

## Help ICANN Shape the Future of the Internet

### You use the Internet . . . so why not help shape how it will grow?

The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) is the non-profit corporation responsible for the unique identifiers of the Internet (the Domain Name System and IP addressing). ICANN, in cooperation with ABRANET (Brazil); CABASE and the Argentina Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Argentina), invites you to a **free event** where you can learn about the fascinating challenges of tomorrow's Internet, including:

- *New Generic Top-Level Domains (New gTLDs)* – Existing TLDs, such as dot-com, dot-org, and dot-net, have served Internet users well for many years. ICANN is planning to launch new gTLDs in the near future. In this new process, more extensions will be created, and with them, potentially a whole new way of using the Internet.
- *Internationalized Domain Names (IDNs)* – will be available at the top level for the first time, enabling new extensions in different scripts such as Arabic, Chinese, Greek, Hindu, and many more. Millions of people around the world will be able to use the Internet's naming system in their own language.
- *Plus .... IPV6 implementation, Cybercrime, Internet Security and other important issues related to New gTLDs.*

#### Where/When

##### São Paulo, Brazil

**24 November 2009**

Hotel Transamerica

Avenida Nações Unidas, 18591 | São Paulo

##### Buenos Aires, Argentina

**27 November 2009**

Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores, Comercio Int. y Culto

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#### Who Should Attend?

Businesses small and large, trademark experts, professional associations, consumer and other civil society groups, members of the domain name industry, government officials, potential applicants for new TLDs, and individuals who want to join the ICANN community.



#### Registration

All events are free of charge, but pre-registration is required.

To register for São Paulo, go to: <http://www.futureoftheinternet.com.br/>

To register for Buenos Aires, go to: <http://www.futureoftheinternet.com.ar/>

Please note that these events will be held in Portuguese and Spanish. Remote participation will be available.

#### More Information

About the Global events: <http://www.icann.org/en/topics/new-gtlds/events-en.htm>

About the New gTLD Program: <http://www.icann.org/en/topics/new-gtld-program.htm>

**We look forward to seeing you!**

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