

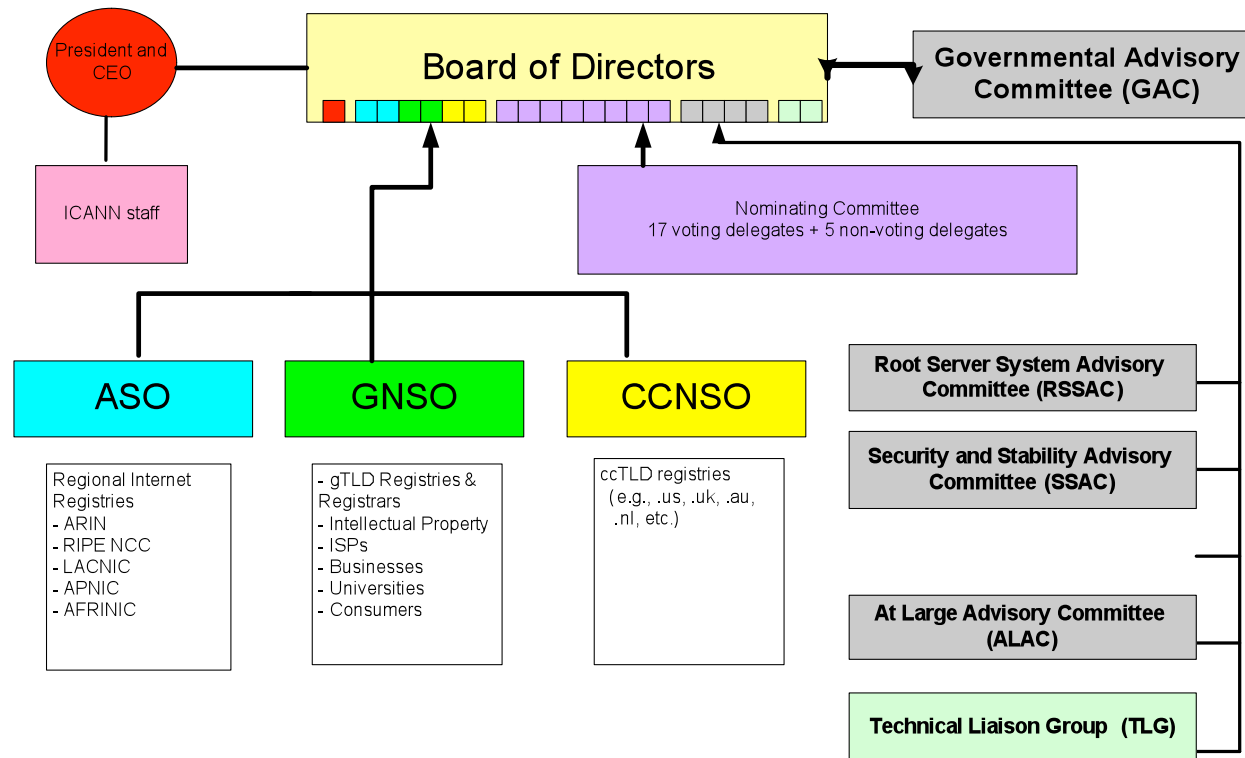
# ccNSO Structure, Background Information

# What is the ccNSO

- **C**ountry **C**ode **N**ames **S**upporting **O**rganisation
  - Develop and recommend global policies relating to ccTLDs to the ICANN Board;
  - Develop voluntary best practices for ccTLD managers, assisting in skills building within the global community of ccTLD managers, and enhancing operational and technical cooperation among ccTLD managers.

# ccNSO in the ICANN structure

ICANN Organisational Chart



# (97) ccNSO Members (October 2009)

<b>Africa</b>	<b>Asia-Pacific</b>	<b>Europe</b>	<b>Latin America and Caribbean</b>	<b>North America</b>
<p>.bi Burundi .ci Cote d'Ivoire .cm Cameroon .dz Algeria .eg Egypt .et Ethiopia .ga Gabon .ke Kenya .ly Lybia .ma Morocco .mg Madagascar .ml Mali .mr Mauritania .mw Malawi .ng Nigeria .sd Sudan .sn Senegal .tg Togo .tz Tanzania .ug Uganda .za South Africa</p>	<p>.af Afghanistan .am Armenia .au Australia .cc Cocos islands .cn China .cx Christmas Island .fj Fiji .ge Georgia .hk Hongkong .il Israel .jo Jordan .jp Japan .kr Korea .mv Maldives .nu Niue .np Nepal .nz New Zealand .pw Palau .sa Saudi Arabia .sb Solomon Islands .sg Singapore .th Thailand .tr Turkey .tw Taiwan .vu Vanuatu .ws Samoa</p>	<p>.al Albania .be Belgium .cz Czech Republic .de Germany .eu European Union .fi Finland .fr France .gi Gibraltar .gp Guadeloupe .hr Croatia .it Italy .ky Cayman Islands .lt Lithuania .lv Latvia .ms Montserrat .nl Netherlands .no Norway .pt Portugal .rs Serbia .ru Russia .se Sweden .si Slovenia .sk Slovakia .uk United Kingdom</p>	<p>.ar Argentina .bo Bolivia .br Brazil .cl Chile .cr Costa Rica .cu Cuba .do Dominican Republic .ec Ecuador .gt Guatemala .gy Guyana .hn Honduras .ht Haiti .jm Jamaica .lc Saint Lucia .mx Mexico .ni Nicaragua .pa Panama .pe Peru .sv El Salvador .tt Trinidad and Tobago .uy Uruguay .ve Venezuela</p>	<p>.ca Canada .pr Puerto Rico .us United States .vi US Virgin Islands</p> <p>(According to ICANN Regions)</p>

# How we work

- Secretariat: 2 persons, employed by ICANN
- 1 person for policy-support, employed by ICANN
- 18 Councillors:  
3 from each Region + 3 NomCom

# Councillors

- **African Region:** Mohamed El Bashir (.sd), Vika Mpisane (.za), Paulos Nyirenda (.mw)
- **Asia-Pacific Region:** Chris Disspain (.au), Hiro Hotta (.jp), Young-Eum Lee (.kr)
- **European Region:** Lesley Cowley (.uk), Ondrej Filip (.cz), Juhani Juselius (.fi)
- **Latin-American & Caribbean:** Patrick Hosein (.tt), Patricio Poblete (.cl), Oscar Robles (.mx)
- **North American:** Byron Holland (.ca), Oscar Moreno (.pr), Dotty Sparks de Blanc (.vi)
- **NomCom:** Nashwa Abdelbaki, Becky Burr, Jian Zhang

# ccNSO Working Groups

- Strategic and Operational Planning (SOP) WG
- Delegation and Redelegation WG
- IDN PDP WG 1
- Joint ccNSO/GNSO IDN Working Group
- Meetings Programme WG
- ccNSO-GAC Liaison Working Group
- Tech Working Group
- Incidence Response Planning Working Group

# Main Current ccNSO issues:

- IDN ccTLD Fast Track
- Wildcards
- ICANN expense area analysis, continued
- ICANN Strategic Priorities survey



# Main ccNSO issues (2):

- IDN ccPDP
- Delegation, redelegation & Retirement issues
- Development of Incidence Response Plan
- Restructuring Tech WG
- ccNSO Review

# ccNSO Travel Funding

- Differs from ICANN Fellowship programme!
- For ccTLDs that actively contribute to the work of the ccNSO
- Application period open Nairobi (close 6<sup>th</sup> November)

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