



RIPE NCC

RIPE NETWORK COORDINATION CENTRE

Dialogue with the Ukrainian community

In Times of War

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Background



- RIPE is an open community
- RIPE NCC is the secretariat for the RIPE community

How to participate in the RIPE community



- Working Groups (WGs)
 - Mailing lists
- RIPE Meetings and regional meetings
 - Remote event participation
- The RIPE Policy Development Process (PDP)
- And more...
 - RIPE Task Forces (TFs)
 - Birds of a Feather sessions (BoFs)
 - Plenary sessions and the RIPE Programme Committee (PC)

RIPE NCC as an organisation



- The General Meeting - is the forum at which RIPE NCC members can discuss the operations and activities of the RIPE NCC and share their feedback
 - Spring GM - Executive Board elections and the Charging Scheme
 - Autumn GM - Activity Plan and Budget
- The RIPE NCC Survey 2023 - Report
 - 3,899 people completed the survey and shared their input on the RIPE NCC's services and activities
 - 95 (2%) of them are from Ukraine (Poland - 3%, France - 5%, Russia - 11%)
 - In 2019 - 79 respondents from Ukraine

Engagement



- Roundtable in Brussels, Jan 2023
 - A session dedicated to the Internet in Ukraine
 - Head of Fixed Broadband, Ministry of Digital Transformation gave a presentation
- Open House Sessions: Internet in Ukraine
 - March 2023 - Resilience and cybersecurity
 - July 2023 - Transfers and protecting resource holders

Engagement



- Support BCOP Task Force “Best Operational Practices to Survive Natural Disasters or War”
 - Formed at RIPE86
 - Presentation
 - Follow-up at RIPE87, Monday 27 Nov
- The Resilience of the Internet in Ukraine - two articles analysing factors that contributed to the resilience of the country's Internet
 - 10 March 2022
 - 14 Apr 2023

RIPE Meetings



- You can still register for RIPE 87
 - Online participation is free of charge
 - Join the local hub Adamant - full list is available here
- First RIPE meeting?
 - RIPE 87 Intro Session (online) Tuesday, 21 Nov, 16:00 to 17:00 (CET/UTC+1)
 - Newcomers' Introduction (lifestream) Monday, 27 Nov, 11:30 to 12:30 (CET/UTC+1)
 - Mentoring Programme (for on site participants)

Protection of Ukrainian Resource Holders



- Protecting resource holders - reviewing the options
 - <https://labs.ripe.net/author/athina/protecting-resource-holders-in-distressed-areas/>
- RIPE 85, Belgrade
 - There was both support for and opposition to putting all transfers on hold
 - There is a need for a mandate from the RIPE community, ideally through a policy proposal

Protection of Ukrainian resource holders



- Resolution EB#163-R-02 from 14 December 2022 is extended
 - The EB resolved to allowing members and End Users (represented by their sponsoring LIRs) to request the prevention of their resources from being transferred until RIPE Policy Proposal 2023-03 completes the Policy Development Process
 - The RIPE NCC Executive Board will review this resolution in six months and anticipates the RIPE community will develop a RIPE policy for a permanent solution in the meantime
- Transfer Voluntary Lock 2023-03 Policy - consensus reached
- How to Protect Your Resources in the Registry
 - Presentation from the Open House

Country code change



- Fulfilling Our Mandate in Wartime
 - Examining changes from country code UA to country code RU in the period from 24 February 2022 to 16 May 2023
 - Presented at the Open house in July 2023
- Background Country codes in the RIPE DB:
 - Article Country codes in the RIPE Database - operational purpose
 - [db-wg] NWI-10 Definition of Country “A new attribute should be added to the ORGANISATION object, which contains a country code that refers to where the resource holder is legally based. The RIPE NCC would be responsible for this field and would only make updates to this field after being provided with documentation that proves the resources holder is legally-based in another country”
- Database Working Group is a place to discuss this issue



Questions



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