## UASG – The Conference

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## Ideas:

- A one-day conference to discuss various issues around Universal Acceptance (UA) and Email Address Internationalisation (EAI)
- Purpose
  - To provide a gathering place for practitioners
  - To collectively develop some good practices
  - o To share experiences
  - To provide a platform for media releases
  - To broaden the scope of UASG Participation
- Audience
  - o Developers & Systems Architects
  - CIOs embarking on the journey
  - Commercial Application and Service Providers talking about their experiences the Why, How, What and Result
  - Academic
  - Evangelists
  - UASG Keep morale and activities up
- Content
  - Morning Keynote Address
    - The importance, the experiences, The Approaches
      - Microsoft
      - Apple
      - Google
      - Mozilla
  - o Session 2
    - EAI Workshops
    - UA Workshops
  - o Session 3
    - UA Workshops
    - EAI Workshops
  - o Session 4

- UASG Activity Workshops
  - Community Outreach
- EAI Workshop
- Closing
  - The importance, the experiences, the approaches
    - ICANN IT
    - Thai Gov't
- The Venue



Universal Acceptance

- o Ideally adjacent to some other event of interest to participants
  - Large email conference
  - Large developers conference
  - CIO Conference
  - Unicode or W3C
  - Something outside the ICANN Garden
  - CIO Event
- o North America for the first Ideally Silicon Valley
- Expenses
  - UASG to fund speakers if necessary
  - Up to 25 people @ \$3,000 each = \$25,000
  - Venue costs ~ \$5,000 (~50@\$100 pp)
  - Registration Fee? Probably not
- Other
  - o Have a UASG Coordination Group gathering adjacent
  - Away from an ICANN meeting we're trying to broaden our catchment

