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**RE: Congratulations on the Induction into the Internet Hall of Fame**

Lito Ibarra

Dear Lito:

On behalf of the ICANN Board, I extend sincere congratulations on your induction into the 2021 Internet Hall of Fame. It is a high honor and one that is well deserved.

We applaud your many achievements and contributions in service to the Internet and the world at large over the course of your career. Your home country of El Salvador benefited when you pioneered its connection to the Internet; the Latin American region advanced through your leadership on the LACNIC Board, CLARA Board of Directors, and as the first President of LACTLD; and the global Internet through your participation in the ICANN Community, the ICANN Fellowship program, and as one of our colleagues on the ICANN Board of Directors.

It has been an honor and pleasure working with you while serving on the ICANN Board, and we are grateful for your dedication and commitment to ensuring the security, stability, and resiliency of the Internet for the users of the world.

Sincerely,



Maarten Botterman  
Chair, ICANN Board of Directors