

The AFRINIC NomCom is pleased to invite nominations for candidates to run for an open seat on the NRO NC (ICANN ASO AC) for the AFRINIC region. The term for the elected candidate will be from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2017 (3 years).

The NRO-NC serves as the ICANN ASO-AC according to the ICANN ASO [MoU](#).

The current representatives from the AFRINIC region on the ICANN ASO-AC are:

1. Fiona Asonga (01/2011 – 12/2013) – **Open Seat**
2. Douglas Onyango (01/2012 – 12/2014)
3. Alan P. Barrett (01/2013 - 12/2013) - Appointed by the AFRINIC Board

1. Responsibilities of the ICANN ASO-AC:

- Undertaking a role in the global policy development process
- Providing recommendations to the Board of ICANN concerning the recognition of new RIRs, according to agreed requirements and policies as currently described in [ICP-2](#).
- Defining procedures for selection of individuals to serve on other ICANN bodies, in particular on the ICANN Board, and implementing any roles assigned to the Address Council in such procedures.
- Providing advice to the Board of ICANN on number resource allocation policy, in conjunction with the RIRs.
- Developing procedures for conducting business in support of their responsibilities, in particular for the appointment of an Address Council Chair and definition of the Chair's responsibilities.

For more information about the NRO-NC and the ASO-AC, please go to:

<http://www.nro.net> and
<http://aso.icann.org/>

2. Eligibility

- Open to individuals residing within the AFRINIC service region
- Self-nominations are permitted and must be supported by a minimum of one active AFRINIC member.
- A person may only nominate one candidate - and, in case of multiple nominations by the

same person, only the last nomination will be considered valid. AFRINIC or other RIR staff can neither nominate candidates nor be nominated for an ASO AC seat.

3. Nominating Procedure:

Nominations must be submitted to the NomCom (nomcom2013@afnic.net) with the following information:

a. Nominator

Full Name:

Organization:

b. Nominee

Full Name:

Organisation (or Affiliation):

Current Position:

Physical address :

E-mail address:

Phone number:

c. Secondment (in case of Self Nominations):

Organisation:

Full Name of Seconder:

E-mail address:

Brief supporting statement (not more than 400 words):

Candidates must provide two valid references who can be contacted by the NomCom for further information and background checks if necessary.

Also required:

- A copy of candidate's Resume (CV)
- A photo of the candidate.

4. Deadline for Nominations:

All nominations should be submitted to nomcom2013@afnic.net by 20:00H UTC on 20 October 2013.

Please note that the election will take place during the AFRINIC-19 meeting scheduled to happen in Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire in November 2013, and an eligible voter shall be any non-AFRINIC staff who has registered to attend (and is present at) the AFRINIC19 meeting. A registration badge shall be requested as proof.

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