



# Asia Pacific Top Level Domain Association

## Recent Updates:

- Next APTLD Meeting: APTLD72, Tbilisi, Georgia, 14-15 September 2017  
⇒ [Meeting Website](#) ⇒ [Latest Agenda](#) (6 April 2017) ⇒ [Fellowship Application](#)
- APTLD Fellows to APSIG-2017 Selected ⇒ [Announcement](#)

## Members

### (.CC/.TV Verisign)

Verisign to Report First Quarter 2017 Financial Results

[https://www.verisign.com/en\\_US/internet-technology-news/verisign-press-releases/articles/index.xhtml?artLink=aHR0cDovL3ZlcmIzaWduLm5ld3NocS5idXNpbmVzc3dpcmUuY29tL3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvdmVyaXNpZ24tcmVwb3J0LWZpcnN0LXF1YXJ0ZXItMjAxNy1maW5hbmNpYWwtcmVzdWx0cw%3D%3D](https://www.verisign.com/en_US/internet-technology-news/verisign-press-releases/articles/index.xhtml?artLink=aHR0cDovL3ZlcmIzaWduLm5ld3NocS5idXNpbmVzc3dpcmUuY29tL3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvdmVyaXNpZ24tcmVwb3J0LWZpcnN0LXF1YXJ0ZXItMjAxNy1maW5hbmNpYWwtcmVzdWx0cw%3D%3D)

### (.NZ InternetNZ)

The Intelligence and Security Act 2017

<https://internetnz.nz/blog/intelligence-and-security-act-2017>

A Kiwi at OpenCon 2016

<https://internetnz.nz/blog/kiwi-opencon-2016>

Emergencies and the Internet

<https://internetnz.nz/blog/emergencies-and-internet>

### (.TH THNIC)

BGP Peering Workshop, 17-20 May 2017

<http://www.thnic.or.th/bgp-peering-workshop-2017/>

**(Afilias)**

5 Afilias Top Level Domains Now Licensed for Sale in China

<https://afilias.info/news/2017/04/06/5-afilias-top-level-domains-now-licensed-sale-china>

**(.DE DENIC eG)**

DENIC Starts Official Operation as Data Escrow Provider for ICANN-Accredited Registrars

<https://www.denic.de/en/whats-new/press-releases/article/denic-starts-official-operation-as-data-escrow-provider-for-icann-accredited-registrars/>

DENIC Domain Statistics 2016: The Regional Distribution of .de Domains in Germany

<https://www.denic.de/en/whats-new/press-releases/article/denic-domain-statistics-2016-the-regional-distribution-of-de-domains-in-germany/>

**(Neustar)**

Neustar and Google Partner to Help Brands More Accurately Measure the Impact of Their Marketing

<https://www.neustar.biz/about-us/news-room/press-releases/2017/googlemmm>

Massive DDoS Attack On U.S. College Throws IoT Security Into The Spotlight -- Again

<http://service.meltwaternews.com/mnews/redirect.html?docId=5708852803&userId=299738&cid=80160&pId=10&agentId=5128541&type=1&s=808&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.crn.com%2Fnews%2Finternet-of-things%2F300084446%2Fmassive-ddos-attack-on-u-s-college-throws-iot-security-into-the-spotlight-again.htm>

**(Netnod)**

New Netnod Optical IX service set to revolutionise peering in the Nordics

<https://www.netnod.se/regular-page/new-netnod-optical-ix-service-set-revolutionise-peering-nordics>

**(Coordination Center for TLD .RU/.PФ)**

Innopolis to host 8th Russian Internet Governance Forum

[https://cctld.ru/en/news/news\\_detail.php?ID=11430](https://cctld.ru/en/news/news_detail.php?ID=11430)

## Others

Using .com registration trends to discover keyword-rich domain names

<https://blog.verisign.com/domain-names/using-february-com-registration-trends-discover-keyword-rich-domain-names/>

Leadership Reorganisation Amplifies Internal Structure to Enhance the Registry's Impact

<http://pir.org/leadership-reorganisation-amplifies-internal-structure-to-enhance-the-registry-impact/>

Internet Day 2017 - Internet - Data! Algorithms! Paradise?

<https://www.internet.ee/news/internet-day-2017-internet-data-algorithms-paradise>

APNIC Academy launches

<https://blog.apnic.net/2017/04/07/apnic-academy-launches/>

Network Security & IRM workshop, Solomon Islands

<https://blog.apnic.net/2017/04/07/network-security-irm-workshop-solomon-islands/>

Event Wrap: IGFA 2017, Kabul, Afghanistan

<https://blog.apnic.net/2017/04/04/event-wrap-igfa-2017-kabul-afghanistan/>

IETF 98 Chicago: Is there a role for the RIRs in IPAM?

<https://blog.apnic.net/2017/03/31/ietf-98-chicago-role-rirs-ipam/>

IGF 2017 Call for Open Forums

<http://www.intgovforum.org/multilingual/content/igf-2017-call-for-open-forums>

IGF 2017 Call for Workshop Proposals

<http://www.intgovforum.org/multilingual/content/igf-2017-call-for-workshop-proposals>



ITU accelerates study of smart-city data management

<http://www.itu.int/en/mediacentre/Pages/2017-PR13.aspx>

OTA and ISOC Combine Resources to Enhance Online Trust, Security and Privacy

<https://www.internetsociety.org/news/ota-and-isoc-combine-resources-enhance-online-trust-security-and-privacy>

The Internet Society Announces New Senior Director of Partnerships and Development

<https://www.internetsociety.org/news/internet-society-announces-new-senior-director-partnerships-and-development>

Encryption and Securing Our Digital Economy

[http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170407\\_encryption\\_and\\_securing\\_our\\_digital\\_economy/](http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170407_encryption_and_securing_our_digital_economy/)

Kelly's Case Updated: A Need for Further DNS Registrar Industry (Self-) Regulation

[http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170405\\_kellys\\_case\\_need\\_for\\_further\\_dns\\_registrar\\_industry\\_selfregulation/](http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170405_kellys_case_need_for_further_dns_registrar_industry_selfregulation/)

The IETF's Job Is Complete - Should It Now Scale Up, Down or Out?

[http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170331\\_ietf\\_job\\_is\\_complete\\_should\\_it\\_now\\_scale\\_up\\_down\\_or\\_out/](http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170331_ietf_job_is_complete_should_it_now_scale_up_down_or_out/)

WikiLeaks Releases CIA Documents on Grasshopper Framework for Building Customized Malware Payloads

[http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170407\\_wikileaks\\_releases\\_cia\\_documents\\_on\\_grasshopper\\_framework/](http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170407_wikileaks_releases_cia_documents_on_grasshopper_framework/)

## ICANN

Fifteen Candidates Have Been Selected for NextGen@ICANN59

<https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-04-07-en>

ICANN Publishes Its First LAC Strategy Trifold

<https://www.icann.org/news/blog/icann-s-latin-american-and-caribbean-lac-team-launches-a-new->

[regional-strategy-resource](#)

ICANN Releases Results of ICANN58 Survey

<https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-04-03-en>

Second Security, Stability, and Resiliency of the DNS (SSR2) Review Team Announces Leadership

<https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-03-30-en>

ICANN60 Fellowship Application Round Now Open

<https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2-2017-03-29-en>

Join our webinar on Competition, Consumer Trust and Consumer Choice Review Draft Report

<https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-03-29-en>

ICANN Clarifies its Position in Response to Purported Threats Posed by Children-Related New gTLDs

<https://www.icann.org/news/blog/icann-clarifies-its-position-in-response-to-purported-threats-posed-by-children-related-new-gtlds>

ICANN's Latin American and Caribbean (LAC) Team Launches a New Regional Strategy Resource

<https://www.icann.org/news/blog/icann-s-latin-american-and-caribbean-lac-team-launches-a-new-regional-strategy-resource>

ccNSO | Agenda – April Council Meeting

<https://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/agenda-draft-council-13apr17-en.pdf>

ccNSO | ccNSO Activity Summary March 2017

<https://ccnso.icann.org/resources/activity-summary-mar17-en.htm>

## Current ICANN Public Consultations

GNSO Initial Report on the IGO-INGO Access to Curative Rights Protection Mechanisms Policy



Development Process

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/igo-ingo-crp-access-initial-2017-01-20-en>

Recommendations to Improve ICANN's Transparency

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/ccwg-acct-draft-recs-2017-02-21-en>

Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) Implementation Guidelines

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/idn-guidelines-2017-03-03-en>

Interim Paper Cross-Community Working Group on Use of Names of Countries and Territories as Top Level Domains

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/cwg-uctn-interim-paper-2017-02-24-en>

Enhancing Accountability Guidelines for Good Faith

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/enhancing-accountability-guidelines-good-faith-2017-03-07-en>

Competition, Consumer Trust and Consumer Choice Review Team Draft Report of Recommendations for New gTLDs

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/cct-rt-draft-report-2017-03-07-en>

ICANN's Draft FY18 Operating Plan and Budget, and Five-Year Operating Plan Update

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/fy18-budget-2017-03-08-en>

GNSO Community Comment 2 (CC2) on New gTLD Subsequent Procedures Policy Development Process

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/cc2-new-gtld-subsequent-procedures-2017-03-22-en>

Draft 2016 African Domain Name System Market Study

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/africa-dns-market-study-2017-03-10-en>

Proposal for Ethiopic Script Root Zone Label Generation Rules (LGR)

<https://www.icann.org/public-comments/ethiopic-lgr-2017-03-23-en>