ATRT2 Recommendation 10 Implementation
Cross Community Deliberations
2 April 2015

Implementation 10 Timeline

June 2016
Operationalized

Recommendation 10 Implementation Description

This project captures a number of initiatives that are addressing the components of recommendation 10 in relation to improving the effectiveness of cross community deliberations such as the GNSO PDP improvements, GAC-GNSO Consultation Group on Early Engagement of the GAC in Policy Development Processes and the Community Regional Outreach Pilot Program (CROPP).

Status of Deliverables

	Responsible	Due Date
Appointment of GNSO Liaison to the GAC	Council	✓
Development of additional recommendations for GAC Early Engagement in GNSO PDP and ongoing discussions	GAC/GNSO CG	Ongoing*
Implementation of CROPP	Staff	Complete**
Implementation of GNSO PDP Improvements	GNSO/Staff	Ongoing***
Implementation of facilitated PDP F2F WG meetings pilot project	GNSO/Staff	Complete **

* GAC & GNSO Leadership to discuss timeline shortly – due to workload issues, the CG has suspended meetings for now
** Project planning is complete. It is now an ongoing pilot program which is expected to be reviewed in the near future.
*** Status updates are provided to the GNSO Council at each ICANN meeting. See the latest update.

✓ Complete
　 Planned/In Process
　 Behind schedule, expected to recover within original plan
　 Behind schedule, original plan to be adjusted

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Project Status

Work is actively under way in relation to most recommendation components. For example, the GAC-GNSO Consultation Group on Early Engagement of the GAC in Policy Development Processes has been meeting on a regular basis and as a result of their deliberations a GNSO liaison to the GAC has been appointed as a pilot project (note, a special community FY16 budget request has been submitted to continue this pilot in FY16). Furthermore, a first set of recommendations in relation to GAC early engagement in the GNSO Policy Development Process Issue Scoping phase have been approved by the GAC and GNSO to be implemented on a trial basis (see http://gnso.icann.org/en/council/resolutions#201503). The Consultation Group will continue its deliberations to consider the other stages of the PDP as well as possible other recommendations in relation to day-to-day co-operation. A next update is expected to be presented to the GAC and GNSO at ICANN53.

Furthermore, a number of improvements are being implemented as part of the GNSO PDP improvements such as the pilot project on facilitated PDP F2F WG meetings to take place in conjunction with ICANN meetings (two meetings have been successfully held during ICANN 51 and ICANN 52, a third meeting is being planned for ICANN 53). A special community FY16 budget request has been submitted to continue this pilot into FY16 to gather further data on the effect and usefulness of facilitated F2F meetings. For further information on some of the other improvements, please see the update that was provided to the GNSO Council at ICANN 52.

In relation to the CROPP program, in recognition of the potential that such a regional outreach program could contribute to the ICANN community's continued growth and development, the FY15 Budget allocates resources and staff has been directed to continue implementation and rigorous evaluation in order to assist in determining whether such resourced outreach merits support in future fiscal cycles. For further information, please see https://community.icann.org/x/aYvhAg.

Implementation Notes

The implementation of this recommendation requires substantial involvement from stakeholders, and volunteer fatigue and prioritization efforts must be considered. Furthermore, several of these initiatives are implemented as pilots. The pilot results will be evaluated relative to project goals and adjustments or alternatives will be considered, as needed.

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