

## Invitation: Join the ICANN83 DASC Session on Online Scams and Financial Crime

Dear colleagues,

We warmly invite you to join the DASC session at ICANN83, where we will examine the relationship among online scams, financial crime, and domain name abuse—and highlight how ccTLDs are responding.

### [DASC: Online Scams and Financial Crime](#)

Wednesday, 11 June 2025, (13:45-15:00 local, UTC +2)  
ICANN83 Policy Forum, Prague, Czech Republic

Held as part of the [ccNSO Members Meeting](#), this session, chaired by Nick Wenban-Smith (.uk), will feature insights from:

- Gabriel Andrews, FBI | Chair GAC Public Safety WG
- Keith Drazek, Verisign | Internet Infrastructure Forum
- Mon Perez, .sg
- Bruce Tonkin, .au

This discussion will also help lay the groundwork for continued collaboration at ICANN84, bringing together ccTLDs, law enforcement, and industry experts to address domain-related abuse and financial threats. Mentimeter polling will be used during the session for real-time feedback and audience input. We encourage you to bring a mobile device or laptop to participate.

Furthermore, we take this opportunity to remind you to explore the **DASC DNS Abuse Resources**:

- [DNS Abuse Library](#)  
A searchable, community-driven collection of tools, reports, and articles related to DNS abuse. You're encouraged to browse the library and submit helpful resources.
- [DNS Abuse Discussion List](#)  
Open to all ccTLD-affiliated individuals, this email list provides regular updates on:
  - New library content
  - Upcoming events
  - Relevant discussions across the ccTLD community

Join us in person or online — we look forward to a dynamic and engaging session at ICANN83.

Best regards,

Nick Wenban-Smith | DASC Chair  
Bruce Tonkin | DASC Vice Chair  
David McAuley | DASC subgroup chair: Library & Discussion List

## ABOUT DASC

Established in 2022, the ccNSO Domain Name Abuse Standing Committee (DASC) helps ccTLD managers share practical approaches to combating domain name abuse. While DASC does not develop policy, it focuses on:

- Raising awareness
- Sharing mitigation strategies
- Exploring tools and models for collaboration

To better understand challenges and practices, DASC has conducted ccTLD Abuse Surveys in both 2022 and 2024.