

Mutual Accountability Round Table

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The Rationale

- * Mutual Accountability provides a space for all ICANN structures to call one another to account
- * It can help with addressing the issue of SO/AC accountability to the “global public of Internet users”

Mutual Accountability Roundtable Recommended Format

- * Meets once a year
- * a roundtable
- * Comprises of the Board, CEO and all supporting organisations and advisory committees, represented by their chairpersons.
- * A chairperson will be designated by the Roundtable
- * SO/AC represented by their chairpersons

Roundtable Topics

- * Each Roundtable may pick one or two key topics to examine.
- * Each participant could give an account of how his or her constituency addressed the issue, indicating what worked and didn't work.
- * This could be followed by a discussion on how to improve matters of performance.

Question and Discussion

- * Is Mutual Accountability Round Table a viable option?

Question and Discussion on Format

- * Should the forum meet once a year?
- * What should be the composition of the forum? (All SO/ACs?)

Questions and Discussions on Topics

- * How should the Round Table choose its topics?
- * Should SO/ACs be able to challenge each other on their performances?
- * How should the suggestions for improvement be documented?