

New RNIDS Statute adopted



A regular session of RNIDS Conference of Co-Founders was held in Belgrade on **May 26**. The minutes from the previous extraordinary session of the Conference held on March 24, as well as the Financial Report, the Independent Auditor Report for 2011, the Report on the Activities of the Board of Governors from May 2011 to May 2012, the Report on Activities of the President for 2011, and the new Statute of RNIDS Foundation were adopted during this session.

The **Working Group for Statutory Matters** was formed upon the decision of RNIDS Board of Governors on January 31, 2012. Its members were: Ms. Nataša Radović, Mr. Dragomir Vasiljević, Mr. Vojislav Rodić, Mr. Slobodan Marković, Ms. Irena Bulat, and Mr. Danko Jevtović. The Working Group was charged with the creation, in cooperation with the RNIDS Office and a consultant from KPMG, of the Draft Statute and the corresponding documents related to managing of RNIDS, based on principles of corporative management adapted to non-profit and non-governmental organisations.

The new RNIDS Statute contains:

- Introduction of internal control
- Ensuring the full implementation of changes to the legal acts
- More efficient prevention of conflicts of interest
- Clear division of jurisdiction between different bodies
- Maximal transparency of activities
- Stricter criteria for the election of members of the Board of Governors and the President of RNIDS

The Statutory Committee, along with an internal auditor, is introduced as a new RNIDS body.

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www.rnids.rs/data/DOKUMENTI/Opsti%20akti/statut-26-5-2012.pdf

Sixth anniversary of the creation of RNIDS

The Founding Assembly of RNIDS was held on **July 8, 2006**. A total of 34 representatives of companies, organizations and institutions from the field of telecommunications, state administration, higher education and non-governmental sector accepted the invitation of the Organizational Board and the Ministry of Science. The RNIDS Statute was adopted, and the Board of Governors consisting of seven members was elected at the Assembly session.

The Agreement on the Establishment of the RNIDS Fund was signed by 17 founders on **December 18, 2006**. RNIDS was registered as a Fund on **February 12, 2007** at the Ministry of Culture, when it officially started to function.

Annual Report



By publishing its first edition of the Annual Report, RNIDS has opened the door to transparency of its operations, and started implementing the best practice of European national Internet registries.

The 2011 Annual Report includes information on country code top-level domains .RS and .CPB, as well as detailed statistics related to the .RS domain. It also includes the full organizational structure of the Foundation (the Conference of Co-Founders, the Board of

Governors, the President and the Office), along with a list of authorized registries. A special section is dedicated to the activities of RNIDS departments in 2011, and extra attention given to the Serbian Internet Domain Day (DIDS), the Competition for the Program of Support to Internet Popularization Projects and events held at the Home of Serbian Internet Domains. It also contains information on the results of its operations in 2011, an overview of key subjects dealing with Internet management in Serbia, as well as a glossary.

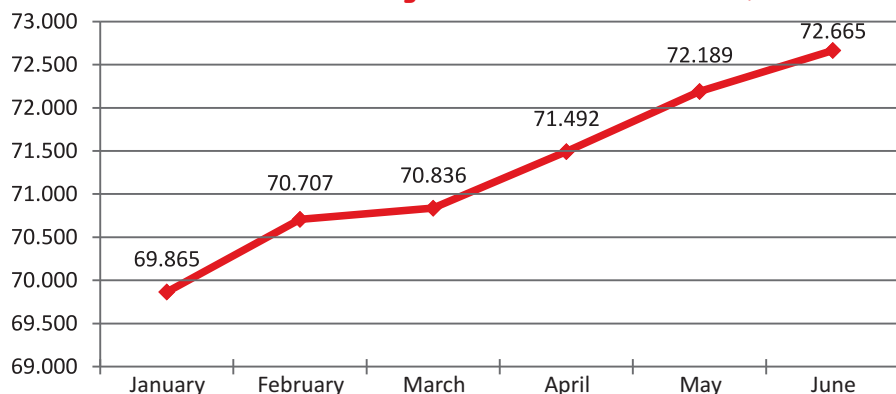
The publication has 24 pages and is illustrated with photos from events organized by RNIDS and visual solutions from RNIDS promotional campaigns conducted in 2011. The Annual Report for 2011 is available in both Serbian and English.

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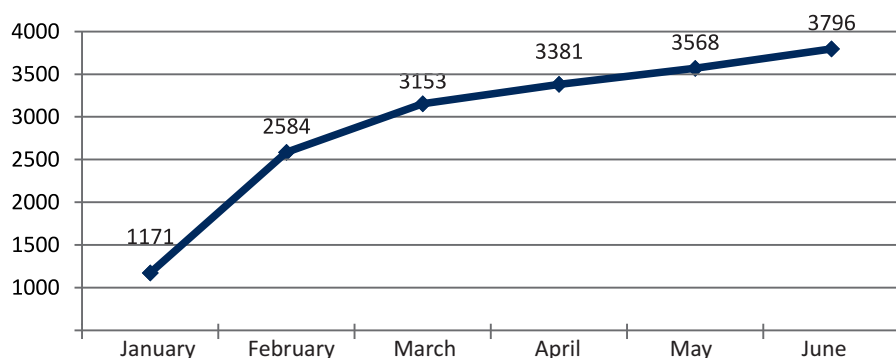
www.rnids.rs/data/publikacije/RNIDS-AnnualReport2011.pdf

Domain statistics

Increase in the number of registered .RS domain names, Jan-Jun 2012



Increase in the number of registered .CPB domain names, Jan-June 2012



DNSSEC Workshop



RNIDS organized a two-day DNSSEC implementation workshop on May 16 and 17 at hotel 'Moskva' in Belgrade, with Mr. Patrik Wallström and Mr. Rickard Bellgrim from the Swedish National Registry as lecturers.

The workshop gathered approximately thirty participants whose tasks include installation and maintenance of DNS servers. DNS is considered one of the pillars the Internet is built on; therefore, the security and accuracy of data provided by DNS is critical for the survival of the Internet as an orderly space.

DNSSEC (Domain Name System Security Extensions) is a set of extensions for DNS servers that serve to increase the security of DNS service users by allowing them to cryptographically sign responses of DNS servers using the public key. This way, their authenticity can be checked. Signing of entire zones on DNS servers establishes confidence, first and foremost among the various DNS servers that exchange information, and then with the end user who receives accurate and unchanged information about the location of a particular server.

Malicious activities of modifying the content of a DNS cache on DNS servers by entering false, altered IP addresses of particular servers into the cache are well known. If, for example, the user should search for a website www.some-bank.rs, instead of the correct IP address he/she will get the one that the attacker has entered into the DNS cache, directing the user to a wrong website where he/she could be required to provide their confidential information. DNSSEC prevents precisely this type of problems. RNIDS is planning to introduce DNSSEC for the local .RS and .CPB Internet domain space and, in doing so, join European registries that have already enabled this to their users.

About RNIDS

The Register of National Internet Domain Names of Serbia

(abbreviated: RNIDS) is an expert, non-governmental and non-profit foundation established to manage the .RS and .CPB country code domains in a way that serves the general interests of all the citizens of Serbia while adhering to the principles of quality, efficiency, independence and transparency.

RNIDS has **57 co-founders** and **36 authorized registrars**. Approximately **73,000 .RS domain names** and about **3,800 .CPB domain names** are currently registered in 14 domain name spaces.



Registrars of .RS and .CPB domains across Serbia:

- AbsolutOK (Belgrade) - www.absolutok.rs
- Akton (Belgrade) - www.akton.rs
- AVcom (Belgrade) - www.bvcom.net
- Banker Интернет (Niš) - www.banker.rs
- Beocity (Belgrade) - www.beocity.rs
- BeoNET (Belgrade) - www.beonet.rs
- BeoTelNet-ISP (Belgrade) - www.beotel.rs
- BeoTelNet-Carrier (Belgrade) - www.beotel.rs
- BG Svetionik (Belgrade) - www.bgsvetionik.rs
- Verat (Belgrade) - www.verat-hosting.rs
- VTkom (Belgrade) - www.panline.rs
- Gama Electronics (Belgrade) - www.bits.rs
- Dream Technologies Group (Belgrade) - www.dtg.rs
- EUnet (Belgrade) - www.eunet.rs
- Exe Net Advertising (Niš) - www.exehosting.rs
- Informatika (Belgrade) - www.infosky.rs
- JP PTT Srbija (Belgrade) - www.ptt.rs
- Loopia (Niš) - www.loopia.rs
- Madnet (Pančevo) - www.madnet.rs
- Medianis (Niš) - www.medianis.rs
- Mobius (Bački Petrovac) - www.webcentar.rs
- NiNet Company (Niš) - www.ninet.rs
- NordNet (Subotica) - www.nordnethosting.rs
- Otion Telekom (Belgrade) - www.orientelekom.rs
- Panet (Pančevo) - www.panet.rs
- Plus hosting (Novi Sad) - www.plushosting.rs
- SBB (Belgrade) - <http://hosting.sbb.rs>
- Sinet (Belgrade) - www.sinet.rs
- StanCo (Petrovac) - www.istanco.rs
- Telekom Srbija (Belgrade) - www.telekom.rs
- TippNet (Subotica) - www.tippnet.rs
- HostingMania (Belgrade) - www.hostingmania.rs
- Cloud Telecommunications (Bgd) - www.cloudserbia.com
- Complu Visual Communication (Bgd) - www.complus.rs
- Connect (Novi Pazar) - www.connect.rs
- CRI Domains (Belgrade) - www.cridomains.rs

Open registration of .CPB domain

The open registration of .CPB domain names will begin on **August 1, 2012**. All users will be eligible to register .CPB domain names, regardless of whether they already have a registered .RS domain name or not. The open registration will be conducted according to the first-come, first-served principle. This means that if two or more requests for registering the same .CPB domain name should be received, only the request that was submitted first will be accepted.

After the open registration period begins, all unused reservations of .CPB domain names will be deleted (except those used for State purposes), rendering them also available for registration. The annual fee for registering the .CPB domain name will be 500 RSD, while the price of the domain name within a sub-domain (.ПР.СРБ, .ОРГ.СРБ, .ОБР.СРБ and .ОД.СРБ) will be 250 RSD. These prices are not applicable to end users of the .CPB domain but represent amounts that RNIDS charges to authorized registrars.

Legal and physical entities will be able to register .CPB domain names within the following **domain name spaces** regardless of whether they are from Serbia or abroad:

- .СРБ - for all interested users
- .ПР.СРБ - for business users
- .ОРГ.СРБ - for non-profit organizations
- .ОБР.СРБ - for educational institutions
- .ОД.СРБ - for citizens

Users of the .RS domain name who fail to register some of offered .CPB domain names at a promotional price will have the ability to select and register some other currently available .CPB domain name until **November 1, 2012**, at the promotional price. For instance, the user of happyface.rs will be able to register хепифејс.срб, if that specific domain name is still available. However, if this should be done within the period of three months from August 1, they will get the domain name at the promotional price, along with their existing happyface.rs domain name. All the other users who, after August 1, do not have "unpaired" .RS domain names, will be able to register any .CPB domain name whenever they might wish, at the regular price.

The management of the AK.CPB domain name space has been entrusted to the **Academic Network of Serbia**, and УПР.СРБ to the **Administration for Joint Services of the Republic Bodies**.

The Cyrillic Internet domain .CPB is a new, second country code top-level domain of the Republic of Serbia, which means that it will be used in the future along with the existing .RS national domain. The key advantage of the .CPB domain is the fact that it is the only Internet domain in the world that enables website URLs to be written exactly as they are pronounced.

Please find detailed information at њњњ.срб (or njnjin.rs).

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по принципу "ко се први пријави". Без додатних правила и ограничења, свако ће моћи слободно да региструје било који назив .СРБ домена. Можда баш и онај који је на Интернету пресудан за ваш бизнис.

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Искористите предност .СРБ домена и испишите на Интернету називе својих брендова управо онако како се изговарају. .СРБ домен је по томе **јединствен у свету**.

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International activities

CENTR Workshop Jamboree



The CENTR Workshop Jamboree – a joint convention covering all the fields of CENTR (Council of European National Top Level Domain Registries) – was held on **June 4–7, 2012 in Frankfurt (am Main)**, Germany. The convention was hosted by the German National Internet Registry, DENIC. Representatives of RNIDS participated in workshops from all the fields.

The **26th CENTR Technical Workshop** with DNSSEC implementation as the main topic was held on 4 June. Representatives of German, French and Japanese registries held their presentations during this workshop, followed by the Joint Technical and Research & Government Workshop. For more information, please visit: www.centr.org/Tech26

The most important topics covered during the **8th CENTR Marketing Workshop** held on June 5 were the price policy for the registering of domain names, introduction of DNSSEC, and social activities of national Internet registries directed towards the community. The introduction of new gTLDs was also discussed. For more information, please visit: www.centr.org/Market8

The **4th CENTR Research & Development Workshop** took place the same day. All the presentations that were a part of this workshop were dedicated to the measuring of DNS performances and to the presentation of DNS monitoring platforms. Registries from France, Austria, Italy, the Czech Republic and Sweden presented their instruments and experiences, followed by the Joint Marketing and Research & Development Workshop. For more information, please visit www.centr.org/RD4

Within the **26th Administrative Workshop** that took place on June 6, RNIDS representatives spoke about the beginning of the open registration of the .CPB domain, adoption of the new Statute and systemic procurements within the RNIDS. For more information, please visit www.centr.org/Admin26

The **1st Security Workshop** was held on June 6 as well. "Social Engineering & Phishing", held by Mr Walter Belgers, and "Malware free Switzerland", held by Mr Michael Hausding, were among the most interesting presentations. For more information, please visit www.centr.org/Secur1

The introductory presentation at the **37th CENTR Legal and Regulatory Workshop** held on June 7 was reserved for DENIC, the host of the convention. The organizational structure of the German registry is quite specific in comparison to the majority of other registries, as it includes solely authorized registrars. For more information, please visit www.centr.org/Legal38

MORE INFORMATION: www.centr.org/jamboree2012

44th ICANN Meeting



The 44th ICANN Meeting was held in **Prague** on **June 24–29**. The RNIDS delegation took part in the conference. It was generally concluded that the previous ICANN Management was extremely unsuccessful.

The newly appointed President, Mr. Fadi Chehadé, is expected to insist yet again on professionalism, transparency of activities, and the protection of general interest in ICANN. Success has been achieved in relation to the general rules for gTLD registration, while the entire procedure of introducing the new gTLDs was assessed negatively.

During the **ccNSO Tech day**, DNSSEC Program Manager in ICANN, Mr. Richard Lamb, PhD, presented an interesting technical solution that could replace costly HSM devices for the creation and storage of DNSSEC keys.

The last set of IPv4/8 addresses was assigned in February 2011; therefore, further Internet development will depend on **fast IPv6 implementation** in all regions. Mr. Geoff Huston from APNIC held a highly inspiring presentation on the near future of the Internet, i.e. the end of IPv4 and the need for an immediate shift to IPv6, primarily because of the increase in the number of mobile Internet devices.

Several lectures and workshops were dedicated to the practice related to **IDN** implementation - internationalised domain names (such as our .CPB domain). The presentation of Korea with 220,000 currently registered domain names was among the most noticeable ones.

The **Internet Society** pointed to a problem with WCIT (World Conference on International Telecommunications), placing the accent on the threat that countries might take control of the Internet, entrust management to carriers, and fragment the Internet (www.internetsociety.org/wcit).

Representatives of the RNIDS conducted a series of **bilateral meetings**. They spoke to officials from the Austrian registry NicAT about the domain registration software, its functional characteristics, and the possibility of gaining access to the demo application. VerySign presented its possibilities in the field of DNS services, DNS safety, and DNS traffic, as well as anycast services, also showing interest in the public competition for the procurement of the secondary DNS service of RNIDS. As agreed, the Austrian ARI Registry Services will provide RNIDS with access for the testing of the domain registration application and the system functionalities.

MORE INFORMATION: <http://prague44.icann.org>

New employees

New members of RNIDS Office team:

- Mr. **Žarko Kecić**, Executive Manager for ICT Services
- Mr. **Aleksandar Popović**, Chief Financial Officer
- Mr. **Stefan Kovač**, Domain Registration Coordinator
- Mr. **Aleksandar Kostadinović**, System Administrator