ICANN81 – Annual General Meeting
Istanbul, Turkey
9 to 14 November 2024

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CTU's 4th International ICT Forecast Meeting
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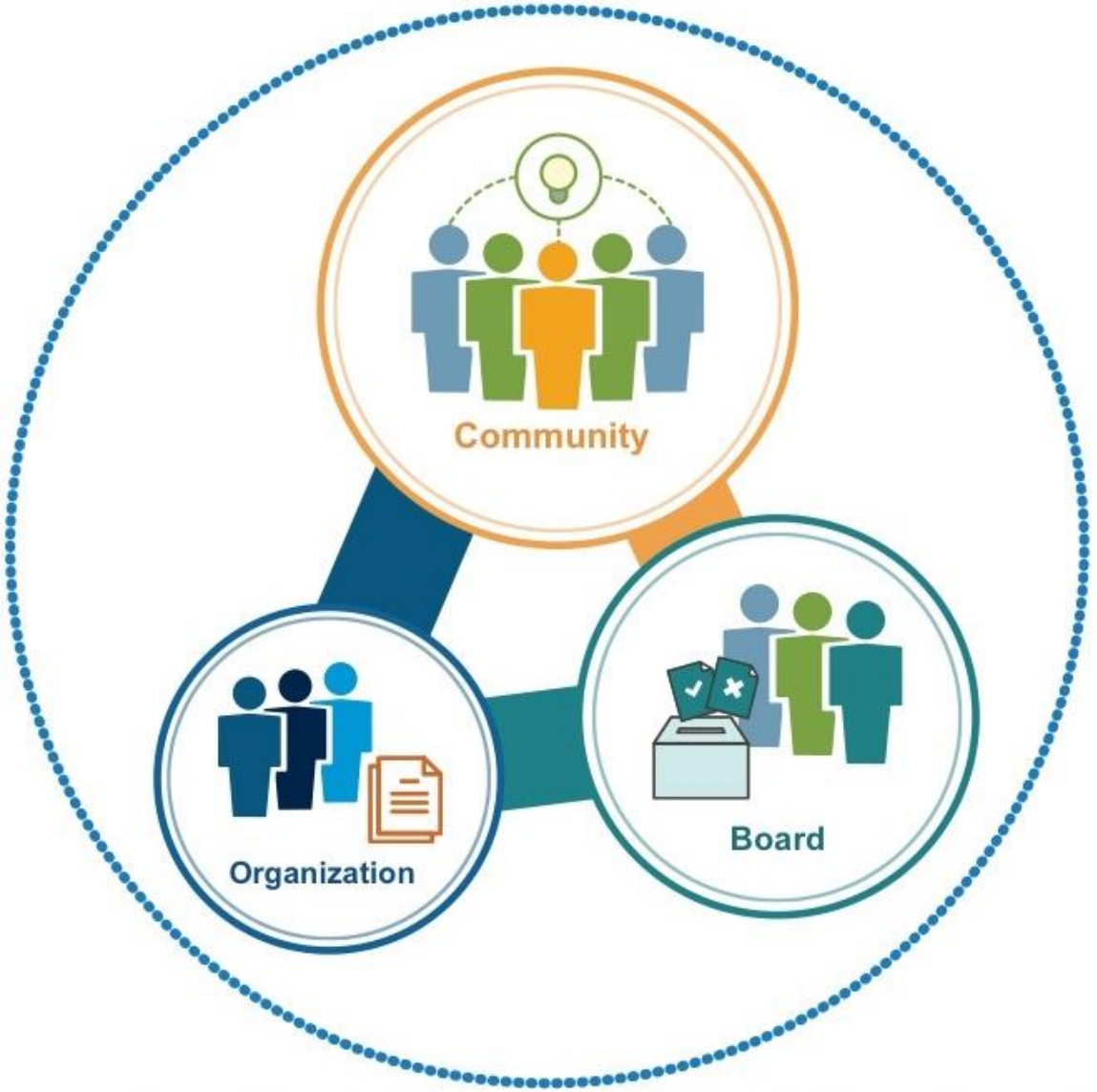
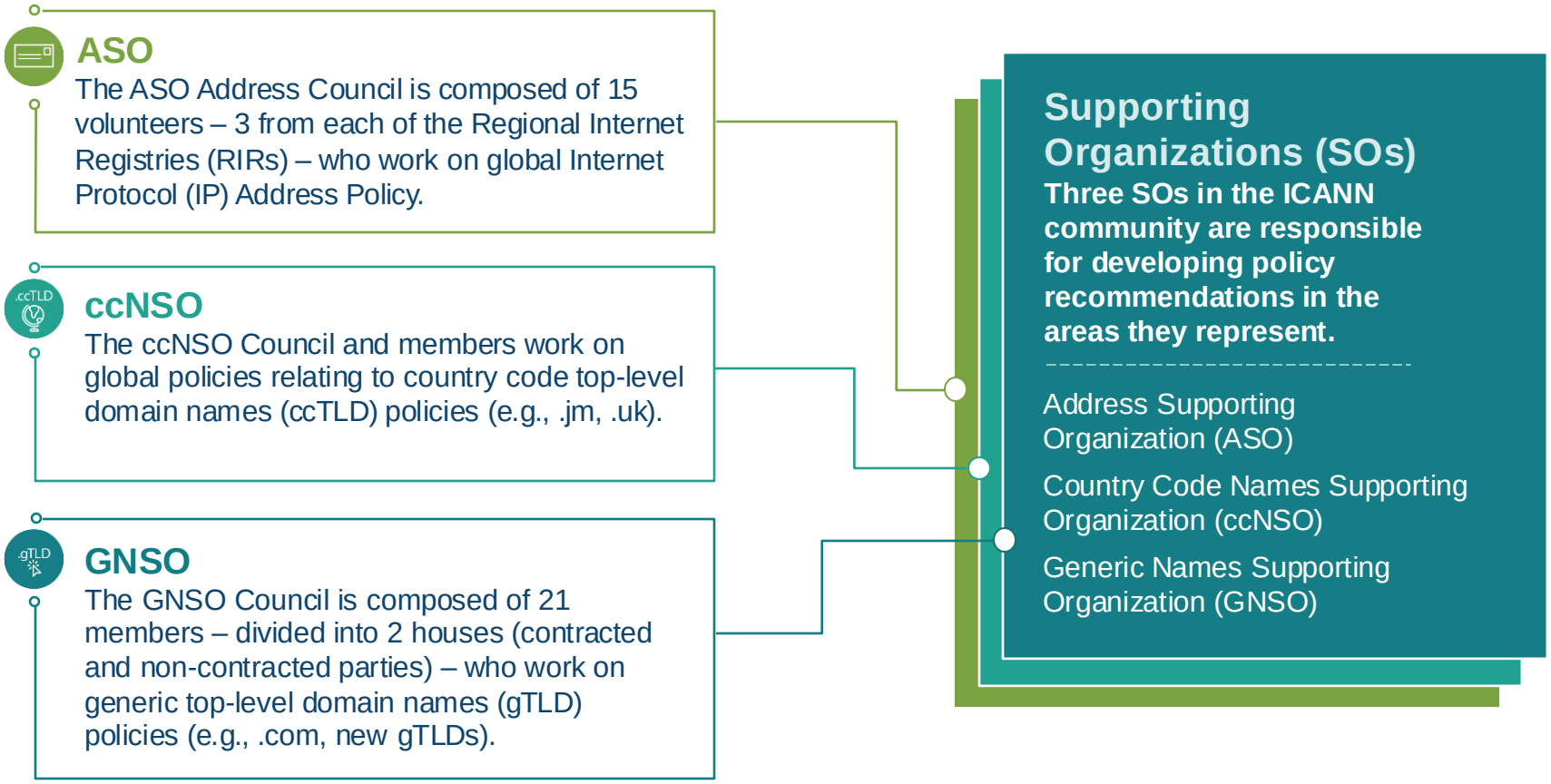
- ICANN80 – **Policy Forum***, 10 to 13 June, **Kigali** (AF)
- ICANN81 – 26th AGM, 9 to 14 November**, Istanbul (AP)**
  - **Prep Week:** Monday 28 October to Thursday 31 October 2024 (Online)
- ICANN82 – Community Forum, 2 to 7 March 2025, **Seattle** (NA)
- ICANN83 – Policy Forum*, 9 to 12 June 2025, **Prague** (EUR)
- Fellowship Program:
  - ICANN81 Application CLOSED, 1 July 2024, fellows announced
  - ICANN82 Application CLOSED, 31 October 2024, fellows announced
  - ICANN83* Application OPENS 24 October 2024, CLOSES 24 November 2024, 23:59 UTC

* Only those who have successfully completed an ICANN Fellowship (Fellowship Alumni) are eligible to apply for a Policy Forum fellowship

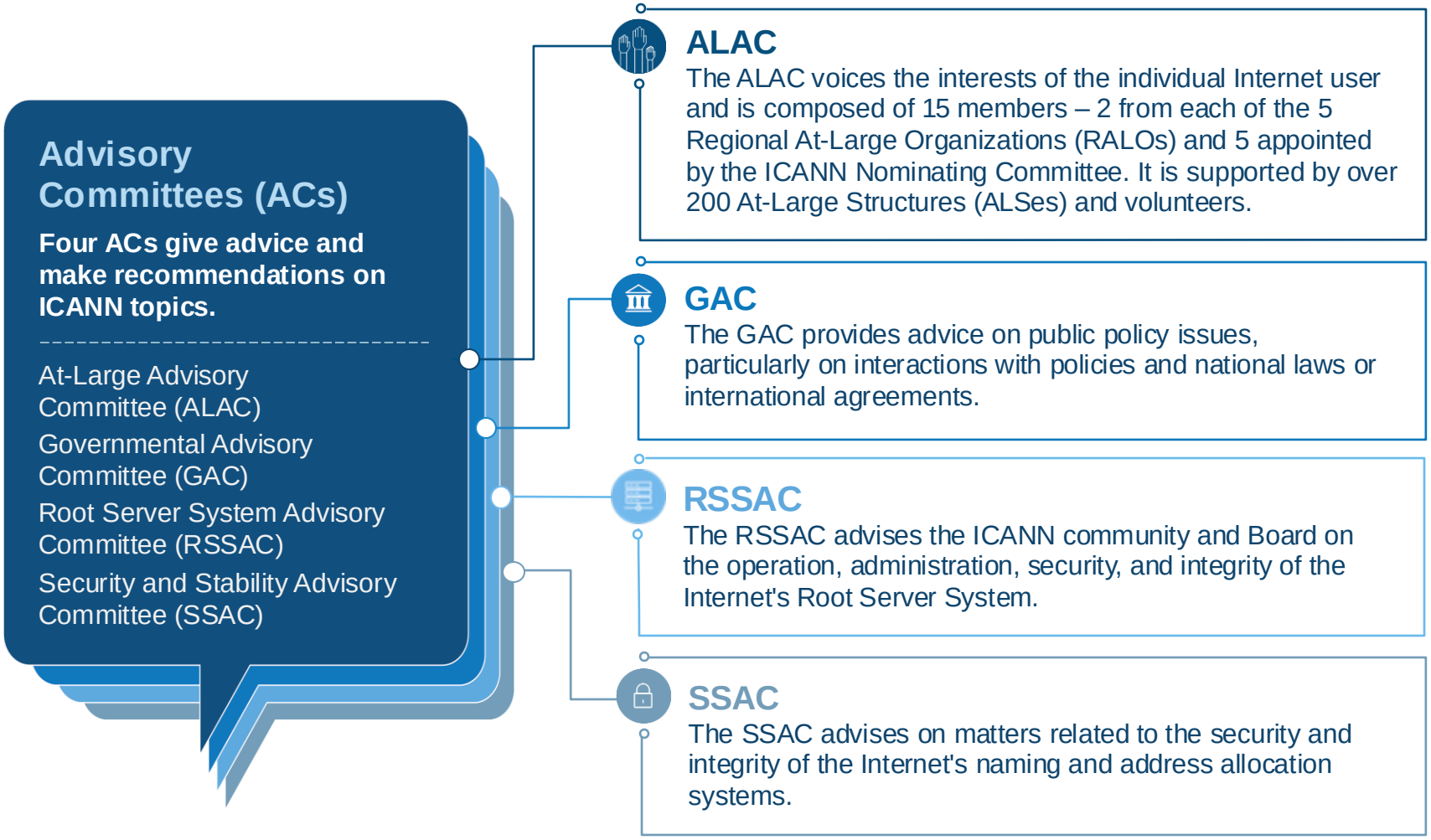
ICANN Ecosystem



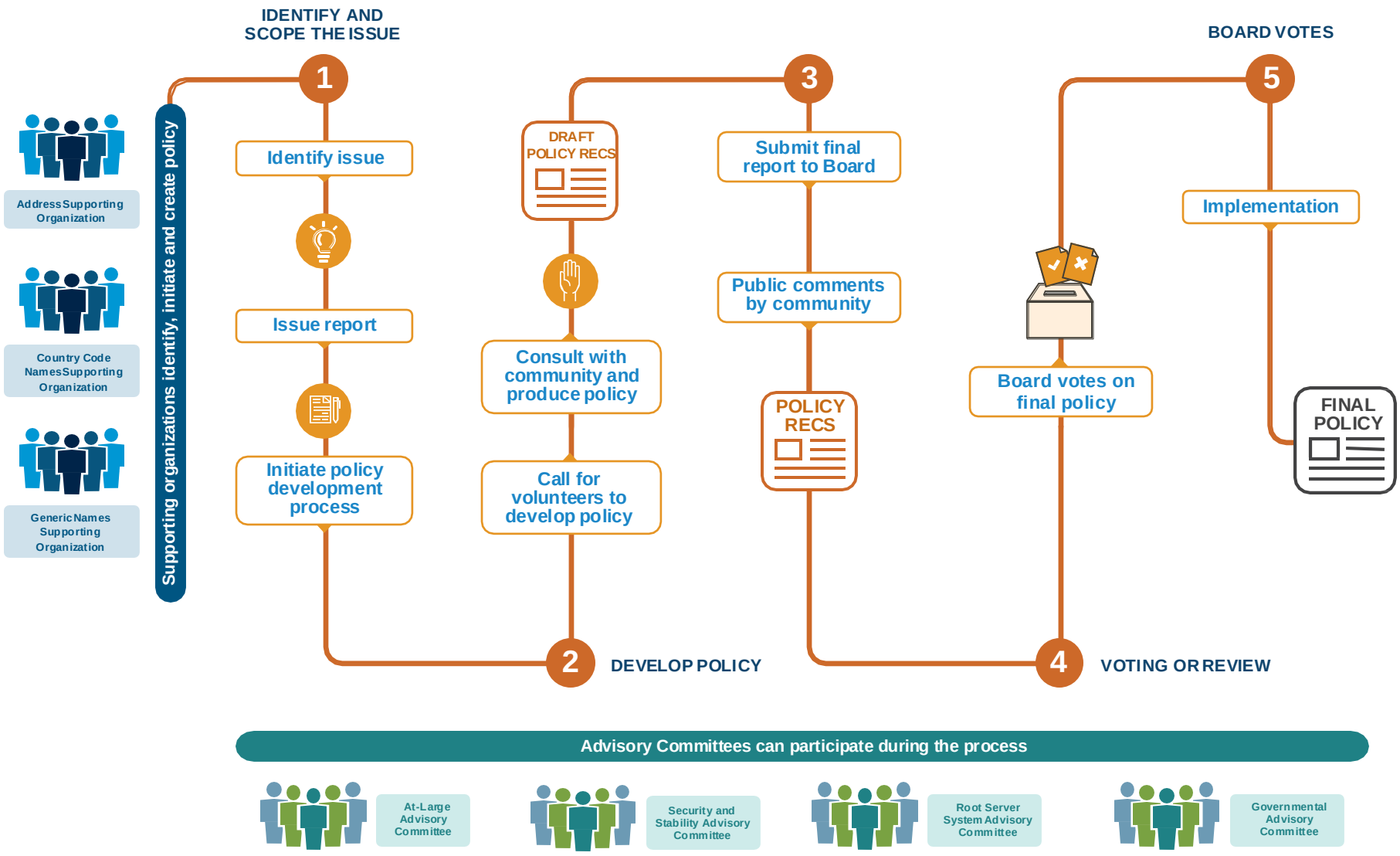
Supporting Organizations (SOs)



Advisory Committees (ACs)



How Does the Community Develop Policy?



Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) Webinar

- Hosted by LAC Global Stakeholder Engagement (GSE)
- Before ICANN81 (October/November)
- Facilitated by ICANN GAC Senior and Support Staff
- Customized for Latin America & the Caribbean
- Particularly Useful for **New** GAC Attendees
  - Structure of the GAC
  - How the GAC functions
  - How Advice to the ICANN Board is Developed (GAC Comminiqué)
- Valuable for **experienced** and **returning** GAC Representatives
  - Hot Topics
  - Interactions with Board
  - Interactions with SO's and AC's

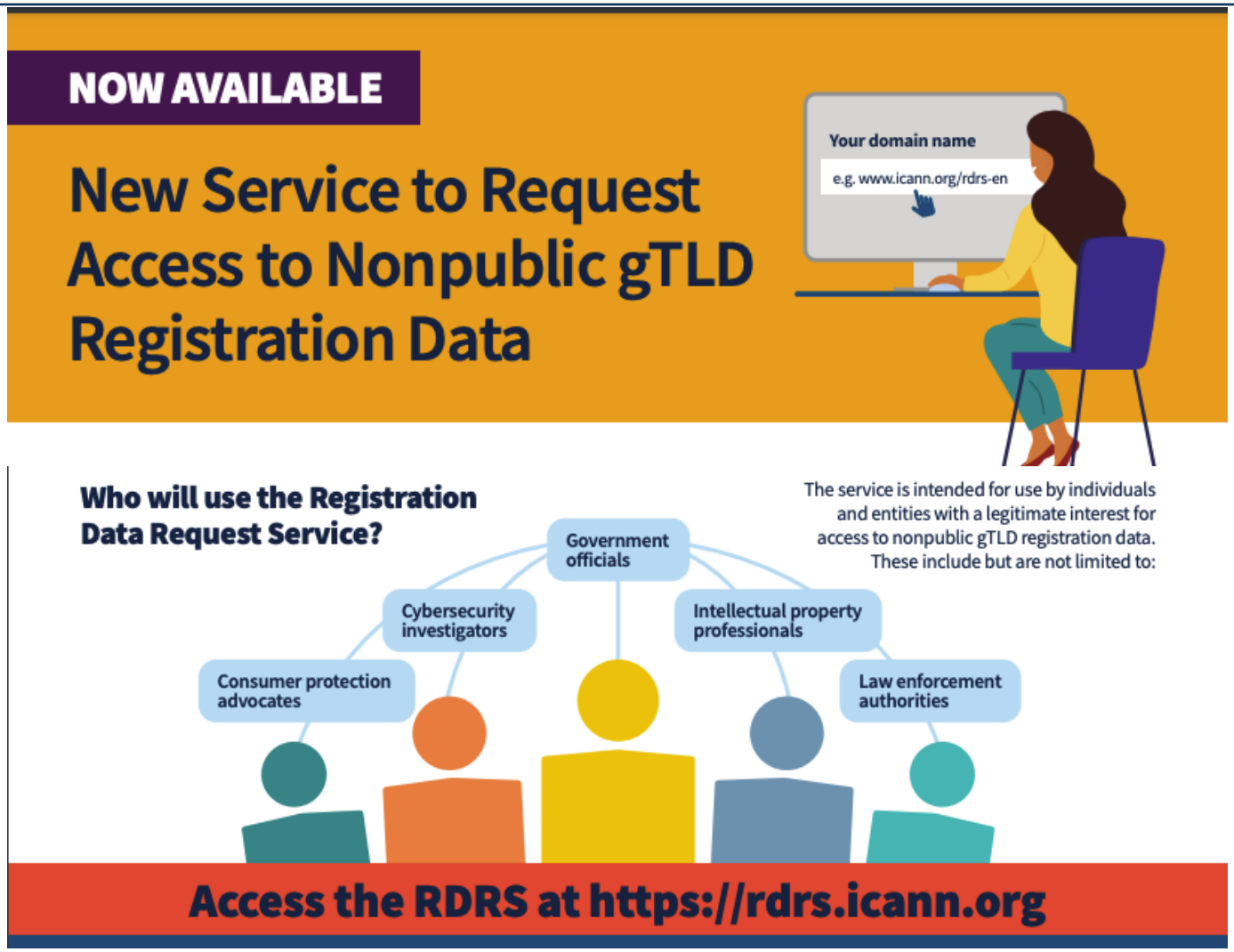
ICANN81 Prep Week: 28 - 31 October 2024

- Online Preparatory Meeting for ICANN80 Policy Forum
- Open to new and Experienced ICANN stakeholders
- Explains the structure of the AGM
- Highlights Hot Topics
- Frames important Policy to be discussed
- Schedule is published
  - https://www.icann.org/en/announcements

Key Topics

- **Registration Data Request Service** (**RDRS**) (access to registration data)
- ICANN Grant Program
- Next round of Generic Top Level Domains (gTLDs)
- Applicant Support Program (ASP)
- Universal Acceptance
- DNS Abuse

RDRS Webinar - Tuesday 17 September 12:00 Noon



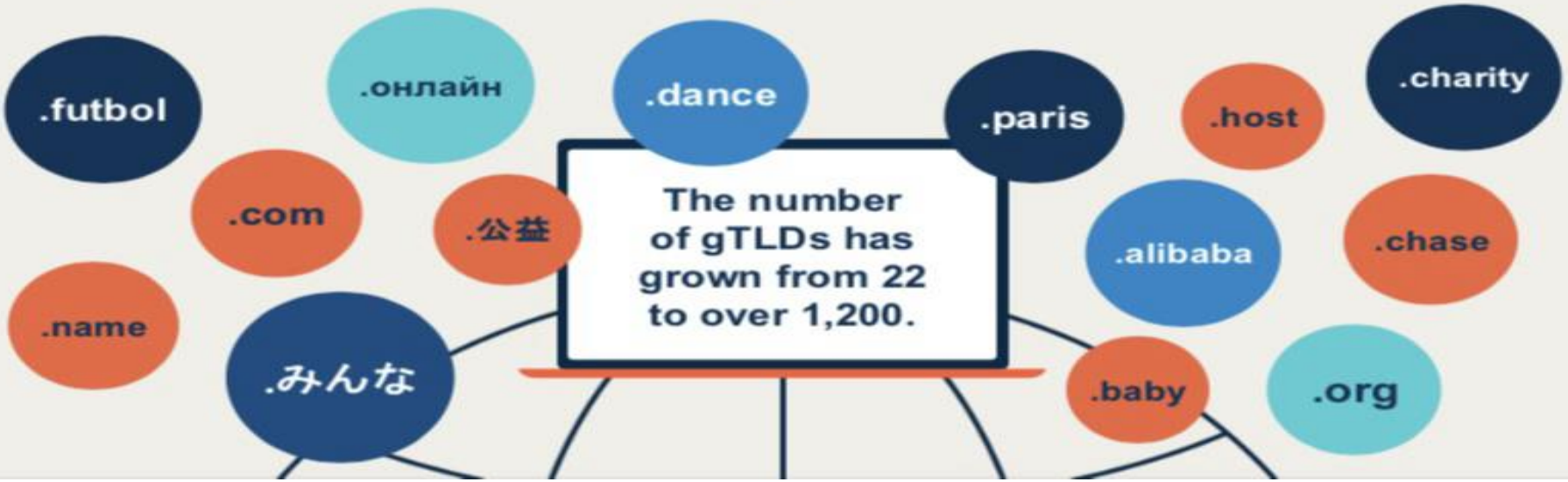
Benefits of the Registration Data Request Service

New Generic Top Level Domain Name Program

The New gTLD Program

The New Generic Top-Level Domains (gTLD) Program is a community-driven initiative to enable the continued expansion of the Domain Name System.

For the first time since 2012, businesses, communities, governments, and other organizations can apply for new gTLDs tailored to fit their needs.



NEW gTLD PROGRAM: APPLICANT SUPPORT PROGRAM

ASP

A More Inclusive Internet: Introducing the New gTLD Applicant Support Program

Bringing Opportunity to Underrepresented Communities and Regions

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How much funding was requested?

Of the ~$200M Action Proceeds available for the Grant Program, only $10M will be granted in the first cycle.

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Total amount of funding requested

$83,041,496

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Average amount of funding requested

$336,200

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Median amount of funding requested

$384,116

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