

Hi everyone,

We have a different call for travel support this time.

While we are ascertaining the details of this course, we already need to issue the call for NCUC supported travellers - our NCUC "Fellowship".

This time we are proposing 3 mentees attend this event.

Traditionally NCUC has a budget for 2 attendees (1 mentor and 1 mentee) as you can see on our travel policy (<https://www.ncuc.org/get-involved/travel-policy/>) .

This is an unique opportunity for 3 mentees to attend and be engaged in NCUC.

Note that, a day before the meeting (9Mar) an experienced professional in policy writing will train NCUC mentees in a course with practical activities. This course will also be accompanied by at least one previous webinar and may have a follow-up webinar after the meeting.

You'll have mentorship from our community members and from our Policy Course.

The next meeting is in Puerto Rico - USA, and we ask you to be ready to be mindful of visa requirements and prepare all your documentation to attend.

We will also note that your arrival date should be before the beginning of business day 9 March and your departure after the closing of business day 15 March.

NCUC offers a budget of 2000 USD maximum per traveller. Funds will be reimbursed to you upon conclusion of your trip and delivery of a report (which may be published as a blog post) and relevant receipts.

Consider the following points in your statement.

1. Why do you want to attend the Annual General Meeting? Which Working groups or policy discussions you have been involved with and would like to be involved further. If you have not been involved in policy discussions, which policy discussion(s) do you want to get involved with?
2. How much support do you need? Indicate airfare, hotel, visa expenses (Remember that we want to support as many mentees as possible, so the less you ask for the more likely you are to receive funding - of course, it also depends on your motivation letter- and we don't offer per diem.)
3. Make it clear that you will spend time and effort and work with a Buddy/Mentor before, during and after the AGM and will stay engaged or that you will volunteer to mentor NCUC mentees.

Please note that if you do not get engaged satisfactorily with NCUC and ICANN policymaking, your fellowship might be revoked.

Names of successful applicants would be posted in [date to be announced]

Please send in your application to

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Until Dec 13th.

Applications will be analysed by our Executive Committee and successful candidates will be announced 14 business days after this call or as soon as EC concludes deliberation.

Thank you