

To whom it may concern,

I would like to express my interest in joining the ICANN SSR-2 team. I believe I can be a productive member of this team, based on my experiences in Internet infrastructure development, design, research, standards, and community involvement. I received my Ph.D. in 2010 from UCLA, with a focus on DNS and DNSSEC, during which time I authored several peer-reviewed research papers on DNSSEC, presented numerous times at NANOGs, RIPvEs, IETFs, and DNS-OARCs. I have since been an author on multiple RFCs, and continued my research, operations, and standards work and presentations. I have also been a leader on several SSR initiatives published by Verisign, including our reports on SSR activities around new gTLDs and risks posed by name collisions.

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