Communications Area highlights and priorities

APNIC Member Meeting

29 February 2008

APNIC 25, Taipei

German Valdez/Srinivas Chendi

Staff update

Area Manager

Policy Unit

Publications Unit

External Relations Unit

Communications Area - top resource priorities

- Increase accessibility of APNIC meetings and policy processes

- Represent the needs of the ISP community to governments and regulators

- Improve the APNIC website

- Expand external communication and outreach activities

http://www.apnic.net/survey/2007/apnic-survey-report-2007.pdf

Policy Unit - implementations

- 2007
  - Prop-031 Proposal to amend APNIC IPv6 assignment and utilisation requirement policy
  - prop-032 Four-byte ASN policy
  - prop-033 End site allocation policy for IPv6
  - prop-035 IPv6 portable assignment for multihoming
  - prop-038 Amending lame delegation policy
  - Prop-041 IPv6 assignment to critical infrastructure
  - Prop-049 IANA policy for allocation of ASN blocks to RIRs

Policy Unit - development

- **New SIG guidelines**
  - Advice for SIG Chairs and presenters
  - Procedures for election of Chairs and Co-chairs
  - Procedures for establishing and dissolving SIGs
- **Redesigned PDP documentation**
- **Policy process awareness**
- **Revamping Policy website**

Before meeting
At least 4 weeks before meeting, proposed policy or amendment submitted via online form or email, then discussed on SIG mailing list.

At APNIC meeting
Proposal discussed face to face at SIG and AMM

After meeting
Final call for public comments announced on SIG mailing list for 8 weeks

Proposal endorsed by Executive Council (EC)

Implementation
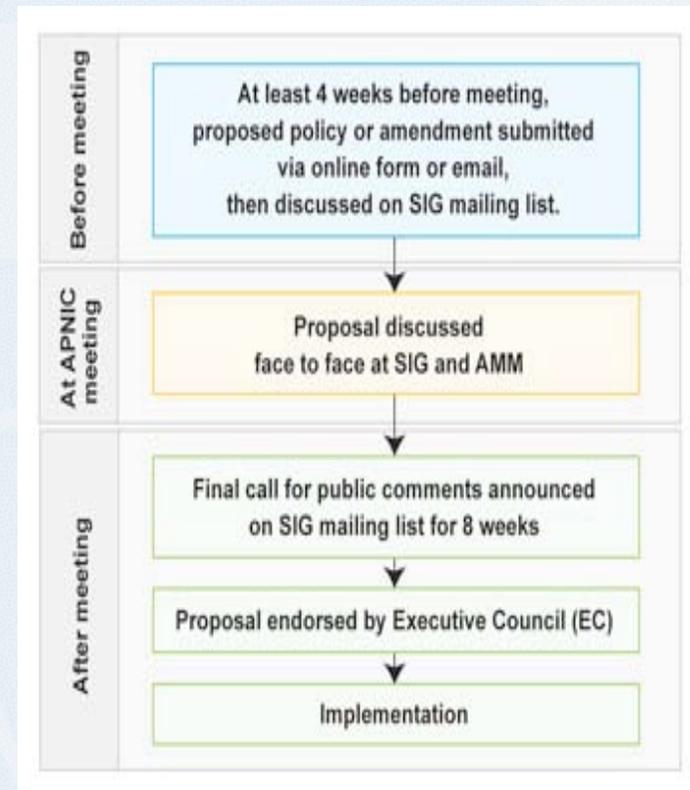
External Relations Unit – events highlights

- ## APNIC 24 / SANOG 10
  - New Delhi
  - 29 August – 7 September 2007
  - Hosted by ISPAI

- ## APNIC 25, APRICOT 2008
  - Taipei
  - 25 – 29 February 2008
  - Hosted by TWNIC

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External Relations Unit – coming up

- ## APNIC 26
  - Christchurch
  - 25 - 29 August 2008
  - Hosted by InternetNZ

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meetings@apnic.net

http://www.apnic.net/meetings/remote/index.html
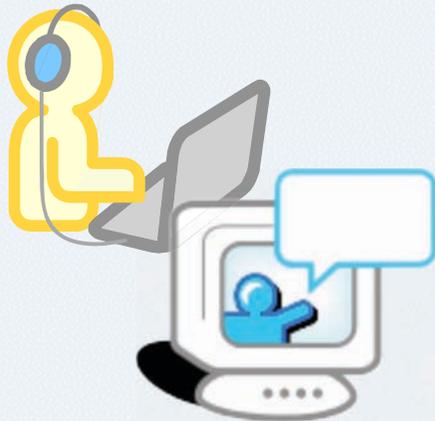
External Relations Unit - liaison

- Regional liaisons

South Asia   South-East Asia   Pacific   China

- Working with your local Network Operators Group
  - PACNOG, SANOG, NZNOG, PHNOG, CNNOG, AUSNOG
  - Communicate BCPs and update on latest policy developments
- Working with National Internet Registries
  - CNNIC, JPNIC, TWNIC, VNNIC, IDNIC, KRNIC
  - Hostmaster training
- Coming in 2008
  - Expanded program of liaison work throughout the region

Publications Unit

- Apster
  - Moving to twice-yearly publication from 2008
  - New-look to come in August 2008
- Annual report
  - 2007 highlights
  - Financial reports
- Internal documentation
  - Documenting procedures
  - Developing APNIC communications guidelines
- NRO Secretariat
  - Continuing cooperation brochure for IGF in RIO
  - Hand over to AfriNIC
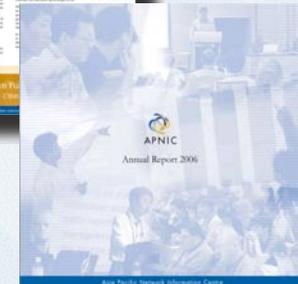
Publications Unit

- Redeveloping the APNIC website
  - Comments from survey about need to improve navigation, content, and performance
  - Testing started APNIC 23, Bali
  - Defining an improved information architecture
  - Focus is on User-Centered design
    - Visual
    - Content
    - Functionality
    - Performance
  - Target towards member requirements
  - Release later this year

- APNIC OPM meeting sub-sites
- Event materials

Thanks for all the feedback and suggestions for improvements
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Thanks!

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