

Overview of GAC Schedule at ICANN57, Hyderabad 3-9 Nov 2016

Start Time	Thursday 3rd Nov	Friday 4th Nov	Saturday 5th Nov	Sunday 6th Nov	Monday 7th Nov	Tuesday 8th Nov	Wednesday 9th Nov
0830	GAC WG to examine the Protection				GAC Elections		
0900	of Geographic Names in any future expansion of gTLDs Meeting	Opening Plenary		TMCH Review Session	Country Names and Country Codes	PSWG Operating Guidelines (via PSWG)	GAC Website
0930	GAC Working Group on Under-	IANA Stewardship	ICANN Opening Ceremony	Digital India Presentation	ICANN ByLaw Changes and	GAC Working Group Recommendations – for	Second GAC Operating
1000	Served Regions Meeting	Accountability Workstream 2		from Indian Govt.	Role of the GAC	discussion and decision	Principles Session
1030	GAC WG to examine GAC's	Morning Break	Morning Break	Morning Break	Morning Break	Morning Break	Morning Break
1100	Participation in the Nom Com Meeting	ICANN ByLaw Changes and Role			ACIG GAC Secretariat		ICANN ByLaw Changes and
1130 1145	GAC Human Rights and	of the GAC	New gTLDs - Issues for Subsequent Rounds	Meeting with BGRI	GAC Operating Principles (first session)		Role of the GAC
1200	International Law Working Group Meeting	IGO Protections and RC/RC		Meeting with ccNSO	Prepare for meeting with ICANN Board	ICANN Public Forum 2	Wrap Up and Next Steps
1230	Lunch Break	Lunch Break &	Lunch Break	Laurah Darah	Lunch Break		Laurella Barrella
1300	& CVC Meeting	CSG:GAC lunch	CVC Meeting	Lunch Break	& CVC Meeting		Lunch Break
1330 1345		RDS/WHOIS and Domain Abuse	ICANN High Interest Topics	Meeting with CCT Review Team	GAC Election Results		
1400	GAC Operating Principles Working Group Meeeting	(via PSWG)	(GAC initiated session)		Meeting with ICANN Board		
1430	Working Group Wicecting		Mitigation of Abuse in gTLDs	Meeting with ALAC	g		
1500		Meeting with GNSO	Afternoon Break	Afternoon Break	Afternoon Break		Local Outreach Activity
1515 1530			ICANN High Interest Topics (GAC initiated session)	ICANN High Interest Topics	ICANN High Interest Topics		(Tour)
1600		Afternoon Break	Update on WHOIS Related			Communique Drafting	
1630	Local Outreach Activity		Initiatives	within ICANN's Remit	given to ICANN		
1645	(Tour)		Transition Break	Transition Break	Transition Break		
1700		ICANN ByLaw Changes and Role			ICANN High Interest Topics		
1730		of the GAC	ICANN Public Forum 1	ICANN High Interest Topics	Underserved Regions in		ICANN wrap-up cocktail
1800				DNS and Content Regulation	ICANN		function
1830					ICANN High Interest Topics		
1900			ICANN Gala Evonina	GAC Asia Pacific Outreach	Internet Governance	GAC Working Group sessions	Policy focussed GAC work sessions
1930		GAC PSWG Working Session	ICANN Gala Evening	(via GAC U/S Regions WG)	Also - Women in ICANN, the internet and ICTs: Opportunities & Challenges	Internally focussed GAC work session Meetings with other communities GAC Outreach Activity	



WEDNESDAY 2 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

There are no GAC meetings this day.

Other Meetings of Interest:

0830 - 1800 - CCWG Accountability Workstream 2 Face to Face Meeting



THURSDAY 3 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

This day is devoted to GAC Working Group sessions.

Each session will be led by the relevant Working Group Chairs and Co-Chairs. All GAC Working Group members should attend. GAC Representatives who are not members of a particular Working Group/s are also encouraged to attend and contribute to discussions.

At the end of the day, from 1500, GAC Members are strongly encouraged to participate in an outreach and social tour hosted by the Indian Government.

GAC Working Group Sessions

TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
0830 - 0930	GAC WG to examine the protection of geographic names in any future expansion of gTLDs Chair: Olga Cavalli, Argentina	Overview of WG activities and work plan. Discuss next steps, including reporting to the GAC.	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief
0930 - 1030	GAC Working Group on under-served regions Co-Chairs: Alice Munyua, AUC; Pua Hunter, Cook Islands	Overview of WG activities and work plan. Discuss next steps, including reporting to the GAC.	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief
1000 - 1100	GAC Headshots Entry, GAC Room, Hall 4	Photographer will be in attendance to take pictures of GAC Representatives for the new GAC website.	None
1030 - 1130	GAC Working Group to examine GAC's participation in NomCom Chair: Olga Cavalli, Argentina	Overview of WG activities and work plan. Discuss next steps, including reporting to the GAC.	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief
1130 - 1230	GAC Human Rights and International Law Working Group	Overview of WG activities and work plan. Discuss next steps, including	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief



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	Co-Chairs: Mark Carvell, UK; Milagros Castañón Seoane, Peru; Jorge Cancio, Switzerland	reporting to the GAC.	
1230-1330	LUNCH BREAK		
1330 - 1500	GAC Operating Principles Review Working Group Co-Chairs: Henri Kassen, Namibia; Rajiv Bansal, India.	Overview of WG activities and work plan. Discuss next steps, including GAC plenary sessions on the OPs Review.	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief

1500 - 1830	Outreach Activity arranged by Indian Host Government	Obtain insights into the Internet and IT initiatives of other governments. Network and socialize with	
	Details to be advised	other GAC representatives.	

0900 - 1030 - How it Works: DNS 101. Hall 5.

0900 - 1215 - GNSO Next Generation RDS PDP WG Face to Face. Hall 6

0900 - 1700 - CCT Review Team Meeting Day 2. MR 1.02

1345 - 1830 - GNSO New gTLD Subsequent Procedures WG Face to Face. Hall 6



FRIDAY 4 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

This is the opening day of the formal GAC Plenary sessions. All GAC Representatives should attend.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
1	0900 - 0930	Opening plenary GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider Tom Dale, ACIG GAC Secretariat	Introductions. Develop a shared understanding of what will occur during the meeting.	
2	0930 - 1000	IANA Stewardship Transition GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Update about the IANA stewardship transition.	ACIG Brief
3	1000 - 1030	CCWG Accountability Work Stream 2 GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Update about current status of activities relating to CCWG Accountability Work Stream 2.	ACIG Brief
	1030- 1100	MORNING BREAK		
4	1100 - 1200	ICANN Bylaw Changes and the role of the GAC GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Agree, specifically or in principle, on GAC procedures under the new Bylaws with regard to: • Appointments to external bodies • GAC advice to the Board • GAC in the Empowered Community	ACIG Brief
5	1200 - 1230	IGO and Red Cross/Red Crescent Protections GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Consider and come to an agreed position on the proposed recommendations of the 'small group'	ACIG Brief
	1230- 1330	LUNCH BREAK		
6	1330 - 1430	RDS/WHOIS and Domain Abuse GAC Public Safety Working Group (PSWG)	Agree GAC Advice on Abuse Mitigation	Brief from PSWG PSWG Proposed Follow Up to

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				GAC Advice on Abuse Mitigation PSWG Proposed Hyderabad GAC Advice on Abuse Mitigation
7	1430 - 1600	Meeting with GNSO GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider GNSO Council Chair, James Bladel	Update on GNSO Liaison to GAC. Final report of GAC-GNSO Consultation Group. Options for GAC-GNSO consultation on PDPs. New gTLD process & timing. IGO Protections	ACIG Brief
	1600- 1615	TRANSITION BREAK		
8 & 9	1615 - 1830	ICANN Bylaw Changes and the role of the GAC (continued) GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Agree, specifically or in principle, on GAC procedures under the new Bylaws with regard to: • GAC advice to the Board • Appointments to external bodies • GAC in the Empowered Community	ACIG Brief (same brief as agenda item 4)

18	830 - 2000	GAC Public Safety	Working session for WG	GAC Working
		Working Group (PSWG)	members. Other GAC	Groups - ACIG
			Members most welcome.	Overview Brief



0900 - 1030 - Input to CCT Review Team. Hall 3

0900 - 1030 - How it Works: DNS 101. Hall 5.

1100 – 1645 – Newcomers Day. Hall 2

1100 – 1215 – Privacy & Proxy Services Accreditation Implementation Review Team Project Overview. G. 01/02

1245 – 1345 – Coordination meeting of Schools of Internet Governance. Hall 1.

1345 – 1500 – Contractual Compliance Registrar Outreach. G. 01/02

1515 – 1645 – Contractual Compliance Registrar Outreach. G. 01/02

1700 – 1800 – PSWG Closed Security Framework Drafting Team. G. 01/02

1830 – 1930 – European Stakeholders networking Drinks. Novotel Ballroom

1830 – 2000 – Women in I* Organizations Round Table. Hall 5



SATURDAY 5 NOVEMBER

This day begins with ICANN's formal Opening Ceremony (all GAC Members are encouraged to attend).

The GAC will convene in one plenary session in Hall 4 before moving into the cross-community High Interest Topic Sessions. Again, all GAC Members are encouraged to attend.

The day ends with ICANN's Gala Evening, a social event for everyone.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
	0900-1030	ICANN Opening Ceremony	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org	/en/hyderahad57
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	1030-1100	MORNING BREAK		
10	1100 – 1230	New gTLDs – Issues for subsequent rounds	Update on current work across ICANN.	ACIG Brief
		Jorge Cancio, Switzerland	Discussion of options for GAC engagement.	
			Discussion of policy issues.	
	1230-1330	LUNCH BREAK		
	1330 - 1500	ICANN High Interest	Topic proposed by the GA	С
		Topic: Mitigation of	Defeate ICANINIEZ	
		abuse in gTLDs	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org	/en/hyderahad57
		Hall 3	<u> </u>	7 OTH THY GOT GEOGRAP
	1500-1515	AFTERNOON BREAK		
	1515 - 1645	ICANN High Interest	Topic proposed by the GA	С
		Topic: Update on WHOIS related initiatives	Refer to ICANN57 website	
			https://meetings.icann.org	/en/hyderabad57
		Hall 3		
	1645-1700	TRANSITION BREAK		
	1700 - 1830	ICANN Public Forum 1	Refer to ICANN57 website	/ //
		Hall 3	https://meetings.icann.org	<u>/en/nyderabad5/</u>

1830 - 2030	ICANN GALA EVENING	
	Refer to ICANN57 website	
	https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	



1100 – 1215 – Contractual compliance program Updates and Q&A Session. G. 01/02

1100 – 1215 – IDN Implementation Guidelines WG meeting. Granite I (Novotel)

1100 – 1245 – CCT Review Hyderabad Debriefing. MR 1.02

1345 – 1445 – New gTLD Program Reviews. Hall 2

1515 - 1645 - CCWG UCTN as TLDs. G. 01/02

1515 – 1645 – CCT Research Results. Hall 2

1645 – 1730 – GAC Commonwealth Members Meeting. MR 1.02

1830 - 2000 - CCWG on Internet Governance Face to Face. MR 1.04



SUNDAY 6 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

The GAC will meet for full plenary sessions from 0900 – 1500 in Hall 4.

After that GAC Members are encouraged to attend and participate in ICANN's cross-community High Interest Topic sessions.

At 1830 there is a special session, in HALL 4, for GAC's Asia-Pacific members.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
11	0900 - 0930	Trademark Clearing House Review Mark Carvell, UK Greg Rafert, Report Author	To develop a GAC statement of position on the report.	Brief from ACIG Email from U.K. Independent Review of TMCH Services Report
12	0930 - 1030	Digital India Presentation Indian Government	Update on Digital India Program	www.digitalindia.gov.in
	1030-1100	MORNING BREAK		
13	1100 - 1200	Meeting with Board- GAC Recommendations Implementation Group (BGRI) GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Update on BGRI activities	Brief from ACIG
14	1200 - 1230	Meeting with ccNSO GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider ccNSO Chair, Katrina Sataki	Discussion of: • Uncertain future of CCWG-UCTN • Retirement and review mechanisms PDP • Progress of EPSRP Working Group	ACIG Brief
	1230-1330	LUNCH BREAK		
	1330 - 1400	Meeting with CCT Review Team GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Presentation of draft findings by Review Team Chair, Jonathan Zuck	ACIG Brief
16	1400 - 1500	Meeting with ALAC GAC Chair, Thomas	Discussion of: New gTLD issues Diversity	ACIG Brief



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	Schneider ALAC Chair, Alan Greenberg	CCT ReviewImplementation of new Bylaws	
1500-1515	AFTERNOON BREAK		
1515 - 1645	ICANN High Interest Topic: Exploring the Public Interest within ICANN's Remit	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/d	en/hyderabad57
1645-1700	TRANSITION BREAK		
1700 - 1730	GAC Headshots	Photographer will be in atte of GAC Representatives for	•
1700 - 1830	ICANN High Interest Topic: How to do outreach within each SO/AC	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/e	en/hyderabad57

	1830 - 2000	Special outreach session for GAC Asia- Pacific Members	Discuss how best to improve Asia-Pacific participation in the GAC and in ICANN.
		Co-Chairs, GAC Under-Served Regions Working Group	Draft Agenda

0830 - 1030 - Cross Community Committee on Accessibility. Hall 1

0830 - 0945 - IDN Program Update. MR 1.02

1100 – 1215 – IDN Workshop on root Zone Label Generation Rules. MR 1.04

1345 – 1500 – IDN Cyrillic Generation Panel Meeting. MR 1.02

1515 – 1645 – CCWG on Internet Governance Face to Face. Granite I (Novotel)



MONDAY 7 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

The GAC will meet for full plenary sessions from 0900 – 1500 in Hall 4.

After that GAC Members are encouraged to attend and participate in ICANN's cross-community High Interest Topic sessions.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
17	0830 - 0900	Election for GAC Vice Chairs Election facilitated by the ACIG GAC Secretariat	Select five new Vice Chairs.	GAC Election Procedures
18	0900 - 0930	Country Names and Country Codes GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Update on ongoing issues	ACIG Brief
19	0930 - 1030	ICANN Bylaw Changes and the role of the GAC (continued) GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Agree, specifically or in principle, on GAC procedures under the new Bylaws with regard to: • GAC advice to the Board • Appointments to external bodies • GAC in the Empowered Community	ACIG Brief (same brief as agenda item 4)
	1030-1100	MORNING BREAK		
20	1100 - 1130	ACIG GAC Secretariat: contract and funding GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Discussion of ongoing funding and contract issues	Correspondence from GAC Chair
21	1130 - 1200	Review of GAC Operating Principles WG Co-chairs, Henri Kassen (Namibia) and Rajiv Bansal (India)	Update on activities	Work Plan GAC Operating Principles



	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
22	1200 - 1230	Prepare for meeting with ICANN Board	Identify relevant items for discussion at meeting with ICANN Board	
		GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider		
	1230-1330	LUNCH BREAK		
23	1330 - 1345	Announce GAC Vice	Select five new Vice	GAC Election
		Chair election results	Chairs.	Procedures
		ACIG GAC Secretariat	Re-appoint GAC Chair by acclamation	
24	1345 - 1500	Meeting with ICANN Board	Discuss relevant issues	
		GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider		
	1500-1515	AFTERNOON BREAK	1	
	1500 - 1600	GAC Headshots Hall 4 Entry	Photographer will be in attendance to take pictures of GAC Representatives for the new GAC website.	
	1515 - 1645	ICANN High Interest Topic: Transparency on legal advice given to ICANN (to preserve its principles of openness)	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	
	1645-1700	TRANSITION BREAK		
	1700 - 1830	ICANN High Interest Topic: Underserved Regions in ICANN	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	
	1830 - 2000	ICANN High Interest Topic: Internet Governance	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	

0900 - 1015 - ICANN gTLD Marketplace Health Index Metrics. Hall 2

0900 – 1030 – IGO-INGO Access to Curative Rights Protections PDP WG Presentation of Initial Report. Hall 6

1100 – 1215 – GNSO PDP Review of All Rights Protections Mechanisms in All gTLDs PDP WG meeting. Hall 6



1230 – 1330 – Closed. African Union Commission Meeting. Granite I (Novotel)

1230 – 1330 – GAC EU Commission Meeting. MR 1.02

1345 – 1445 – ICANN Africa Strategy Update. Hall 2

1515 - 1630 - IGO-INGO Implementation Review Team Meeting. G. 03/04

1830 – 2000 – Internet Governance Public Session. Hall 3.



TUESDAY 8 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

The GAC will meet for a full day of plenary sessions.

The GAC Communique will be drafted during the afternoon and, if necessary, into Tuesday evening.

The GAC lunch break arrangements for Tuesday are not yet confirmed with ICANN.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
25	0900 - 0930	GAC Public Safety Working Group (PSWG) Operating Guidelines GAC Public Safety Working Group	Consider and discuss draft operating guidelines	PSWG Draft Operating Guidelines
26	0930 - 1030	GAC Working Groups – recommendations for discussion and decision GAC Working Group Chairs and Co-Chairs	Decision to be made by the GAC on whether non GAC Members can participate in WG mailing lists and meetings. WG Chairs to raise issues to be discussed or agreed by the GAC	GAC Working Groups - ACIG Overview Brief
	1030-1100	MORNING BREAK		
	1100 - 1330	ICANN Public Forum 2	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	
27	1330 - 1500	Communique drafting GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Prepare the GAC's communique for ICANN57 Hyderabad	Zero Draft Communique to be circulated by ACIG prior to the commencement of the GAC Hyderabad meeting
	1500-1515	AFTERNOON BREAK		
28	1515 - 1830	GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Prepare the GAC's communique for ICANN57 Hyderabad	As per agenda item 27 above



0900 - 1030 - gTLD Marketplace Health Index Advisory Panel Working Session. Hall 6

1230 - 1330 - GAC EU Commission Meeting. MR 1.04

1515 – 1645 – Regional Strategy Outlook (Eastern Europe & Central Asia). G. 01/02

1515 – 1645 – Updates from the Middle East. Hall 2

1700 – 1830 – CCWG New gTLD Auction Proceeds Meeting. Hall 6



WEDNESDAY 9 NOVEMBER - HALL 4

The GAC will meet during the morning plenary sessions, in Hall 4.

After the lunch break all GAC representatives are encouraged to participate in an outreach activity arranged by Indian host government.

	TIME	SESSION	OBJECTIVES	BRIEFINGS
29	0900 - 0930	New GAC Website Demonstration	Familiarize GAC Members with the new website and online workspaces. Feedback welcomed	None
30	0930 - 1030	Review of GAC Operating Principles WG Co-chairs, Henri Kassen (Namibia) and Rajiv Bansal (India)	Update on activities (continued)	Updated Work Plan GAC Operating Principles (following session 21)
	1030-1100	MORNING BREAK		
31	1100 - 1200	ICANN Bylaw Changes and the role of the GAC GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Agree, specifically or in principle, on GAC procedures under the new Bylaws with regard to: • GAC advice to the Board • Appointments to external bodies • GAC in the Empowered Community	ACIG Briefing (same brief as agenda item 4)
32	1200 - 1230	Wrap up and next steps GAC Chair, Thomas Schneider	Review the achievements of this meeting, begin planning for next and discuss next steps	Timeline for ICANN58, Copenhagen
	1230-1330	LUNCH BREAK		
	1330 - 1830	Outreach Activity arranged by Indian Host Government Details to be advised	Obtain insights into the IT initiatives of other governments. Network and socialize with other GAC representatives.	
	1700 - 1830	ICANN Wrap-up Cocktail	Refer to ICANN57 website https://meetings.icann.org/en/hyderabad57	



1100 – 1215 – Privacy and Proxy Services Accreditation Program Implementation Review Team Working Meeting. Hall 6

1230 - 1330 - GAC EU Commission Meeting. MR 1.02