ICANN Sao Paulo
Latin America/Caribbean
RALO report

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- 20 At Large Structures + 3 in the accreditation process

Barbados Information & Communications Technology Professionals Association (BIPA)
Asociación Venezolana de Derecho Informático (AVEDINT)
ISOC.Ar Argentine Chapter of the Internet Society
VINCULART--Vinculacion Para El Desarrollo, La Cultura y La Educacion, Asociación Civil
University of the West Indies
Barbados Association of Non Governmental Organisations (BANGO)
Information Technology Professional Society of Trinidad and Tobago
Sociedad Internet de México, A.C.
DevNet
ICT4D Jamaica
Information Society of Barbados
Trinidad and Tobago Computer Society (TTCS)
ISOC Ecuador
Instituto Iberoamericano De Investigacion Para La Sociedad De La Informacion
Asociación Internauta
AGEIA DENSI
JCI Ecuador
Asociación Ecuatoriana de Derecho Informático y Telecomunicaciones, AEDIT
Asociación Costarricense de Derecho Informático
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At Large Advisory Committee
Sebastián Ricciardi
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Broad geographic coverage (14 countries so far)

- Argentina
- Barbados
- Brasil* (on process)
- Costa Rica
- Chile* (on process)
- Ecuador
- Guyana
- Jamaica
- Mexico
- Peru
- Puerto Rico* (on process and subject to ICANN regions consideration)
- Trinidad & Tobago
- Venezuela
- West Indies
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- Meeting in Buenos Aires, September 2006
- Operating Principles and MOU drafting on line
- Public comments period [link](http://www.icann.org/announcements/announcement-22nov06.htm)
- Comments received from CIRA and the at large community
- Review of the comments received and incorporation of suggestions
- Approval of the documents in Sao Paulo
- MOU Signature on December 4th
- 30 days consultation period
- Board Ratification pending
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This is only the beginning. Now the real challenge begins:

- How we ensure fruitful participation?
- Internal organization challenges
- Find more organizations. Outreach in the region
- Find funding sources and became self-sustainable in the short term
- Interact smoothly with ALAC
- Channeling the user concerns in an effective way
- and many more.
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