

ICANN Update

AP* Retreat, 27 Feb 2021

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Key events in APAC 2022

1. APAC DNS Forum

- 30 March to 1 April
- Co-hosted with MYNIC
- Call for session proposals
- Call for sponsorships
- apacdnsforum.my
- 4 March webinar: Future of the DNS



Key events in APAC 2022

2. ICANN75

- 17-22 September
- Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- Hope to see you there!



ICANN73 7-10 March

Overview

ICANN73 will be the third **virtual Community Forum** and will feature

- A **Public Forum**
- An ICANN org **Executive Question and Answer session**
- **Two plenary sessions** selected by the ICANN community
 - Global Public Interest Framework: Is It Useful?
 - Evolving the DNS Abuse Conversation: Compromised vs. Malicious Domains
- The first-ever **Discussion Forum on Geopolitical, Legislative, and Regulatory Developments**
- A **Public Meeting of the ICANN Board**

ICANN community groups will advance **policy and advice work in priority areas**.

There will also be **joint sessions** between ICANN community groups and ICANN Board.



Universal Acceptance of Domain Names

AP* Presentation Session, 27 Feb 2021

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Goal

All domain names and email addresses work in all software applications.

Impact

Promote consumer choice, improve competition, and provide broader access to end users.

⦿ Domain Names:

- **Newer** top-level domain names:
- **Longer** top-level domain names:
- **Internationalized** domain names

example.**sky**

example.**international**

सार्वभौमिक-स्वीकृति-परीक्षण.संगठन

⦿ Internationalized email addresses (EAI):

- ASCII@ASCII (new and long TLD)
- ASCII@IDN
- **Unicode@ASCII**
- **Unicode@IDN**
- **Unicode@IDN**; right to left scripts

ekrem@misal.**istanbul**

marc@**société**.org

测试@example.com

пример@тестовая-зона.рф

ای-میل@مثال.موقع



By the Numbers

1,180

TLD zones



210,811,274

second level domains

34,996,159

unique mail servers

2,537,159

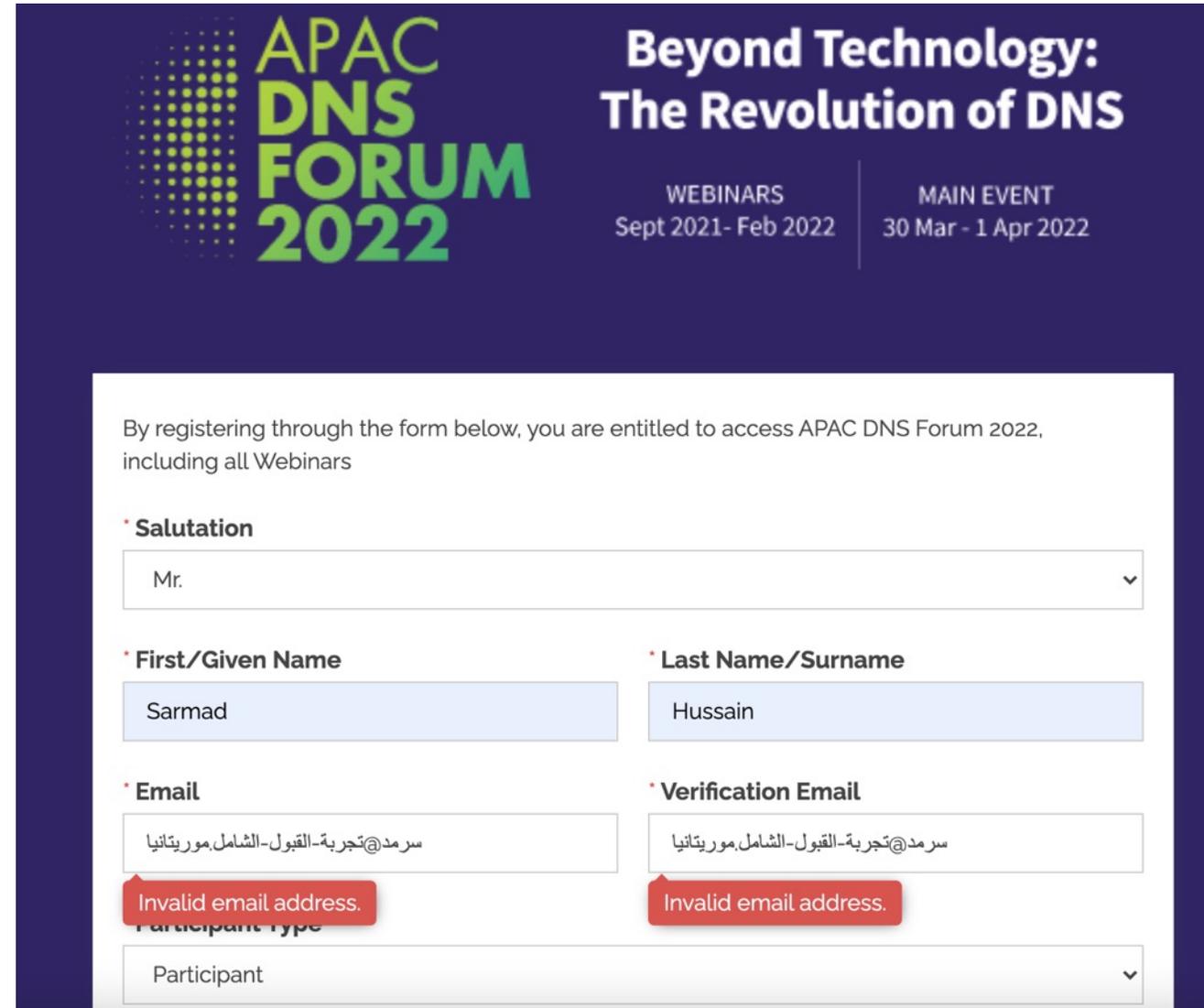
unique IP addresses

Tested IP Addresses



What's needed?

- Need for overall awareness
 - Software application providers
 - Overall government policy
- Training
 - Partnered APTLD
 - Offered by local initiatives



APAC DNS FORUM 2022

Beyond Technology: The Revolution of DNS

WEBINARS
Sept 2021- Feb 2022

MAIN EVENT
30 Mar - 1 Apr 2022

By registering through the form below, you are entitled to access APAC DNS Forum 2022, including all Webinars

* **Salutation**

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* **First/Given Name**

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Participant type

Participant ▼

UA Local Initiatives and Ambassadors

- China
 - India
 - Thailand
 - Commonwealth of Independent States and Eastern Europe (CIS-EE): Armenia, Belarus, Georgia, Latvia, Russia, Serbia, Ukraine
 - *Bangladesh*
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- Funding available to undertake specific activities – based on a proposal document
 - Further details available [here](#). For more information contact info@uasg.tech.

How can we collaborate?

- How to raise awareness in your country?
- How can we get your government on board?
- Can we launch a UA Local Initiative where you are?

Thank you

Discussion / Q&A