Introduction to ccNSO
ICANN Multi-Stakeholder Model

Board of Directors

- Ombudsman
- President and CEO
- ICANN Staff
  - MDR – 68
  - SV – 11
  - DC – 9
  - Sydney - 5
  - Brussels - 5
  - Other US - 11
  - Other non-US - 14
- ASO
  - Regional Internet Registries
    - AfriNIC
    - APNIC
    - ARIN
    - LACNIC
    - RIPE NCC
- GNSO
  - gTLD Registries
  - gTLD Registrars
  - IP interests
  - ISPs
  - Businesses
  - Non-Commercial Interests
- ccNSO
  - ccTLD registries
  - (us, uk, au, .it, .be, .nl, etc.)
- Nominating Committee
  - Per ICANN Bylaws, Article VII, section 2
- Technical Liaison Group
- Internet Engineering Task Force

- At-Large
  - Internet Users (At-Large Advisory Committee, in conjunction with RALOs)
  - ALAC
- Security & Stability Advisory Committee
- Root Server System Advisory Committee
- Governmental Advisory Committee

TLG
IETF
Who are we?

- Members (148, February 2014)
- Council (18 Councillors)
- Chair, vice-Chairs
- ccNSO Secretariat
ccNSO Membership (according to ICANN regions)

- 148 members (February 2014)

Observers: AfTLD, APTLD, CENTR, LACTLD
ccNSO Membership Growth

![Graph showing membership growth from 2003 to February 2014. Blue line represents total number of ccNSO members, while red line shows total number of applications.]}
ccNSO Council

18 Councillors

- 3 from 5 ICANN Regions + 3 NomCom appointed
- 4 Observers Regional ccTLD Organisations
- 2 Liaisons
ccNSO Secretariat

Bart Boswinkel  (senior policy advisor)  Kristina Nordström  Gabriella Schittek
What does ccNSO do?

- Exchange of information
- Networking
- Represent ccTLD community interests in ICANN
- Policy Development
- Policy related work
What does the ccNSO Council do?

• Administrative role
• Representative Role
What do members do?: Direct capability

- ccNSO Council Elections
- Selection of two ICANN Board Members
- Final vote - ccNSO Policy Development Recommendations
- (If needed:) Final vote on Council Resolutions
What do members do?:
contribution

• Participation in Working Groups

• Framework of Interpretation Working Group
• Strategic and Operational Planning Working Group
• Near future: Cross-Community Working Group on Use of Names for Countries and Territories
• ...and many many more!

http://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups

• Suggest Topics, set Meeting Agenda
How does the ccNSO organise its work?

- **ccNSO Council**
  - Face-to-face at ICANN events
  - Conference calls

- **ccNSO Meetings**
  - Two-day event
  - Diversity of topics, presenters and formats

- **Tech Day**
  - One Day event
  - Diversity of topics, presenters and formats

- **Working Group meetings**
  - Face-to face at ICANN events
  - Conference calls
How does the ccNSO organise its work?

• ccNSO Working Groups
  • Permanent (SOP WG) or Temporary (FoI WG)
  • Policy related, informational
  • Scope defined per charter, volunteers from ccTLD community
  • Reporting to ccNSO Council (administratively)
  • Some cross-community (ccNSO-GAC)
How does the ccNSO organise its work?

- **Policy Development Process**
  - Very limited in use
  - Predefined in ICANN Bylaws (Annex B process, Annex C scope of issues)
The full graph can be found at http://ccnso.icann.org/policy/pdp-15jan13-en.pdf
How does the ccNSO organise its work?

• **Study Groups**
  • Light weight charter, advise to Council
  • Research focused (Study Group country and territory names)

• **ccNSO Council Committee**
  • Administrative focus
  • Report to Council
How does the ccNSO organise its work?

- ccNSO Statements and Positions
  - ccNSO Council or ccNSO statement
  - Drafting team (subject expertise and drafting expertise)
  - Council and/or membership adoption of draft
  - Response or input public consultation ICANN or SO/AC
Workplan and prioritization

- **ccNSO Workplan**
  - Monthly update
  - Mind map
  - Gantt view
  - [http://ccnso.icann.org/about/guidelines.htm](http://ccnso.icann.org/about/guidelines.htm)

- **Prioritization**
  - Balance workload and availability of volunteers
  - Simple model (importance, urgency and capacity needed and available)
  - Triage committee ccNSO Council
Upcoming in Singapore:

• **Tech Day** (Monday)
  - Security focus

• **ccNSO Members Meeting** (Tuesday-Wednesday)

  Example of topics:
  - Two panels on Internet governance
  - Security session
  - ccTLD News Session

• **Various Council & Working Group Meetings**
  (Sunday, Monday and Thursday)
Go to...

http://ccnso.icann.org/meetings/singapore49

(Meetings tab at ccnso.icann.org)
ccNSO Cocktail

Date: Tuesday 25 March 2014
Time: 18:30 to 21:00
Venue: Le Restaurant

Open for all ccTLDs!
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Contact us!

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