Proposed Agenda

1. Welcome
2. About the GNSO Council
3. Finding your way around
4. Ready for Abu Dhabi
Welcome

James Bladel
GNSO Chair
ICANN Multi-Stakeholder Model

- **Ombudsman**
- **Board of Directors**
  - **Nominating Committee**
    - Per ICANN Bylaws, Article VII, Section 2
  - **ASO**
    - Regional Internet Registries (AfrINIC, APNIC, ARIN, LACNIC, RIPE NCC)
  - **ccNSO**
    - ccTLD registries (.us, .uk, .au, .be, .nl, etc.)
  - **GNSO**
    - gTLD registries
    - gTLD registrars
    - IP interests
    - ISPs
    - Businesses
    - Non-commercial interests
    - Not-for-Profit Operational Concerns
  - **At-Large**
    - Per ICANN Bylaws: At-large Advisory Committee, in conjunction with RALOs (ALAC)
  - **President and CEO**
    - ICANN staff

- **Advisory Committees**
  - Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF)
  - Security and Stability Advisory Committee (SSAC)
  - Root Server System Advisory Committee (RSSAC)
  - Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC)
ICANN Multi-Stakeholder Model

Ombudsman

Nominating Committee
+ Per ICANN Bylaws,
+ NIST, NF-NCC

Supporting Organizations

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   LACNIC, RIPE NCC)

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Non-Voting Seats
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The GNSO and the GNSO Council

• Generic Names Supporting Organization
• GNSO is responsible for policy development related to generic Top Level Domain (e.g. .com, .net, .info, .museum, .pro)
• 21 Councilors from 6 different constituencies / Stakeholder Groups & Nom Com appointees
The GNSO Council Structure

Stakeholder Groups

Contracted Parties House
- Registries
- Registrars

Non-Contracted Parties House
- Commercial Constituencies
  - Business
  - Intellectual Property
  - ISPCP
- Non-Commercial Constituencies
  - NCUC / NPOC

Voting

Non-Voting

ALAC ccNSO

NCA
Manager of the policy development process (PDP)
Meetings usually once per month - Typically two hours
Decisions typically made through formal motions. Submitted 10 days in advance of a meeting
Policy work undertaken in working groups which are open to anyone interested (not limited to GNSO Council or GNSO)
• Councilors expected to attend every Council meeting. Attendance is recorded.
• If a Council member cannot attend a meeting, he/she must inform the GNSO Secretariat before the meeting.
• Proxy / Alternates may be appointed in case of absence.
• Council members spend, on average, 2–10 hours per week on Council work.
• Intensity increases as each of ICANN's three annual public meetings approaches.
GNSO Council – Manager of the PDP

GNSO Policy Development Process
*Summarized

*Some steps omitted, for brevity.
Focus on continuous improvement

- Induction & training
- GNSO PDP Improvements & Streamlining
- GNSO Review
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

Registry Stakeholder Group

Donna Austin
Asia Pacific

Keith Drazek
North America

Rubens Kuhl
South America
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

Registrar Stakeholder Group

Darcy Southwell
North America

Pam Little
Asia/Pacific

Michele Neylon
Europe
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

**Commercial Stakeholder Group**

Susan Kawaguchi - BC North America

Phil Corwin - BC North America

Heather Forrest - IPC Asia Pacific

Paul McGrady - IPC North America

Philippe Fouquart - ISPCP Europe

Tony Harris - ISPCP South America
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

Non-Commercial Stakeholder Group

Arsène Tungali
Africa

Tatiana Tropina
Europe

Rafik Damak
Asia Pacific

Stephanie Perrin
North America

Martin Pablo Silva Valent
South America

Ayden Férdeline
Europe
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

Nominating Committee Appointees

Erika Mann (non-voting)  
Europe

Carlos Gutierrez  
(designated to CPH)  
LAC

Syed Ismail Shah  
(designated to NCPH)  
Asia Pacific
Who are your colleagues (new Council)?

Liaisons

Cheryl Landgon-Orr
ALAC

Ben Fuller
ccNSO

Carlos Gutierrez
GNSO Council Liaison to the GAC (until end of ICANN60)
Finding your way around

• http://gnso.icann.org
• Review core materials such as GNSO Operating Procedures which include GNSO WG Guidelines and PDP Manual
  http://gnso.icann.org/en/council/procedures
• Review GNSO 101 Materials
  http://gnso.icann.org/en/basics/101
• Review current GNSO projects (Action Items)
  http://gnso.icann.org/en/group-activities/active
Planning for Abu Dhabi (ICANN60)

• Attend the Policy Update Webinar (19 October at 10.00 and 19.00 UTC)
• Join the informal GNSO Council Dinner on Sunday 29 October
• Attend the GNSO Working Sessions and other GNSO related meetings throughout the week
GNSO Meetings in Abu Dhabi

- Saturday: PDP WG F2F meetings
- Sunday: GNSO Working Sessions, meeting with the ICANN Board, meeting with GAC
- Monday: joint ccNSO-GNSO meeting
- Tuesday: SG/C meetings
- Wednesday: WG F2F meetings & GNSO Council open meetings
- Thursday – WG F2F meetings, GNSO Wrap-Up
- For further details, see https://schedule.icann.org
Meet the GNSO Policy Support Team

David Olive
Senior Vice President, Policy Development
Location: Washington DC, USA

Marika Konings
Vice-President, Policy Development Support – GNSO
Location: San Jose, Costa Rica

Nathalie Peregrine
Manager, Operations Support - GNSO (GNSO Secretariat)
Location: Nice, France
Meet the GNSO Policy Support Team

Mary Wong
Senior Policy Director
Location: New Hampshire, US

Julie Hedlund
Policy Director
Location: Washington DC, US

Steve Chan
Policy Director
Location: Los Angeles, US
Meet the GNSO Policy Support Team

Emily Barabas
Sr. Policy Specialist
Location: Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Arial Liang
Policy Analyst
Location: Washington DC, US

Berry Cobb
Consultant
Location: Scottsdale, US
Meet the GNSO Policy Support Team

Terri Agnew
Operations Support - GNSO Lead Administrator
Location: US

Julie Bisland
Contractor, SO/AC Support (GNSO)
Location: US

Michelle DeSmyter
Contractor, SO/AC Support (GNSO)
Location: US
Thank You and Questions

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