

Update on Cross Community Working Group (CWG) Principles

Current Status & Next Steps



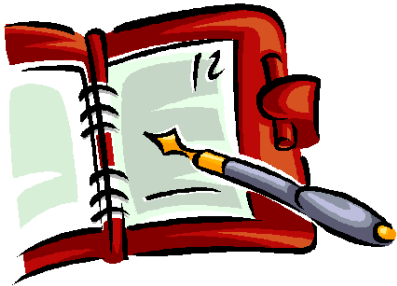
- GNSO Council approved formation of new Drafting Team (DT) on 10 October 2013
 - GNSO co-chair: John Berard
- Invitation letters sent to other SO/AC chairs
- Staff Paper summarizing original GNSO Draft Principles (March 2012) & ccNSO feedback (June 2013) published
- Next Steps:
 - Follow up on invitation to other SO/ACs (including co-chair invitation to ccNSO)
 - DT to be formed after Buenos Aires; review recommendations in Staff Paper

Staff Paper: Recommendations (I)



- Review work done to date, including ccNSO suggestions for issues not currently covered by GNSO Draft Principles, e.g.:
 - ✓ What is considered a CWG;
 - ✓ Differing remits of each SO/AC affecting scope of a CWG;
 - ✓ What should be included in a CWG charter;
 - ✓ Handling decision-making & reconciling differences
 - ✓ Closure of CWGs;
 - ✓ Periodic review of CWG Principles
- ccNSO noted need for each SO/AC to adopt the CWG charter and support its output

Staff Paper: Recommendations (2)



- Seek input from other SO/ACs on ccNSO comments and other issues to be included
- Review WG rules and procedures within each SO/AC
- Review past/current CWGs: reasons for success (or otherwise)
- Provide periodic update on DT work
- Meet deliverables timeline for DT
 - 12 months for Draft Report
- Publish Draft Report for public comment

Annex – Background Info



Further Information



- 2012 GNSO Draft Principles:
<http://gnso.icann.org/drafts/draft-principles-for-cwgs-23dec11-en.pdf>
- 2013 ccNSO feedback:
<http://gnso.icann.org/en/drafts/ccnsso-comments-cwg-principles-11jun13-en.pdf>
- Staff Paper (10 Nov 2013):
<https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=30345124>