



# Charter Drafting Group – Call 1

GSE Middle East | Teleconference Call | 20 April 2016

# Charter Development Group Composition

- 35 Community Members
- Members hail from 12 countries
- Represent all stakeholder groups
- 6 members are members of the Middle East Strategy
- ICANN GSE Middle East staff will support this work

# Work Method of the CDG

- The CDG will have weekly teleconference calls every **Wednesday at 12.00 PM UTC** until the group concludes its work.
  - End of April 2016 has been suggested for the group to conclude its work
- CDG has a dedicated mailing list with ID [icann-charter-dg@googlegroups.com](mailto:icann-charter-dg@googlegroups.com)
- CDG will use a dedicated Google Docs at <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1PMLkvOJQBPlZ4s0KipydDRPHgUbOnUNu-3wVDPH8LTE/edit?pref=2&pli=1> to develop the final charter document

# History of the MESWG

- The Middle East Strategy Working Group (MESWG) consisted of 22 members
- No charter was developed for the MESWG
- Open invitation went out to join the MESWG
- The group worked on the entire strategy document and suggested implementation items over the course of 3 years
- The MESWG had 3 F2F meetings (March 2013, April 2013, and February 2014)
- ICANN Staff executed the strategy in close collaboration with the MESWG, and updated them on quarterly basis

# ... cont. (History of the MESWG)

- Middle East Strategy was executed over 3 years
  - July 2013 – June 2014
  - July 2014 – June 2015
  - July 2015 – June 2016
- Review and Assessment of the annual plans were conducted
- MESWG communication over email was archived at <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/icann-meswg>
- MESWG teleconference calls archived at [https://community.icann.org/display/MES/Meetings+and+Teleconference  
s](https://community.icann.org/display/MES/Meetings+and+Teleconference+s)
- Documents related to the strategy published online at <https://community.icann.org/display/MES/Documents>

# Questions?!



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