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| 1 | Tunde Adegbola | Member | African Languages Technology Initiative | Nigeria |  |
| 2 | Sarat Assirou | Member | Institute COADY | Ivory Coast | Dioula, Baoulé Bété, Ebrié |
| 3 | Dwayne Bailey | Member | Translate.org.za | South Africa | Afrikaans, Northern Sotho, Venda, Tswana and Southern Sotho |
| 4 | Ahmed Bakht Masood | Member | Pakistan Telecom Authority | Pakistan | Urdu, English |
| 5 | Fahd Batayneh | Member | ICANN | Jordan | Arabic, English |
| 6 | Matthias Brenzinger | Member | University of Cape Town | South Africa |  |
| 7 | Eric Brunner-Williams | Co-Chair | CORE | US | English |
| 8 | Chris Dillon | Co-Chair | University College London | UK | English, German, Spanish |
| 9 | Tarkan Doruk | Member | Sanofi | UAE | Turkish |
| 10 | Yashar Hajiyev | Member | Information Policy Analytical Center | Azerbaijan | Azerbaijani, English |
| 11 | Hazem Hezzah | Member | League of Arab States | Egypt | Use of Latin script for Arabic chat language, German |
| 12 | Paul Hoffman | Member | ICANN | US | English |
| 13 | Tarik Merghani | Member | AfTLD | Sudan |  |
| 14 | Meikal Mumin | Member | University of Cologne | Germany | German, English, use of Latin script for African languages |
| 15 | Danko Jevtovic | Member | Fondacija | Serbia | Serbian, English |
| 16 | Ngo Thanh Nhan | Member | New York University | US | Vietnamese |
| 17 | Daniel Omondi | Member | Internet Society | Kenya |  |
| 18 | Oscar Gabriel Ledesma Piñeiro | Member | Alfa-REDI | Argentina | Spanish, English |
| 19 | Gideon Kiprono Rop | Member | DotConnectAfrica | Kenya |  |
| 20 | Dušan Stojičević | Member | RNIDS | Serbia | Serbian, English |
| 21 | Jean-Jacques Subrenat | Member | NCUC; Individual Users; NMI/CC; ICG | France | French, English |
| 22 | Mirjana Tasić | Member | National Internet Domain Names of Serbia (RNIDS) | Serbia | Serbian, English |
| 23 | Aysegul Tekce | Member | ICANN | Turkey | Turkish |
| 24 | Bonface Witaba | Member | Global Knowledge Partnership Foundation | Kenya | Swahili |
| 24 | Jiankang Yao | Member | Computer Network Information Center (CNIC, CAS) | China | Mandarin Chinese, Pinyin and English |

Name: Chris Dillon

Role: Generation Panel Co-Chair, Academia (linguistic)

Designation: Research Associate, University College London

Relevant experience:

• 2012-present: Member of the VIP Chinese Generation Panel (see https://community.icann.org/display/croscomlgrprocedure/Chinese+Script+GP).

• 2016-: Member of IDN Implementation Guidelines Working Group

• 2016- Member of Next-Generation RDS Working Group

• 2014-2015 Formerly Co-Chair of the GNSO Translation & Transliteration of Contact Information Policy Development Project Working Group

• (see https://community.icann.org/display/tatcipdp).

• 2011-2014 Member of the JIG [ccNSO/GNSO Joint IDN Working Group] (see http://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/jiwg.htm).

• 08/2012–12/2012 Project 2.1 (Root IDN Table Process) (see www.icann.org/en/news/announcements/announcement-3-21mar13-en.htm).

• Formerly member of the Variant Issues Project Chinese Case Study (see https://community.icann.org/display/VIP).

• 2010-2012 Project Manager of the String Similarity Evaluation Panel during the first round of ICANN’s New gTLD Program

Name: Sarat Assirou

Role: Linguistic Expert / Community Representative

Designation: Instructor, Institut de Linguistique Appliquée, Université Félix Houphouet Boigny de Cocody, Abidjan, Ivory Coast

Relevant experience

• Linguist, specialist in functional alphabetization

• Consultant on alphabetization

• Lecturer in the department of language sciences at the Université Félix Houphouet Boigny de Cocody

Seminars and experiences on alphabetization:

• October 2007: Participation in the editing seminar to set up the Institutions for Training and Women's Education (Institutions de Formation et d’Education Féminine - IFEF) in Cote d’Ivoire.

• July-August 2010: Realization (in association with Dr Kalilou TERA) of the diagnostic study on alphabetization in Côte d’ Ivoire, sponsored by the National Ministry of

• Education (MEN) with financial support from UNICEF.

• October 2011: Seminar on the validation of the diagnostic study on alphabetization in Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire (AIBEF).

• Since January 2012: TV presenter under the heading "PARLONS NOS LANGUES" ("Let's speak our Languages) in the broadcast "LES TRESORS DU MONDE" ("Treasures of the World") on channel TV2 on Radio Télévision Ivoirienne (RTI).

• November 2014: Training officers for the direction of Alphabetization and Informal Education (Direction de l’Alphabétisation et de l’Education Non Formelle - DAENF) in

methods and techniques for the alphabetization of national languages

Name: Ahmed Bakhat Masood

Role: Regulator, DNS, Arabic Generation Panel, Security

Designation: Deputy Director (ICT/Network)/ Pakistan Telecom Authority

Relevant experience

• 2013 to present: Member of Task Force on Arabic IDN (TF-AIDN)

• 2014- to present: Member of Program Committee Middle East DNS Forum

(http://www.mednsf.org/en/program-committee/)

1998 to present: Pakistan Telecom Authority (PTA)

• Initiation of different ICT projects for community development like IXP for Pakistan

• Coordination for IPv6 Task Force for Pakistan Network Management, Network Security including DNSSec and Network forensic

• Coordination with APNIC, SANOG, ICANN and academia for trainings on modern technologies like IPV6, DNSSec, IRM

• Network and Security management

• Implementation of ISO 27001 standards in PTA

Name: Hazem Hezzah

Role: Arabic Generation Panel member, National and regional policy makers

Designation: IT Expert for ICT Development / League of Arab States

Relevant experience:

• 2013-present: Member of the Task Force for Arabic Script IDNs (TF-AIDN)

• 2012- present: Member of the Multistakeholder advisory group and preparation team for the Arab Internet Governance Forum.

• 2012-present: Participated in preparation, evaluation and contracting for the (.arab) gTLDs, and currently preparing policies for the new gTLD.

• 1991-2011: Performed various IT related roles as support, consultant and technical project manager.

Name: Ahmed Bakht Masood

Role: Technical

Designation: Deputy Director (ICT/Network), Pakistan Telecommunication Authority

Relevant experience:

• Establishment of Pakistan IXP

• Liaison with Academia, cellular mobile operators and ISPs for proliferation and early deployment of IPv6 and DNSSEC

• Liaison with national and international organizations on Internet Governance issues

• Organized training sessions on modern technologies like IPV6 and DNSSec through international organizations like APNIC, ICANN and SANOG

• Forensic investigation of all internal and external IT related issues reported to PTA

• Development of comprehensive IT roadmaps and delivered applications & infrastructure projects for PTA

• Heading IT Security team of PTA

• Implementation and auditing of Information Security Management System (ISMS) ISO 27001 in Pakistan Telecom Authority

• Preparation and implementation of SLAs and Policies like Disaster Recovery, Broadband, e-mail, Internet, security, video conferencing and Laptop policies.

• Management of security policies through firewalls, routers, proxy servers, active directory, VPNs and spam filters

Name: Meikal Mumin

Role: Linguist

Designation: Institute for African Studies and Egyptology, University of Cologne

Relevant experience:

• Member of Arabic Generation Panel

• Member of Task Force on Arabic Script IDNs (TF-AIDN)

• Expertise in Roman/Latin script usage for a number of African languages, as well as a general overview of further scripts used in Africa. Active knowledge of German, English, Italian, and French, and familiarity with the writing traditions of those languages and further languages of Modern Europe. Also some familiarity with languages of the Middle East including Arabic and Persian.

Name: Abdeslam Nasri

Role: ICT Architect, Arabic Generation Panel

Designation: ICT Architect and Project Manager / AtoS

Relevant experience

• 2014 to present: Member of the Arabic GP

• 2014 to present: Member of the Task Force on Arabic IDN (TF-AIDN)

• Expertise in various IT domains like software development, Internet development and multi-tiered architectures, Enterprise architecture. PSPO I and TOGAF certification

• Panellist at the Internet Governance Forum

Name: Nhàn Ngô

Role: Linguist

Designation: Ph.D. Linguistics at Center for Vietnamese Philosophy, Culture & Society,Temple University

Relevant experience

• Expert on Latin-based Vietnamese script in display/rendering, storage and access (search) according to the Vietnam’s General Department of Standards, Metrology and Quality Control.

• First to propose a computer character code for Vietnamese in 1984. It finally came to being in Unicode around 1990 (with two other colleagues). Work on Latin-based Vietnamese: http://www.cs.nyu.edu/~nhan/linguistics.html.

Name: Jean-Jacques Subrenat

Role: Policy Expert

Relevant experience

Currently:

• Member of the NTIA IANA Functions' Stewardship Transition Coordination Group (ICG)

• Member of the NETMundial Coordination Council

• President of the Steering Committee, IndividualUsers.org (elected in October 2015)

Member of the ICANN Board of Directors 2007-10 during which:

• Member of President's Strategy Committee (where he was a co-author of the "Implementation Plan for Improving Institutional Confidence")

• Structural Improvements Committee; Public Participation Committee (as its first Chair)

• Member of Board Working Groups: ALAC Review, Board Review, ccNSO Review (as its Chair)

Name: Mirjana Tasić

Role: Registry / DNS/Unicode Expert / Linguist

Designation: Executive Advisor, RNIDS (Register of National Internet Domain Names of Serbia)

Relevant experience

• 08/2012–12/2012 ICANN IDN variant TLD Program: Project (P2.1) - Procedure to Develop and Maintain the Label Generation Rules for the DNS Root Zone in Respect of IDNA Labels ICANN volunteer

• 03/2009 – present: Executive Advisor at RNIDS (Register of National Internet Domain Names of Serbia). Introduction and implementation of IDN ccTLD Fast Track Process for ccTLD <срб><xn—90a3ac>: string evaluation, domain delegation, sunrise and open registration.

• 07/2006–03/2009 Acting Director of RNIDS (volunteer work) Realization of organizational, political and financial prerequisites for the establishment of RNIDS: RNIDS registration; provision of legal framework for RNIDS operation; organization and establishment of RNIDS office; preparation and implementation of .rs landrush procedures; organization and implementation of the transition process from .yu to .rs domain.

• 04/2006–07/2006 Founder of RNIDS (volunteer work). Organized the RNIDS founding assembly meeting on July 7, 2006.

• 04/1994–09/2008 YU TLD (YU Top Level Domain) Administrator (volunteer work). Managed operation of .yu DNS; Maintained database of .yu domains.

• 1992–1994 Chairwoman, Technical Committee, Academic Network of Yugoslavia. Actively participated in the introduction of internet in Serbia. (volunteer work)

• 1991–10/2010 Administrator of Class B IP address (147.91) assigned to the University of Belgrade, Serbia. (volunteer work)

Name: Vladimir Visnjic

Role: Linguist

Designation: Professor at the Department of Mathematics, Temple University, Philadelphia

Relevant experience

• PhD in Theoretical Physics, University of Bonn, 1979

• Associate Scientist at Fermi National Laboratory, Batavia, IL, 1988-1994

• Professor at the Department of Physics, University of Crete, Greece

• Author of over 40 scientific publications in top Physics Journals

• Fluent in English, German, Serbian, Croatian, Greek. Good working knowledge of French and Russian

Name: Boniface Witaba

Role: Linguist

Designation: Technical / Linguist

Relevant experience

• Expert on Internet governance analysis, monitoring and evaluation of project impacts.

• Programme planning, evaluation and assessment

• Country expertise in Kenya, Tanzania and South Africa

• Swahili (native), English (proficient), Portuguese (beginner)