



# ICANN|65 MARRAKECH

# Second Security, Stability, and Resiliency (SSR2) Review Team

ccNSO Engagement Session @ ICANN65 Marrakech  
June 2019



# Our Work

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We are addressing relevant mandates of ICANN's Bylaws as they relate to the following key areas. All considerations will be investigated and analyzed with a clear intent to produce specific, measurable, attainable, relevant, and time-based (SMART) recommendations that fall within ICANN's purview:

1

ICANN's implementation of 28 SSR1 recommendations from 2012

2

ICANN's key security, stability, and resiliency activities

3

Activities that impact the SSR of the Domain Name System (that ICANN contributes to/facilitates)

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Challenges to the secure and resilient operation of the unique identifiers system

# Where We Are Today

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- ✔ Completed our assessment of ICANN's implementation of SSR1 recommendations from 2012
  - ✔ Drafted summary of key findings and assembled draft recommendations
- ✔ Detailed the scope items for our remaining areas of focus, as guided by ICANN's Bylaws
- ✔ Identified additional information needed to advance our work and documented questions for the ICANN organization on each topic

## At ICANN65:

- Continue drafting key findings and consolidating recommendations
- Conduct further information gathering as necessary

# Workstream 2 Scope Items

## ICANN ORG key security, stability, and resilience activities

- ICANN's information security management system
- ICANN's business continuity management system
- ICANN's risk management methodology and framework
- Security incident management and response processes
- Vetting of registry operators and services
- ICANN's operating processes and services
- Compliance processes and procedures

# Workstream 3 Scope Items

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## Activities that impact the SSR of the Domain Name System (that ICANN contributes to/facilitates)

- Root zone management
- Root server system (eg. I-root)
- Alternate root deployment and co-existence
- SSR measurements
- Namespace abuse

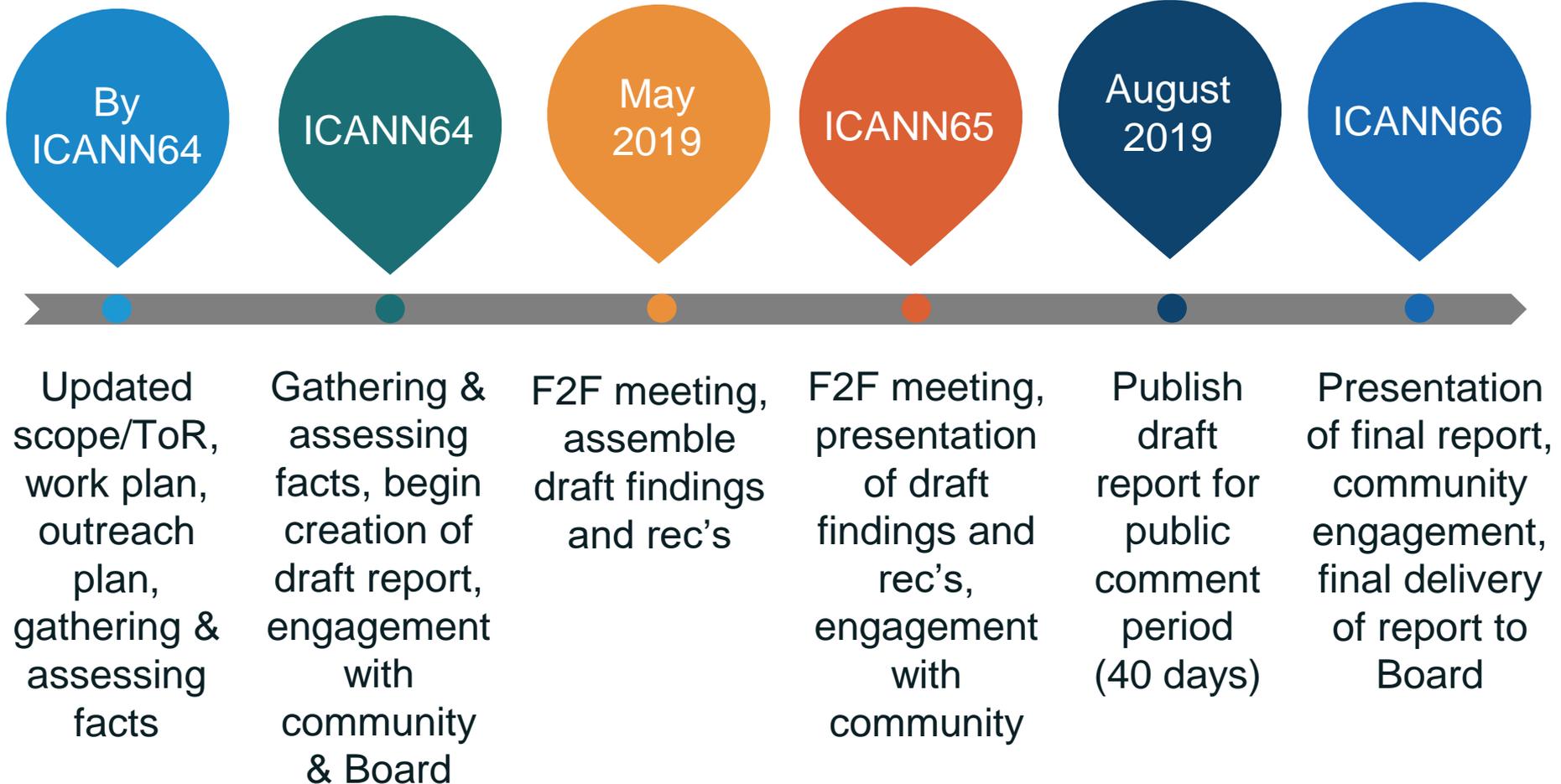
# Workstream 4 Scope Items

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## Challenges to the secure and resilient operation of the unique identifiers system

- Coalescence of registrars/registry/backend operators for multiple TLDs
- Access to data, info, research on important abuse/attack vectors
- New uses for DNS (IoT, etc.)
- Alternate naming systems (interactions, conflicts, etc).
- Root server system protection: assess the threatscape of top threats
- Privacy protections

# Our Current Timeline? (to be updated)



# Where we are now (June 2019)

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## Activities between ICANN64 (Kobe) and ICANN65 (Marrakech)

- Ongoing drafting activities
- F2F meeting Brussels May 2019
- Onboarding of technical writer (mid May 2019)
  - Brussels + 2 weeks technical writer contract was terminated
  - New technical writer status pending

# Your engagement requested

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- This is a *community* review team, please share your views
- Send input via email to [input-to-ssr2rt@icann.org](mailto:input-to-ssr2rt@icann.org) (publically archived)
- Provide comments at engagement sessions and online
- Become an observer to our regular meetings - send an email to [mssi-secretariat@icann.org](mailto:mssi-secretariat@icann.org) to sign up
- Bookmark our wiki to follow our work and view meeting records: <https://community.icann.org/display/SSR/SSR2+Review>

**Thank You & Questions**

# Background

# Our Scope, Terms of Reference & Work Plan

- Adopted updated **work plan** in November 2018:
  - Shared with the community, Board & on wiki: <https://community.icann.org/x/O7jRAw>
  - Serves as a guide for our work
  - Evolves with our work and is updated as the work progresses
  
- Adopted updated **scope/Terms of Reference** in September 2018:
  - Shared with the community, Board & on wiki: <https://community.icann.org/display/SSR/Terms+of+Reference?preview=/66061139/93129027/SSR2-Terms%20of%20Reference-Final%202018-Sep-1%5B2%5D.docx>
  - Describes focus of our work, guided by ICANN's mission and requirements of its Bylaws, Article 4, Section 4.6 (c)
  - Includes:
    - Timeline of the review milestones
    - Leadership & membership responsibilities
    - How we make decisions and conduct our work
    - Our commitment & plan for outreach
    - Work follows Bylaws: *"ICANN's execution of its commitment to enhance the operational stability, reliability, resiliency, security, and global interoperability of the systems and processes, both internal and external, that directly affect and/or are affected by the Internet's system of unique identifiers that ICANN coordinates."*

# Our Outreach Plan

Posted to our wiki here:

<https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=64076120&preview=/64076120/95093400/Draft%20SSR2%20Communications%20%26%20Outreach%20Plan%20v2.docx>

Key Milestone:	Objective(s)
1. Adopted Terms of Reference & work plan	Provide community with details on adopted Terms of Reference and work plan. Invite input.
2. Fact finding & ongoing work	Provide community with overview of work plan, information received/requested. Initial fact finding, as appropriate. Seek input.
3. Initial findings	Provide community with overview of information received/requested, results of analysis, and set of initial findings. Seek input.
4. Draft recommendations	Seek input from community, Board, org on draft recommendations.
5. Final recommendations	Present final recommendations to community, Board, org.

# Our Team

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**Thank You & Questions**