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**Universal Acceptance Steering Group** 

## Help Wanted: EAI Email Provider

Application Deadline: 23:00 UTC 15 February 2018 Send Applications to: don.hollander@icann.org

## The Work

The UASG is looking for an Email provider to host mail in the uasg.tech domain.

Explicitly, the service must:

- provide hosting for <u>@uasg.tech</u> mail addresses, ideally including non-ASCII local part mailboxes
- be able to send to and receive from EAI addresses
- be able to support IMAP and POP3 and SUBMIT with SSL and/or TLS
- provide an anti-spam/anti-virus service
- be able to provide a webmail facility.

We expect about 10 email addresses to be allocated.

## **Background**

Universal Acceptance is a foundational requirement for a truly multilingual Internet, one in which users around the world can navigate entirely in local languages. It is also the key to unlocking the potential of new generic top-level domains (gTLDs) to foster competition, consumer choice and innovation in the domain name industry. To achieve Universal Acceptance, Internet applications and systems must treat all TLDs in a consistent manner, including new gTLDs and internationalized TLDs. Specifically, they must accept, validate, store, process and display all domain names.

The Universal Acceptance Steering Group is a community-based team working to share this vision for the Internet of the future with those who construct this space: coders. The group's primary objective is to help software developers and website owners understand how to update their systems to keep pace with an evolving domain name system (DNS).

## **Next Steps**

Please provide us with:

- A brief statement of interest and why you want to do this work and why we should want you to do this work.
- A rate (in US\$) inclusive of all costs and basis of the rate.
- Full contact details
- Two referees



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Send completed expressions to: <a href="mailto:don.hollander@icann.org">don.hollander@icann.org</a>

If you have any questions, please send those to <a href="mailto:don.hollander@icann.org">don.hollander@icann.org</a>. Please allow 24 hours for answers.

We expect to reach out to a short list of candidates within one week of the closing time.