

NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2017

LACTLD WORKSHOPS 2017

- 14 - 15 November - Commercial Workshop, Monterrey, México
- 16 November - LAC DNS Forum, Monterrey, México

FORTHCOMING REGIONAL AND WORLD WIDE EVENTS

- 9 - 20 October, World Telecommunication Development Conference, Argentina, <http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Conferences/WTDC/WTDC17/Pages/default.aspx>
- 28 Oct – 3 November, ICANN 60, Abu Dhabi, Arab Emirates
- 12 - 17 November IETF 100, Singapur, <https://www.ietf.org/meeting/100/index.html>
- CENTR events calendar, <https://www.centri.org/events/upcoming-events.html>

NEWS FROM LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN



On October 3 and 4, 2017, the Colombian Bureau of Internet Governance with the collaboration of .CO, will carry out the 4th. Colombian Internet Governance Forum.

The first day will be a course on Internet Governance and the second day will address topics such as The multi-stakeholder model for Internet Governance, Infrastructure, Fake News, Environment and Digital Security.

The event will have remote participation through videoconference.

Here the agenda: <https://governanzadeinternet.co/evento2017/>



On September 25 NIC Chile celebrated its 30 years with a conference day named "Open NIC 30 years."

During the event held at the Faculty of Physical Sciences and Mathematics of the University of Chile, NIC Chile shared the experiences and best practices developed within the framework of the 30 years of the .CL registry.

Also, specialists who investigate issues related to the growth and robustness of the Internet, online information security, privacy and personal data, shared their experiences.

In addition, the conference was attended by Steve Crocker, chairman of ICANN's Board of Directors and one of the Internet's pioneers.

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On September 23, 2017, .ar celebrated its 30 years and practically 30 years of NIC Argentina, which in 1994 formalized its constitution as an authorized organism and with the powers to administer the registration of '.ar' domains.

Here the complete [details](#) of the evolution of .ar and NIC Argentina in the framework of the beginnings of the Internet in Argentina.

25th anniversary .gt Domain Registration

On September 13th .gt celebrated its 25th anniversary with a forum called "Preparing for the future" Internet of Things and IPv6.

Panelists were: Daniel Fink, ICANN Stakeholder Manager; César Díaz, Leader of Strategic Relations and Telecommunications of LACNIC; Luis Eliécer Cadenas, Executive Director of RedCLARA; and Marco Antonio To, president of RAGIE.

During the event, the University of the Valley of Guatemala awarded Mr. Luis Furlán for his work in the development of Internet in the country. Institutions and companies that have the first 10 registered domain, and are active, were also awarded.

Punto.hn Present at the sixth edition of Expolmagen 2017

On August 31 and September 1, Punto.hn was presented as an exhibitor at the 6th edition of Expolmagen 2017, an event that took place at the Convention Center of the Honduras Maya Hotel, Tegucigalpa and was organized by Eventia.

Representatives of the most recognized companies of the country in the area of marketing and advertising participated in this activity.

The aim of Punto.hn was to inform the importance of technology as a tool allied to business today and targeted visitors on what are the new business trends in the future.



WORLD WIDE NEWS

NextGen ICANN Program

The ICANN organization is looking for the next generation of individuals who are interested in becoming actively engaged in their regional communities and in shaping the future of global Internet policy.

Through the NextGen program, ICANN provides coaching and travel assistance to students from the regions where the ICANN meeting is taking place.

The NextGen@ICANN application for ICANN61 in Puerto Rico is now open. Closing date: 20 October 2017, 11:59pm UTC.

Conditions to participate and details here: <https://www.icann.org/public-responsibility-support/nextgen>

IETF 100 Singapore

IETF Meetings will take place from 11 to 17 November at the Raffles City Convention Center, Singapore.

The event starts on Saturday and ends on Friday midday.

The IETF Hackathon will take place on the weekend and IETF Codesprint, Newcomers' training and technical tutorials will on Sunday afternoon.

Please note that new information is being added to this page continually: <https://www.ietf.org/meeting/100/index.html>

25 Years of Internet Society

The Internet Society celebrated [25 years](#) of advocacy for an open, globally-connected, and secure Internet with events that crisscrossed the globe. The festivities kicked off at the University of California Los Angeles campus where in 1969 the first message was sent over ARPANET – the Internet's predecessor.

On 18 September, the 25 Under 25 award ceremony honored young people around the world for their extraordinary work. The recipients were young people passionate about the use of the Internet who devised projects with a positive impact on their communities. [Learn more about the 25 Under 25 awardees](#)

A few hours later, the [2017 Internet Society Global Internet Report: Paths to Our Digital Future](#) was launched.

The interactive report, is the result of in-depth interviews, roundtables, and surveys conducted in 160 countries and 21 regions around the world, offers a glimpse into how the future of the Internet might impact humanity. The report encourages you to explore paths to our digital future, asks thought-provoking "What If..." questions, and includes recommendations so that *you* can help shape tomorrow's Internet for the better.

Later the [Internet Hall of Fame](#) ceremony commenced the Internet Society's global membership meeting, [InterCommunity](#). Singapore, Beirut, Dakar, Montevideo, and other cities around the world held discussions on the critical factors that will shape the future Internet, including the key findings from the [2017 Global Internet Report](#). It wrapped up in Los Angeles with a closing roundtable discussion featuring public policy experts, Internet Hall of Fame inductees, and the next generation of Internet leaders.

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VERISIGN – Domain Name Industry Brief

The latest brief of Domain Name Industry published, showed that the internet grew by approximately 1.3 million domain names in the second quarter of 2017, and closed with a base of 331.9 million domain names across all top-level domains (TLDs). This is a 2.1 percent increase, year over year.

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ITU - Broadband playing increasingly important role in development, says new global report

Broadband technologies are today driving substantial transformation in many development-related sectors including health, education, financial inclusion and food security, making them a key accelerator towards achievement of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), says a new report released by the UN Broadband Commission for Sustainable Development.

The report, *The State of Broadband 2017: Broadband Catalyzing Sustainable Development*, has been on September.

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