Recent Updates:

- Next APTLD Meeting: APTLD 71, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, 2-3 March 2017 ⇨ [Meeting Website](#)

- APTLD Held the Inaugural Executive Teleconference ⇨ [Link](#)

- APTLD has Nominated Hiro Hotta for the 2017 ICANN Multistakeholder Ethos Award ⇨ [Link](#)

- 2017 APTLD Board Election | Voting Period Open from 31 January 2017 till 8 February 2017

    ⇨ [Procedure](#) ⇨ [Slate of Candidates](#)

Members

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The Executive Team of the Network Readiness Index (NRI) Holds Its First Meeting

https://www.tra.gov.ae/en/media-hub/press-releases/2017/2/8/the-executive-team-of-the-network-readiness-index-nri-holds-its-first-meeting.aspx

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Verisign Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2016 Results

[https://www.verisign.com/en_US/internet-technology-news/verisign-press-releases/articles/index.xhtml?artLink=aHR0cDovL3ZlcmlzaWduLm5ld3NocS5idXNpbmVzc3dpcmUuY29tL3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvdmVyaXNpZ24tcmVwb3J0cy1mb3VydGgtcXVhcnRlci1hbmQtZnVsbC15ZWFyLTIwMTYtcmVzdWx0cw%3D%3D](https://www.verisign.com/en_US/internet-technology-news/verisign-press-releases/articles/index.xhtml)

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Fair broadband prices - Telco Act Review on the right track

https://internetnz.nz/news/fair-broadband-prices-telco-act-review-right-track

(Neustar)

Neustar UltraRecursive Brings Efficient Security to Cloud DNS

https://www.neustar.biz/about-us/news-room/press-releases/2017/ultrarecursive

Active Surveys

Title: Launch and Use of IDNs (2017 edition)

Survey at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/IDNs2017

Close Date: 16 Feb 2016

Background: EURid (.eu) and UNESCO have been conducting research on Internationalised Domain Names (IDNs) since 2010 and published yearly reports entitled 'The World Report on IDN deployment'. The reports include assessments of IDN data and status, case studies and a comparative analysis on the factors that may impact (positively or negatively) IDN uptake. This survey helps in provided data toward that study as well as for data intelligence within APTLD.   Data from this survey will be sent to EURid and members will also receive a report on the survey results with comparisons to the study conducted last year.

Others

Why you should get involved in EC Elections

https://blog.apnic.net/2017/02/13/get-involved-ec-elections/

SANOG fellowship is a learning and sharing experience

https://blog.apnic.net/2017/02/13/sanog-fellowship-learning-sharing-experience/

APRICOT 2017 program revealed

https://blog.apnic.net/2017/02/09/apricot-2017-program-revealed/

Extend your ITIL: The six essential cybersecurity services

https://blog.apnic.net/2017/02/08/extend-itil-six-essential-cybersecurity-services/

European ccTLD registries discuss marketing strategies & trends

https://www.centr.org/news/news/european-cctld-registries-discuss-marketing-strategies-trends.html

Afilias Joins the National Cyber Security Alliance in Global Effort to Support Data Privacy Day by Signing On as a Champion

https://afilias.info/news/2017/01/27/afilias-joins-national-cyber-security-alliance

THE CYBERSECURITY EXECUTIVE ORDERS: A TALE OF TWO TRUMPS

http://www.internetgovernance.org/2017/02/12/the-cybersecurity-executive-orders-a-tale-of-two-trumps/

INTERNET GOVERNANCE AND TRUMP'S ASSAULT ON INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

http://www.internetgovernance.org/2017/01/30/internet-governance-and-trumps-assault-on-international-travel/

Domain Name Association Outlines Healthy Practices as Part of Key Initiative

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170207_domain_name_association_outlines_healthy_practices/

Next gTLD Round - A Seven Year Itch?

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170207_next_gtld_round_a_seven_year_itch/

A Field Guide to Internet Governance in 2017

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170204_a_field_guide_to_internet_governance_in_2017/

FCC Ends Inquires Into "Zero Rating" Programs

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170203_fcc_ends_inquires_into_zero_rating_programs/

Thick Whois Policy for .COM Goes Live

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170202_thick_whois_policy_for_com_goes_live/

Michele Neylon Appointed Chair Elect of i2Coalition

http://www.circleid.com/posts/20170104_michele_neylon_appointed_chair_elect_of_i2coalition/

Trump's Muslim Travel Ban Impacts Global Business and Meetings Held in US, Including ICANN

http://www.domainpulse.com/2017/01/22/high-value-club-domains-luxury-industries-namescon-2017/

NGOs Getting Online With Two-Thirds Globally Using .ORG, But Wide Disparity Among Regional TLD Choices

http://www.domainpulse.com/2017/01/31/ngos-getting-online/

ICANN

Join the webinars on Operating Standards for Reviews

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-08-en

ICANN Expands Engagement in the Caribbean in 2016

https://www.icann.org/news/blog/icann-expands-engagement-in-the-caribbean-in-2016

Chairman's Blog

https://www.icann.org/news/blog/chairman-s-blog-en

Join the Webinar on the Draft Report of the Review of the At-Large Community

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-10-en

ICANN Free to Proceed with the Delegation of .AFRICA Following Court Decision

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-3-2017-02-09-en

CCWG-Accountability Work Stream 2 Issues Jurisdiction Questionnaire

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2-2017-02-09-en

ICANN Quarterly Stakeholder Report – Register for the FY17 Q2 Call on 15 February 1500 UTC

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-09-en

Operating Standards for ICANN Reviews: Recent Developments and Next Steps

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-08-en

Apply Now for Public Technical Identifiers (PTI) Director Positions: Deadline Is 21 March 2017

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-3-2017-02-07-en

ICANN Releases Identifier Systems SSR Activities Report

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2-2017-02-07-en

Reminder: Nomination Period For ICANN Multistakeholder Ethos Award | Award Targeted for ICANN59 | Nominations Close 20 March 2017

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-07-en

At-Large Draft Report for Public Comment: Announcement

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-02-02-en

Thick WHOIS Registration Data Directory Services Requirements to Take Effect

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2-2017-02-01-en

Call for Volunteers for the Third Review of ICANN Accountability and Transparency (ATRT3)

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-01-31-en

Current ICANN Public Consultations

Proposed Charter Amendments of the GNSO Business Constituency

https://www.icann.org/public-comments/bc-charter-amend-2017-01-06-en

Release of Country and Territory Names within
the .IKANO, .SAXO, .SCOR, .SANDVIK, .WALTER, .SANDVIKCOROMANT, .VISTA, .VISTAPRINT, .BARCLAYS, .BARCLAYCARD and .HERMES TLDs

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

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Reference Japanese Label Generation Rules (LGR) for the Second Level

https://www.icann.org/news/announcement-2017-01-27-en

At-Large Review: Draft Report

https://www.icann.org/public-comments/atlarge-review-draft-report-2017-02-01-en