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Who is ARIN?

Established in December 1997, the American Registry for Internet Numbers (ARIN) is a nonprofit, member-based organization that supports the operation and growth of the Internet. ARIN accomplishes this by carrying out its core service, which is the management and distribution of Internet number resources such as Internet Protocol (IP) addresses and Autonomous System Numbers (ASNs).

ARIN manages these resources within its service region, which is comprised of Canada, the United States, and many Caribbean and North Atlantic islands. ARIN also coordinates policy development by the community and advances the Internet through informational outreach.

What is ARIN 53?

ARIN holds biannual, hybrid Public Policy and Members Meetings in the second and fourth quarters in various locations throughout the ARIN region and virtually via Zoom. ARIN meetings provide an opportunity for the entire Internet community to engage in policy discussions, network with colleagues, and attend workshops and tutorials. All interested individuals are welcome to attend the Public Policy and Members Meetings.

In order to maintain the transparency of the ARIN Policy Development Process, we publish a full listing of all registrants, attendees, and remote participants, with the exception of staff of associated support vendors. ARIN 53 is being held in Bridgetown, Barbados, on 14-17 April, and we hope to see you there either in person or virtually.

What is Internet number resource policy?

The ARIN community decides how ARIN will manage and administer Internet number resources. These community decisions are recorded as policies. The ARIN Policy Development Process (PDP) is the process by which all policies governing the management of Internet number resources in the ARIN region are developed by and for the ARIN community.

Policy development is an open and transparent process. Anyone may participate in the process. A prior relationship as an ARIN member or customer is not a requirement, nor is it a requirement for a person to become a member.

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THE AGENDA

MONDAY, 15 APRIL

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TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
8:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:00 AM	Opening and Announcements	Hollis Kara
9:05 AM	Welcome from ARIN's President and CEO	John Curran
9:10 AM	Welcome from ARIN's Board Chair	Bill Sandiford
9:15 AM	Sponsor Update	
9:20 AM	Financial Report	Nancy Carter
9:30 AM	Board of Trustees Report	Bill Sandiford
9:40 AM	AC Update and On-Docket Report	Kathleen Hunter
9:55 AM	Keynote: Caribbean Perspective - IPv6 and IXPs	Brent McIntosh
10:30 AM	Break	
11:00 AM	Policy Implementation and Experience Report	John Sweeting
11:15 AM	Regional Policy Update	Eddie Diego
11:30 AM	Government Affairs Update	Einar Bohlin
11:45 AM	Membership and ARIN Elections	John Sweeting
12:00 PM	Lunch	
12:00 PM	Table Topics	
1:30 PM	Policy Block - RDP ARIN-2023-1 ; RDP ARIN-2023-4 ; DP ARIN-2022-12 ; DP ARIN-2024-1	Advisory Council
2:30 PM	Break	
3:00 PM	NRO Update	John Curran
3:15 PM	ASO AC Update	Kevin Blumberg
3:30 PM	Internet Number Status Report	John Sweeting
3:40 PM	Open Microphone	John Curran
3:55 PM	Closing Announcements and Adjournment	John Curran
7:00 PM	Social Event	

KEYNOTE

BUILDING AND SUSTAINING CARIBBEAN DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE WITH IXPS AND IPV6 TECHNOLOGIES

Presented by
Brent Mc Intosh,
MCNET-SOLUTIONS

The Caribbean has immense potential to boost its digital economy through technological innovations such as next-generation Internet protocol connectivity and critical infrastructure support. Join Brent Mc Intosh, Chief Technology Officer of MCNET-SOLUTIONS as he discusses how the Caribbean, partnered with ARIN's trusted services, can achieve these goals and continue to bring economic success to its region

Monday, 15 April
9:55 - 10:30 AM AST

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TUESDAY, 16 APRIL

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TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
8:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:00 AM	Opening and Announcements	Hollis Kara
9:10 AM	Engineering Update	Mark Kusters
9:25 AM	Information Security Update	Christian Johnson
9:40 AM	Routing Security Update	Brad Gorman
9:55 AM	Grant Reports	
10:30 AM	Break	
11:00 AM	NRO RPKI Program Update	Sofia Silva Berenguer
11:15 AM	RIR Updates (APNIC, LACNIC, RIPE NCC)	Kevon Swift
12:00 PM	Lunch	
1:30 PM	Policy Block - RDP ARIN-2023-5 ; RDP ARIN-2023-7 ; DP ARIN-2023-6 ; DP ARIN-2023-8 ; DP ARIN-2024-2	Advisory Council
2:30 PM	Training Initiatives	Hollis Kara
2:45 PM	CCO Update	John Sweeting
3:15 PM	Break	
3:45 PM	Legal Update	Michael Abejuela
4:15 PM	Open Microphone	Bill Sandiford
4:25 PM	Closing Announcements and Adjournment	Bill Sandiford

WEDNESDAY, 17 APRIL

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
8:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:00 AM	Opening and Announcements	Hollis Kara
9:10 AM	Department Reports (Communications, Financial Services, Human Resources & Administration)	Erin Alligood Hollis Kara Brian Kirk
9:40 AM	Outreach & Fellowship Update	Amanda Gauldin
9:55 AM	Open Microphone	Bill Sandiford
10:05 AM	Closing Announcements and Adjournment	John Curran
10:10 AM	Break	
10:30 AM	RPKI Deployathon (ARIN & CaribNOG attendees)	Brad Gorman
12:00 PM	Lunch w/ CaribNOG	
2:00 PM	ARIN Caribbean Roundtable	

RESOURCE PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE (RPKI) DEPLOYATHON

For those in-person attendees who are interested in learning more about ARIN's RPKI service and how it can help secure your resources, we encourage you to participate in our RPKI Deployathon on Wednesday, 17 April, held directly after the conclusion of ARIN 53. ARIN RPKI experts will be available onsite to help guide you through creating your first Route Origin Authorization and to answer any questions you may have.

JOIN THE MEETING

I'm in Barbados!

Welcome to the Caribbean! ARIN 53 is being held in Needhams Ballroom at the Hilton Barbados Resort. Join us for breakfast each morning beginning at 8:00 AM just outside of the ballroom. After you're done, head inside and grab a seat.

I'm staying home!

Each morning, you'll be emailed a link to join that day's session via Zoom, or you can access the Virtual Event hub under the "Virtual Participant" option on the menu bar at arin.net/ARIN53. During the meeting, if you'd like to ask a question or make a comment, please use the Q&A feature in Zoom.

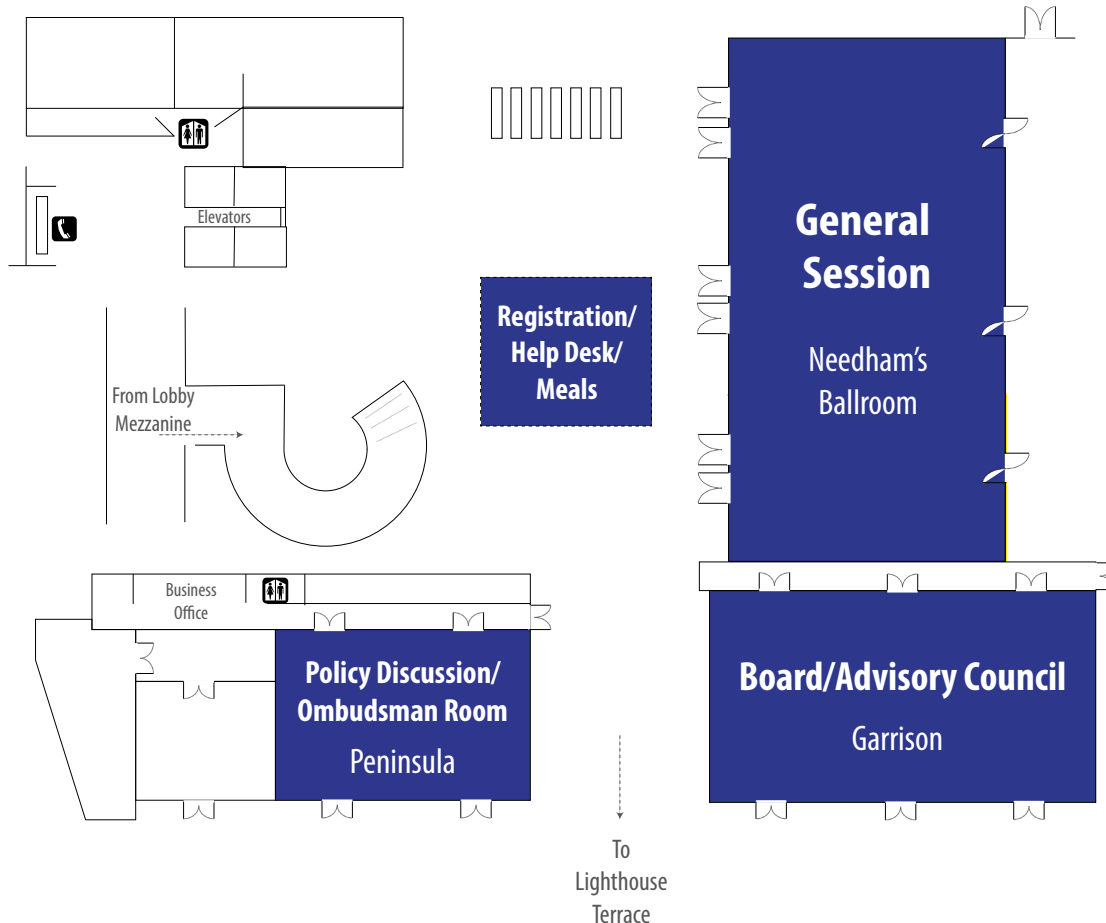
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ARIN 53 VIRTUAL HELP DESK



Or select the Virtual Help Desk option under Virtual Participants on the menu bar at arin.net/ARIN53. You'll join a Zoom and an ARIN staff member can help get you where you need to go.

HOTEL MAP



POLICY DOCKET

UNDER DISCUSSION

ARIN-2022-12	Direct Assignment Language Update	POLICY DETAILS
Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2023-1	Retire 4.2.1.4. Slow Start	POLICY DETAILS
Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2023-4	Modernization of Registration Requirements	POLICY DETAILS
Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2023-5	Clean-up of NRPM Sections 4.3.4, 4.4, 4.10 and 6.10.1	POLICY DETAILS
Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2023-6	ARIN Waitlist Qualification	POLICY DETAILS
Recommended Draft Policy ARIN-2023-7	Clarification of NRPM Sections 4.5 and 6.11 Multiple Discrete Networks	POLICY DETAILS
Draft Policy ARIN-2023-8	Reduce 4.1.8 Maximum Allocation	POLICY DETAILS
Draft Policy ARIN-2024-1	Definition of Organization ID/Org ID	POLICY DETAILS
Draft Policy ARIN-2024-2	WHOIS Data Requirements Policy for Non-Personal Information	POLICY DETAILS

THE POLICY PROCESS

Policy Proposal

An idea for a policy that is submitted to the Policy Development Process (PDP).

Draft Policy

A Policy Proposal that is complete and in scope for the PDP is accepted by the Advisory Council and becomes a Draft Policy.

Recommended Draft Policy

A Recommended Draft Policy is the result of a Draft Policy being fully developed. A Draft Policy becomes a Recommended Draft Policy once the Advisory Council believes with a high likelihood that the Draft

Policy satisfies ARIN's Principles of Internet Number Resource Policy. Recommended Draft Policies must undergo community consultation and a "Last Call" period before being considered for adoption.

Adopted Policy

A policy that has been adopted by the ARIN Board of Trustees. Adopted Policies are added into ARIN's Number Resource Policy Manual (NRPM).

[READ THE FULL PDP](#)
[ARIN.NET/PDP](#)

OMBUDSPERSON INFORMATION

As ARIN continues its efforts to create an impactful and inclusive meeting, we are pleased to provide an ombudsperson during ARIN 53. This ombudsperson will be available for meeting participants and provide the following services:

- Closely observe the ARIN 53 meeting and be available as a resource for any participant who believes they have observed, or have been subject to, a violation of the [ARIN Participants Expected Standards of Behavior](#) or offensive behavior or statements made by another participant. If this occurs, the ombudsperson will address the situation both with that individual and potentially the alleged offending party to mediate or propose solutions aimed at preventing further issues.
- Provide coaching to meeting participants, which may include how to address sensitive matters with another participant or community member during the meeting.
- Assist ARIN to create an inclusive and safe meeting environment

ARIN 53 OMBUDSPERSON



The ombudsperson for ARIN 53 is Mr. Wade Hinton, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Founder of Hinton & Company. Mr. Hinton is an attorney, entrepreneur, and nationally regarded expert on improving diversity and inclusion outcomes in the workplace.

Mr. Hinton founded Hinton & Company, a business services firm with a focus on inclusion, diversity, and equity. Hinton & Company provides fractional Chief Diversity Officer services as well as bespoke leadership offerings to meet organizations where they are on their inclusion journey.

Mr. Hinton brings two decades of experience in the private and public sectors which includes service as the inaugural Vice-President of Inclusion and Diversity for the Unum Group, City Attorney for the City of Chattanooga, and Deputy General Counsel for Volkswagen Group of America Chattanooga Operations. Mr. Hinton is the founder of Board Connector and co-founder of Designation One — platforms connecting historically underrepresented talent to inclusive nonprofit boards.

Mr. Hinton is a native of Chattanooga, Tennessee, a graduate of Emory University, a graduate of The University of Memphis School of Law, and studied at Central European University in Budapest, Hungary.

To contact ARIN's ombudsperson, Wade Hinton, please email arin@hintonandco.com.

ARIN STANDARDS OF BEHAVIOR

ARIN is committed to supporting a productive, safe, and inclusive environment for all participants at ARIN events. Any person who takes part in an ARIN event is subject to the [ARIN Participants Expected Standards of Behavior](#).

These standards require that ARIN meeting attendees must:

- Treat each other with civility, courtesy, and respect
- Make reasonable and informed comments when participating in policy development and decision-making discussions and processes.
- Listen respectfully to the views of all stakeholders when considering policy issues.
- Work to build consensus with other participants and find solutions to issues.
- Act fairly and in good faith with other participants in the ARIN process.
- Act in accordance with ARIN's Policy Development Process when participating in ARIN public policy events.
- The ARIN model is based on a bottom-up, consensus-driven approach to policy development, and it requires all participants to engage in a manner that is respectful and welcoming.

Violations to the policy will be escalated appropriately, and any allegations will be treated with the utmost care. Please review the full policy for complete details.

ARIN OUTREACH

FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

To encourage and foster new voices and active members within the ARIN region community, the ARIN Fellowship Program provides a specialized, interactive learning opportunity to individuals interested in Internet governance and number resource policy.

A group of Fellows is selected twice a year to participate in the month-long program before, during, and after an ARIN Public Policy and Members Meeting. Fellows receive an in-depth, expert-guided introduction to the workings of the ARIN organization and Policy Development Process (PDP), along with opportunities for networking and direct participation in the PDP.

arin.net/fellowship

COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM

The ARIN Community Grant Program provides financial grants in support of initiatives that improve the overall Internet industry and Internet user environment.

ARIN awards grants each year to support qualified operational and research projects that advance ARIN's mission and broadly benefit the Internet community within the ARIN region.

arin.net/grants

ON-DEMAND WEBINARS

Can't make it to an in-person training event? Check out ARIN's on-demand webinars! You'll find a selection of topics that may interest you, including IPv6 address planning basics, the Policy Development Process, and more.

arin.net/webinars

OTHER EVENTS

Aside from our Public Policy and Members Meetings, ARIN regularly hosts, contributes to, participates in, and promotes many other events each year. Find us at one of the events listed on our Event Calendar!

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