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CANDIDATE STATEMENT

Dear ccNSO Members,

First, I would like to thank my nominator and seconders, Thiago (.co), Raquel (.hn), Jenifer (.pa), and Ernesto (.mx), for considering me for this important role in the Internet governance ecosystem. I hope we can work together to benefit the ccTLD community and contribute to ICANN's mission to ensure a stable, secure, and unified global Internet.

My journey in ccNSO comes from a genuine interest in cooperating and learning best practices for .co and the Latin American and Caribbean region. That is why I got involved in the Domain Abuse Standing Committee (DASC), a space in which I have been able to learn and discuss different practices and lessons learned from ccTLDs on DNS abuse.

Also, this year I have been able to contribute to the Policy Gap Analysis Working Group (PGA). In this group, we are identifying public policy gaps and studying how to address them in a better way. Also, as many of you may already know, I've been sharing all this knowledge at the regional level where through LACTLD we have built a space for growth and knowledge sharing on issues relate to regulation, public policy, and development for the DNS and ccTLDs.

In addition, from 2023 to date, I have had an active role in LACTLD, specifically in the Policy and Legal Working Group, where I am currently the co-coordinator. In this role, I had the opportunity to get in touch with some of the ccTLDs and discuss different matters that affect them.

Finally, I am eager to contribute my knowledge and time to reach out and foster the participation of ccTLDs that otherwise have not been able to participate in our discussions. I will also support the development of public policies to provide legal and technical knowledge and analysis, and finally the will to work to and expand the Internet ecosystem through the reduction of some operational gaps such as language; technical expertise and other reservations that may exist and prevent joint work in the multi-stakeholder model.

ABOUT ME

innovation and development.

I am a lawyer from the Universidad del Rosario, Bogotá-Colombia, specializing in commercial law and business law. Currently I am completing my master's studies in public procurement. I have more than 10 years of experience in different branches of law, especially in commercial law, public procurement processes and regulatory frameworks for the IT ecosystem, including the legal counseling of ccTLD .co in those matters. Also, I have more than 5 years of teaching experience in undergraduate and graduate courses in subjects such as private law, public procurement and