

# ARIN

American Registry for Internet Numbers

ARIN is one of five Regional Internet Registries (RIRs) responsible for the worldwide technical coordination and management of Internet number resources.



## ARIN @ A GLANCE

ARIN is a nonprofit, member-based organization that supports the operation of the Internet. ARIN's core service is the management and distribution of Internet number resources: Internet Protocol (IP) addresses and Autonomous System Numbers (ASNs). ARIN manages these resources within Canada, the United States, and many Caribbean and North Atlantic islands. ARIN also coordinates policy development by the community and advances the Internet through informational outreach.

#### ARIN serves the following economies:

Anguilla, Antarctica, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, Canada, Cayman Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Saint Barthelemy, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, St. Pierre and Miquelon, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, St. Martin, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Islands, Virgin Islands (British), United States, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands (US), Bouvet Island, Heard and McDonald Islands

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### **REGISTRATION SERVICES**

ARIN's primary business is the fair distribution of IP addresses and ASNs based on community policy, along with maintaining the accuracy and stability of the Internet number registry system. Our Registration Services department is available to help with all aspects of requesting and managing IP addresses and ASNs, including resource transfers and making your first IPv6 request.



Ready to request resources? Get started today:

www.arin.net/resources/request.html



Need to submit a transfer request? Learn more:

www.arin.net/resources/transfers/index.html



#### **Options for Contacting Registration Services:**

- Ask ARIN (part of ARIN Online)
  - > When logged in, select Ask ARIN on the left
- Phone
  - > Call 703.227.0660 Monday-Friday between 7:00 AM and 7:00 PM ET
- Via Email
  - > Send a message to hostmaster@arin.net

### ARIN'S TECHNICAL SERVICES

ARIN provides a range of technical services, including:

- Whois and Registration Data Access Protocol (RDAP) directory services
- Routing information
- Reverse Domain Name System (DNS) services
- Internet number resource management
- Cryptographic Authentication
- Internet Routing Registry (IRR)
- Community software repository
- Resource Public Key Infrastructure (RPKI) repository
- DNS Security (DNSSEC)

For more information on these services, visit www.arin.net/resources/services



## > GET INVOLVED

There are many ways to learn about and participate in ARIN's community. Find the way that fits your schedule and interests.

Membership is NOT required to attend ARIN meetings, participate in ARIN's Policy Development Process (PDP), or request Internet number resources!

#### ATTEND A MEETING

ARIN holds two Public Policy and Members Meetings each year that are open and free to anyone. Meetings are held in various locations throughout the ARIN region, providing participants the opportunity to:

- Engage in policy discussions
- Learn about new ARIN services
- Visit the onsite Registration Services desk
- Network with colleagues
- Discuss operational and financial matters

Webcasting and remote participation are also available. Information about future and past meetings is available at www.arin.net/participate/meetings



ARIN selects qualifying Fellows from the ARIN region for each Public Policy and Members Meeting. Fellows receive such benefits as:

- Hotel accommodations
- · Round-trip airfare
- A small stipend
- An ARIN mentor

Learn more at:

www.arin.net/participate/meetings/fellowship.html

#### INTERNET NUMBER RESOURCE POLICY DEVELOPMENT

Internet number resource policies are documented community decisions that directly determine the rules by which ARIN manages and administers Internet number resources. Through ARIN's Policy Development Process (PDP), the Internet community develops Internet number resource policies in an open and transparent manner. Any interested party may participate in the PDP with the exception of ARIN Board of Trustees members or staff. **ARIN membership is NOT required to participate.** 

If your organization disagrees with any current ARIN policy, you may propose a change directly to the community in the form of a policy proposal. The ARIN Advisory Council shepherds proposals through the PDP and when community consensus is reached, recommends draft policies to the Board of Trustees for adoption and implementation.

For more information on ARIN policies and the PDP, visit www.arin.net/policy/pdp.html



Voice your opinions and stay informed.

### **JOIN A MAILING LIST!**

ARIN email lists suit a variety of interests.

**ARIN Announce** brings you the latest news and announcements on key issues affecting our members and the Internet community.

**ARIN Discuss** provides a members-only forum for ARIN internal procedure and fee discussions.

**The Public Policy Mailing List (PPML)** serves as a forum for policy proposals and related ideas and serves as an integral part of the PDP.

**ARIN Consult** is used to gather comments on any active consultations or suggestions.

**ARIN Technical Discussions** is used to provide feedback on current ARIN services and features in development (see www.arin.net/resources/services and www.arin.net/features for more information).

**ARIN-Issued** is a daily report of IPv4, IPv6, and Autonomous System Number (ASN) resources issued directly by ARIN, and resources returned to ARIN's free pool.

**ARIN Suggestions** is used by ARIN staff to notify the community about new ACSP suggestions and ARIN responses.

To learn more about these and more of our mailing lists and to subscribe to one or more, visit <a href="https://www.arin.net/participate/mailing\_lists">www.arin.net/participate/mailing\_lists</a>

### **CONNECT WITH ARIN**

www.twitter.com/TeamARIN

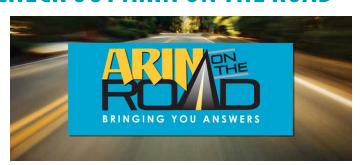
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www.linkedin.com/company/arin

**Y** www.google.com/+TeamARIN

www.youtube.com/TeamARIN

## **CHECK OUT ARIN ON THE ROAD**



Bringing ARIN to you! These one-day programs are held throughout the year in cities across our region. Join us for an update on current ARIN activities and services, and the opportunity to interact with ARIN staff.

See what a typical agenda looks like:

www.arin.net/participate/meetings/on-the-road/index.html