**NTIA**

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**The Goal of CWG-Stewardship**

Produce a consolidated transition proposal for the elements of the IANA Functions relating to the Domain Name System.

The proposal must meet the needs of:
- The naming community in general
- All of the CWG’s chartering organizations (ccNSO, SSAC, GNSO, ALAC, GAC)
- Direct consumers of IANA naming services including gTLDs and ccTLDs

**The Scope of CWG-Stewardship**

Based on a summary and description of the IANA functions drawn from the NTIA’s statement of work for that IANA contract, IANA performs 11 individual functions.

The CWG is focused on 2-9 and 11 (but may also comment on 1 or 10).

1. Coordinates the assignment of technical protocol parameters including the management of the Address and Routing Parameter Area (ARPA) TLD;
2. Performs administrative functions associated with root zone management;
3. Manages root zone file change requests;
4. Manages “WHOIS” change requests and the WHOIS database;
5. Implements changes in the assignment of Country Code Top Level-Domains (ccTLDs) in accordance with established policy;
6. Implements decisions related to the delegation and redelegation of Generic Top Level Domain (gTLD) in accordance with ICANN policy;
7. Undertakes projects to increase root zone automation;
8. Manages Root Domain Name System Security Extensions (DNSSEC) keys;
9. Provides a Customer Service Complaint Resolution Process (CSCR)
10. Allocates internet numbering resources; and
11. Performs other services (operate the .INT TLD, implement modifications in performance of the IANA)

**CCWG Linkage & Coordination**

Subject to update from CCWG Sessions in Istanbul
The CWG-Stewardship: Our Progress to Date

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19 Members
125 Participants
54 Total Calls/Meetings
3,302 Working Hours
3,189 Total Mailing List Exchanges

Charter Development & SO/AC Approval
Initial Meetings / Define RFP Groups
RFP1
RFP2
RFP3 & RFP3B
RFP4
RFP5
RFP6
Draft Proposal
Public Comment

ICANN 51
Frankfurt
21 days
Washington DC
ICANN 52
Istanbul
TODAY

Total Calls/Meetings:
SEP OCT NOV DEC JAN FEB MAR
JUL AUG

2014 2015

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3,302
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Total Mailing List Exchanges:

v2
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Istanbul
TODAY

2014 2015

21 days

v1
What is needed to make the IANA Stewardship Transition happen?

Interdependencies between:

- **Design Teams**
  Complementary workstreams

- **Legal Advice**
  On post-transition structure

- **CWG-Stewardship > CCWG Linkage**
  Opportunity to leverage each other’s work & not duplicate efforts
The CWG-Stewardship: Next Steps

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FOR REVIEW AND UPDATE based on Istanbul progress

Design Teams
Legal Advice
Draft Proposal

Public Comment
v2 30 days

Submit to COs
v3 21 days

Submit to ICG

IANA Stewardship Transition Proposal related to the Naming Functions

ICANN 53

ICANN BOARD

NTIA

IANA Stewardship Transition Proposal

TBD

MAR
APR
MAY
JUN

2015

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Utilizing Design Teams

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CWG - Draft Transition Plan V2.2

Completed

In Progress
### The CWG-Stewardship: **Design Teams Status Pre-Istanbul**

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