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Internet Governance in Korea

- Current Status and Way Forward

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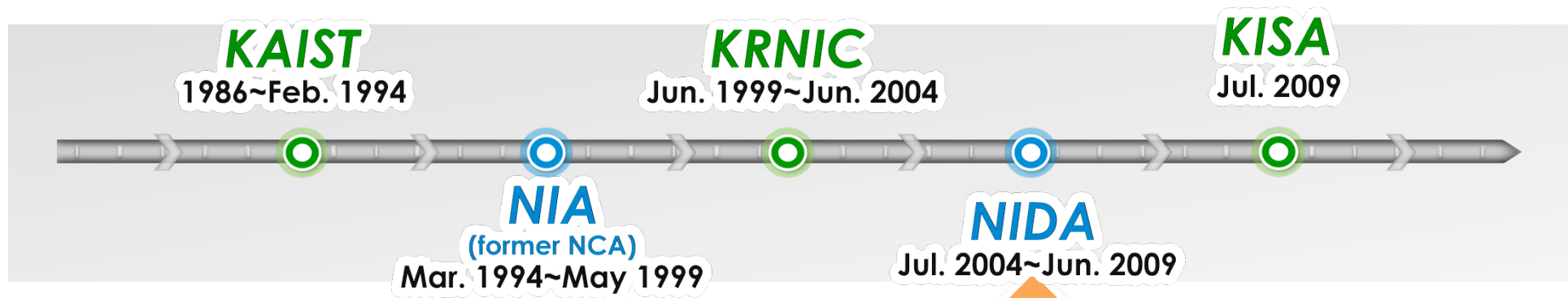
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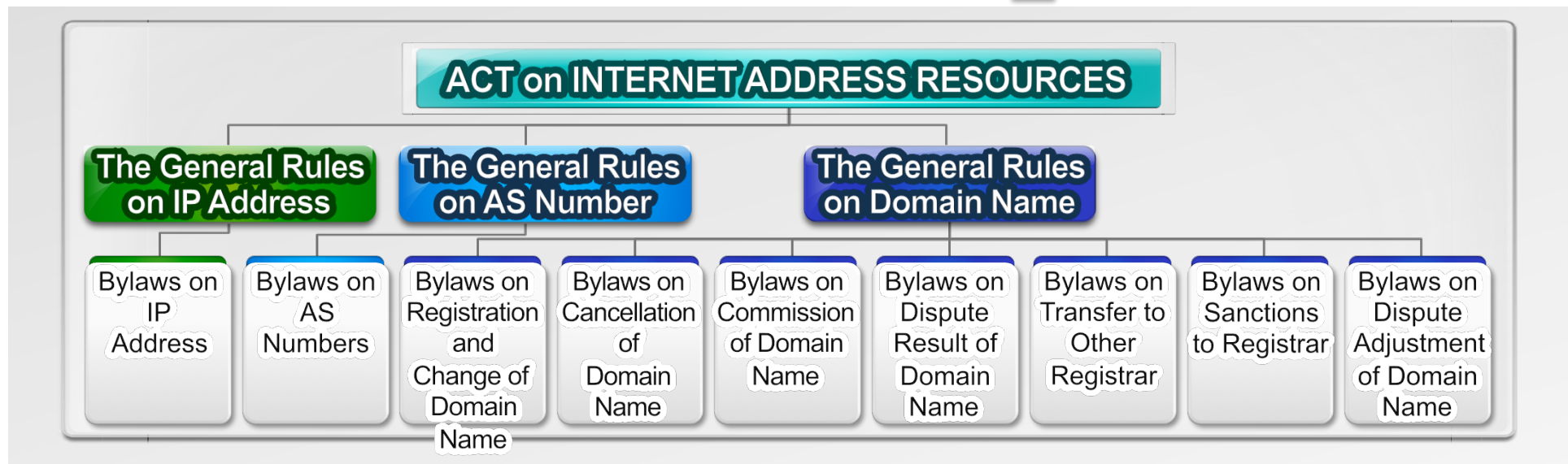


Overall Structure

- Historical Overview – Who Was in charge?



- Act on Internet Address Resources(2004)



Challenges & Solutions

- Korea's Current IG Model

- Act on Internet Address Resources(2004) and Concerns
 - Government came to manage Internet address(IP, Domain name) due to the Act on Internet Address Resources(2004)
 - Concerns raised : Government-driven IG model might break the balance between diverse actors, leading to endanger the Multi-stakeholder environment in Korea



- How We Dealt With the Issue – Korea's Current IG Model
 - Created fora where many actors can stand and speak on an equal basis



Way Forward

- **Korea's Basic Principle on IG (2013 WTPF in May)**
 - “The Republic of Korea recognizes that participation by major stakeholders is an important principle and our support for the multistakeholder cooperation model has been clearly expressed (...) “
- **Efforts in National Level**
 - Expanding issues scopes of KIGA(two more divisions to be established soon)
 - Holding various events to share views and ideas about IG among actors (i.e. 2nd K-IGF in May 2013)
 - Increasing interactions among diverse stakeholders through different fora
- **Upcoming Global Events**
 - **2013 APriIGF** (Seoul, Sep. 2013)
 - : platform for discussion, exchange and collaboration for IG in AP region (now open for registration)
 - **2013 Conference on Cyberspace** (Seoul, Oct. 2013)
 - : started in 2011, intends to create international norms which are non-binding but consensus-based, regarding human rights, social, economic effect of Internet, as well as military, diplomatic aspect of Internet.
 - **2014 ITU Plenipotentiary Conference** (Busan, Oct. – Nov. 2014)
 - : held every four years, sets Union's general policies, adopts four year strategic and financial plans and elects senior management team of the org.

Thank you very much!
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