



Who is ISOC?

Glenn Ricart, PricewaterhouseCoopers

The Facts

- Non-profit corporation formed in 1992
- Headquartered in Reston and Genève
- Annual turnover USD 5 million (2005)
- Headcount: 15 FTE (2005)
- CEO: Lynn St. Amour



Mission

"To assure the open development, evolution, and use of the Internet for the benefit of all people throughout the world."



Purposes of ISOC

- A.** To facilitate and support the technical evolution of the Internet...
- B.** To educate the scientific community, industry and the public at large concerning the technology, use and application of the Internet
- C.** To promote educational applications of Internet technology for the benefit of government, colleges and universities, industry, and the public at large
- D.** To provide a forum for exploration of new Internet applications, and to stimulate collaboration among organizations in their operational use of the global Internet



Membership

- 19K global members
- New class of professional members
- 88 chapters
- 120 organizational members

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Officers

- **Lynn St. Amour, President and CEO**
- **James Galvin, VP, Chapters / Members (eListX)**
- **Mike Nelson, VP, Public Policy (IBM)**



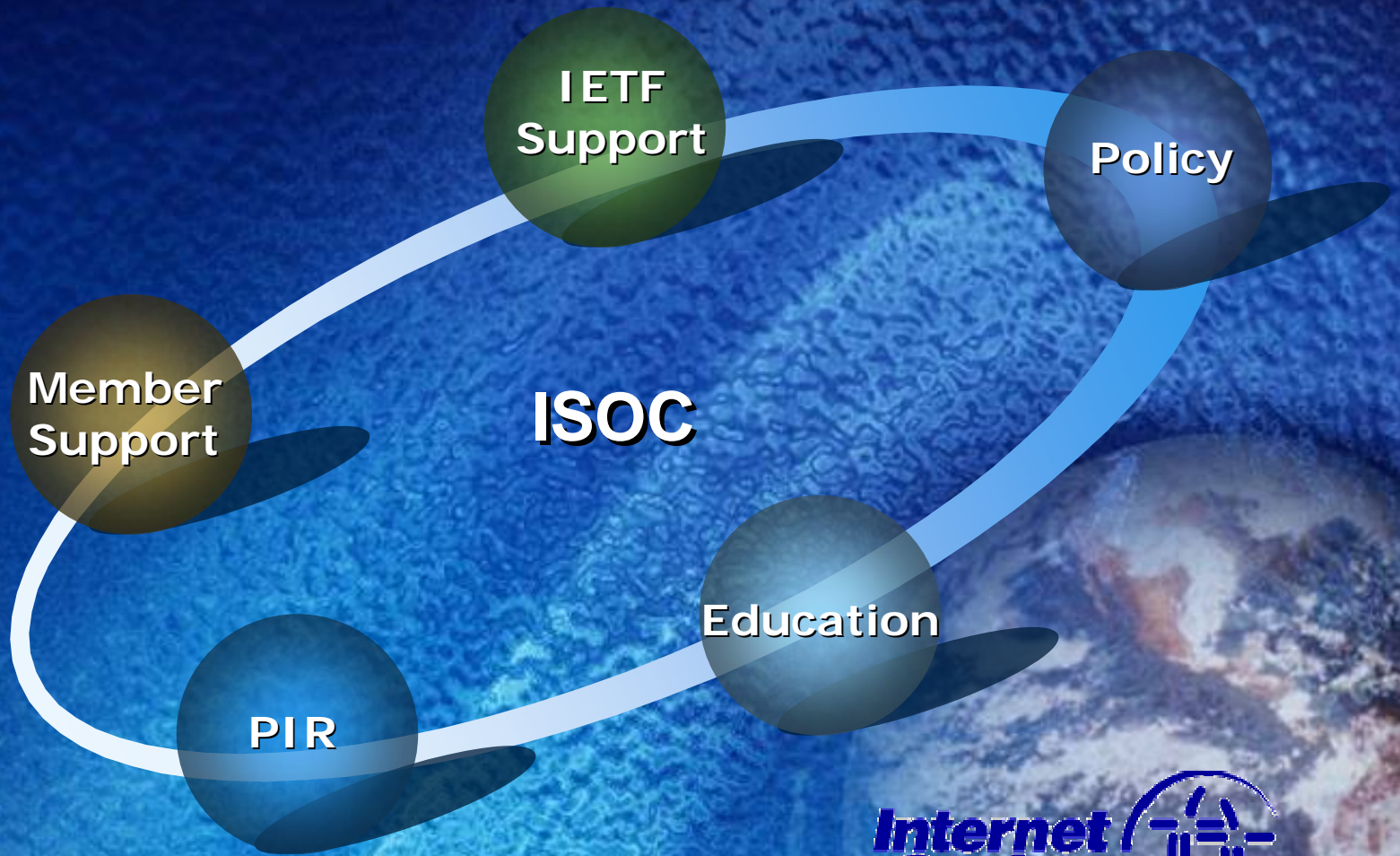
Board

- Fred Baker, Chair, Cisco
- Scott Bradner, Secretary, Harvard
- Glenn Ricart, Treasurer, PricewaterhouseCoopers
- Rosa Delgado, Independent Consultant
- Veni Markovski, ISOC Bulgaria
- Pindar Wong, VeriFi (Hong Kong)
- Erik Huizer, Dutch Broadcasting
- Desiree Miloshevic, Afilias
- Patrick Vande Walle, EU
- Steve Crocker, Shinkuro
- Margaret Wasserman, ThingMagic
- Lynn St. Amour, ex-officio

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Key Activities



IETF Support

- Began at IETF request in 1996
- Organizational home for the IETF
- Nomcom chair appointment process
- Last resort appeals on IETF process
- RFC Editor support
- IETF Chairs discretionary
- Insurance
- Adminrest support



Public Policy

- Policy voice with technical clue
- Inform responsible Internet development
- “Abilities” statement
- Internet collaboration committee
- Accredited to WSIS



Education

- 11 iNET conferences in 9 different countries
 - 500+ attendees from over 60 countries
- 18 Network Training Workshops
 - 4 different languages
 - Workshop resource center
- 10 Network and Distributed System Security Symposium (NDSS)
- New: ccTLD and IDN workshops
- 85 Member briefings and tutorials

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Member and Chapter Services

- Monthly newsletter – 19K recipients
- The Internet Report – daily
- 14 Member surveys
- 5 Discussion groups
- Website
 - History of the Internet
 - Policy and Education Information

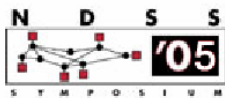


Public Interest Registry

- Board of Directors appointed by ISOC
- Manages 3M .org domain names
- Exemplary registry
- Support growth of the non-profit community on the Internet



Conferences and Events



2-4 February, 2005
San Diego, CA, USA

[Sponsorship Opportunities](#)



[WALC 2004](#)

October 4-8 2004
Cusco, Peru



IETF

[Sixty-First Meeting](#)

7-12 November, 2004
Washington, DC



[World Summit on the Information Society](#)

2003 Geneva
2005 Tunisia

Headlines

- **New!** Briefing paper: [Internationalizing Top-Level Domain Names: Another Look](#)
- [Phill Gross Recognized With the Internet Society's Postel Award](#)
- [Audio presentations of INET tutorials available online](#)
- [ISOC Launches New ccTLD Workshops](#)
- [Member Briefing #17: Why is SCTP needed given TCP and UDP are widely available?](#)



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The New Home of the .ORG Registry

Publications

Authors interested in submitting articles for publication on the Internet Society website should submit them to: briefings@isoc.org. Depending upon content, the articles will appear in the appropriate publications section.

Info Bulletins



Information bulletins on educational initiatives, Internet governance, upcoming conferences, and more.

Member Briefings

Developed with the assistance of ISOC experts from the business, social, academic and technical communities, briefing papers briefly highlight some of the key issues in each topic area and discuss the possible implications for the Internet industry. The Member Briefing Series covers three distinct areas:

- Technical member briefings
- IPv6 member briefings
- Societal member briefings



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Our Priorities

- Support the IETF
- Policy and Education with clue
 - For technical audiences
 - For policy-makers
- Empowering chapters

