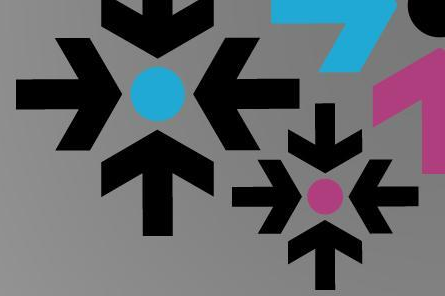


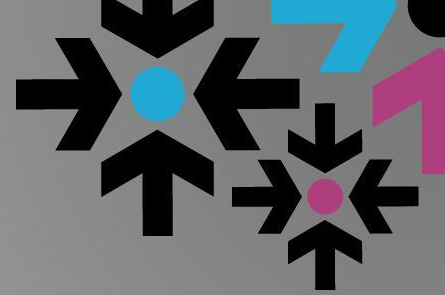


Government Affairs Department Report

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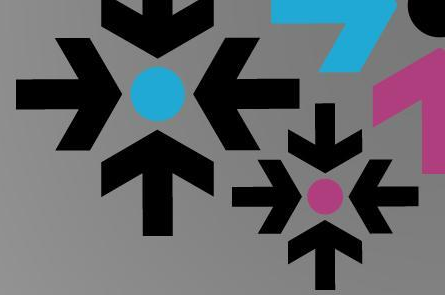
The Government Affairs Department

Einar Bohlin - VP Government Affairs

Leslie Nobile - Senior Director, Trust and Public Safety

Bevil Wooding - Director of Caribbean Affairs

All the best success to Anne-Rachel Inne in her new role!



Areas of Focus

Protect the multi-stakeholder approach to Internet technical coordination and the Internet number registry system

- Improve accuracy and trust in the Internet number registry system
- Engage with governments to support their needs and keep them informed of the perspective of the Internet numbers community

Increase our outreach and support to our members in the Caribbean

- To support the strengthening and resiliency of Internet infrastructure in the Caribbean
- To have strong government relations engagement with all applicable territories
- To have ARIN services well-known to the Caribbean Internet community



Caribbean Affairs

Strengthening engagement with governments and Internet industry groups, promoting participation in the ARIN policy development process, and supporting the strengthening and resiliency of the Internet infrastructure.

Recent engagement has included:

ARIN/CTU Caribbean Internet Public Policy Forum (May 2021)

CaribNOG21 - ARIN/CaribNOG Technical Community Forum (May 2021)

CarPIF 7 - Caribbean Peering & Interconnection Forum (July 2021)

CANTO 2021 (July)

4th Caribbean Public Safety Forum hosted by ARIN & LACNIC (September 2021)

OECS Strategic Development Movement Symposium (September 2021)

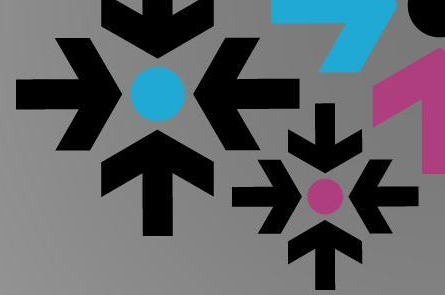
CTU ICT Week 2021 (September)

CaribNOG 22 - ARIN/CaribNOG Technical Community Forum (October 2021)

Upcoming events:

ARIN/Caribbean Agency for Justice Solutions - Justice Sector Forum for Judicial Officers and Legal Professionals

Themes: Digital Transformation; security and resiliency; capacity building initiatives



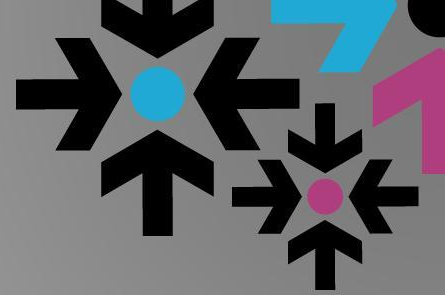
10%

The share of the US GDP which was accounted for by the Internet in 2018 (about 2.1 trillion dollars).⁽¹⁾

Annual growth of peak traffic 2016-2019 was 30%. With Covid/2020, 47%.⁽²⁾

1: <https://internetassociation.org/publications/measuring-us-internet-sector-2019/>

2: <https://datacentrereview.com/2021/02/how-much-did-the-internet-actually-grow-2020/>



Law Enforcement & Public Safety

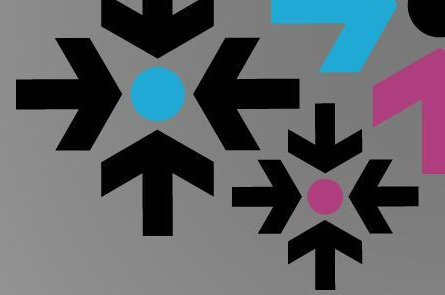
Improving accuracy and trust in the Internet number registry system.

Recent engagement activities:

- M3AAWG - The Messaging, Malware and Mobile Anti-Abuse Working Group is an international information technology industry forum that works to reduce the threat from bots, malware, spam, viruses, DoS attacks and other online exploitations. Names and Numbers Committee.
- NWC3 – National White Collar Crime Commission.
- Europol and Interpol

Upcoming: GAD Keynote and Panel at ARIN 48 on 4 November “Cybersecurity and the Internet”

Themes: Data governance (privacy, accuracy, access), critical infrastructure, anti-abuse, cybercrime and cybersecurity.



International Internet Regulation

Engaging with governments to support their needs and keep them informed of the perspective of the Internet numbers community.

Engagement with governments at CITEEL/ITU on the topics of:

- Meaningfully connect the unconnected
- NewIP
- STIR/SHAKEN

Monitoring:

UN General Assembly – developing a cyber treaty (responsible state behavior in cyberspace)

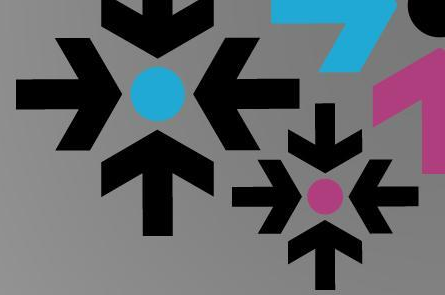
UNODC (Office of Drugs and Crime) – developing a cybercrime treaty

EU's GDPR, NIS1 and proposed NIS2 (Network and Information Security directive)

US Congress: proposed laws for cyber-incident reporting, and, at this time data privacy is being left to the states

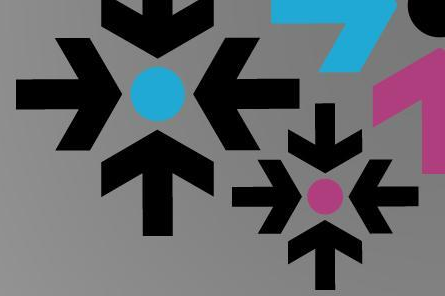
Canada: proposed copyright law, PIPEDA

Themes: Critical infrastructure laws and regulation, data governance (sovereignty, privacy, cross-border flows), digital transformation, cyber security.



A view to 2022

- Strengthen relationships with all governments in the ARIN service region.
- Focus government affairs resources on international activities that best serve the interests of governments in our service region.
- Apply the engagement model successfully used for Caribbean outreach to engage and inform all governments in the ARIN service region.
- Increase monitoring of Internet-impacting legislation, regulation and policy developments in Canada, the Caribbean, the US, and other regions of the world.



The GAD team is strengthening relationships with governments and Internet industry organizations to make sure ARIN community interests are understood and taken into consideration.

Thank you!

Any

Questions?

