






APTLD Board Elections 2011


List of Nominees (in alphabetical order by ccTLD)

	<p><u>Fahd A. Batayneh / .jo</u></p> <p>Organisation: National IT Center (.jo/.alordon ccTLD/IDN ccTLD)</p> <p>Business Title: Names and Numbers Specialist</p> <p>Address: House # 35, Tameem Bin Bisher Street, Abu Nsair, Amman, Jordan</p> <p>Email: fahd.batayneh@nitc.gov.jo</p> <p>Phone: 962.77.9472204</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>Mr. Batayneh is a Systems Engineer at the Internet Management and Domain Names Division, a passionate specialist on Names and Numbers, and a contributor to the Arab IGF process. Mr. Batayneh is Jordan's representative to ICANN's Country Code Name Supporting Organization (ccNSO), and is an active member in various working groups within ICANN. He has been working with the Names and Numbers industry since January 2009. Mr. Batayneh has been with NITC since July 2007.</p>
	<p><u>Yumi Ohashi / .jp</u></p> <p>Organisation: Japan Registry Services Co., Ltd. (JPRS)</p> <p>Business Title: International & Government Relations Manager</p> <p>Address: Chiyoda First Bldg. East 13F, 3-8-1 Nishi-Kanda Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-0065, Japan</p> <p>Email: yumi@jprs.co.jp</p> <p>Phone: +81-3-5215-8451</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>International & Government Relations Manager, JPRS (Japan Registry Services Co., Ltd). Received MA for Foreign Studies from Sophia University Graduate School, Tokyo, in 1997. Currently the Board member of APTLD.</p> <p>Yumi Ohashi had been the liaison in the international affairs field in</p>

	<p>JPNIC since 1997. Since after she moved to JPRS in 2001, she has taken advantage of her experience and served in developing the framework for managing .jp top-level domain through consultation among relevant entities including ICANN, the government and JPNIC, which resulted in formalization of the framework in the "ccTLD Sponsorship Agreement (.jp)" signed between JPRS and ICANN.</p> <p>In addition, she has been actively participated in making policies for the domain name administration.</p> <p>Yumi hopes to contribute further to development of the ccTLD communities in the AP region by consolidating APTLD to become the stronger forum for regional collaboration.</p>
	<p><u>Gihan Dias / .lk</u></p> <p>Organisation: LK Domain Registry</p> <p>Business Title: Domain Registrar and CEO</p> <p>Address: 545/4 de Soysa Rd, Molpe, Moratuwa 10400, Sri Lanka</p> <p>Email: gihan@nic.lk</p> <p>Phone: +94-777-761626</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>Professor Dias graduated from the University of Moratuwa in 1985. He was awarded a doctorate in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from the University of California in 1992.</p> <p>He has served as the Domain Registrar of the LK Domain Registry since its inception in 1990. In addition he is a professor in the Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering, University of Moratuwa.</p> <p>Prof. Dias has been instrumental in setting up and running the academic Internet in Sri Lanka (LEARN) for over 10 years, and also has assisted a number of Internet service providers in setting up their networks. He is also active in Internet Governance. He has consulted for several universities, government, and private sector organisations in the areas of networking, software, information systems, and security. He serves on many national and international committees and working groups.</p> <p>He was a founder Programme Director of the Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA), provided leadership to the local-language computing initiative in Sri Lanka, and was responsible for the successful standardisation of Sinhala and Tamil script encoding and keyboard. He was the Chairman of the Sri</p>

	<p>Lanka National IDN Task Force.</p> <p>He also set up Sri Lanka's first and leading Computer Emergency Readiness Team - TechCERT and is the chief scientific advisor to that organisation.</p> <p>He has successfully led the LK Domain Registry from its inception in 1990 to its current status as an independent multi-stakeholder-led entity. Some of the recent innovations he instigated at the LK Domain are internationalised domain names (IDNs), DNSSEC and the Most Favourite Sri Lankan Website competition.</p> <p>Prof. Dias has been active in APTLD activities since even before its incorporation, and has worked closely with APTLD for many years. He is a well-known personality in the Asia Pacific region Internet, and participates in many AP* events and activities.</p>
	<p><u>Keith Davidson / .nz</u></p> <p>Organisation: InternetNZ</p> <p>Business Title: International Relations Director</p> <p>Address: 9 St Elizabeth Heights, Normandale, Lower Hutt, New Zealand</p> <p>Email: keith@internetnz.net.nz</p> <p>Phone: home +64 4 5866053, mobile +64 21 377587</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>Keith has a long career in the media in various management and ownership roles in newspapers, radio stations and an ISP. He has a long history of involvement in the Internet, and was President of InternetNZ (the .nz ccTLD) from 2001 to 2005, then as Executive Director of that organisation from 2005 until 2009, since then contracted to manage InternetNZ's key international relationships.</p> <p>Currently he serves APTLD as the Chairman, and is seeking a further term in this role. The following are some of Keith's other current roles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Co-chair of the Advisory Council of ISOC * Member of ISOC Working Group on Copyright * Chair of the ccNSO Working Group on Delegations & Redelegations of ccTLDs within ICANN * Committee member of the ccNSO Finance Working Group in ICANN * Co-chair of the GAC ccNSO Liaison Group in ICANN * Organiser of the Pacific IGF scheduled for April 2011 * InternetNZ representative for ISOC, APNIC, APNG and APIA

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Trustee of the Liz Dengate Thrush Foundation * Member of the NZ IPv6 Task Force <p>Keith has just completed his first year as APTLD Chair, after terms as Vice Chairman and Director. His vision for APTLD is continuing expansion of the membership base, and continuing development of workstreams and projects that encourage and enhance member participation, and add value to TLD operations in the region.</p>
	<p><u>Lim Choon Sai / .sg</u></p> <p>Organisation: Singapore Network Information Centre (SGNIC) Pte Ltd</p> <p>Business Title: General Manager</p> <p>Address: 22 St. Nicholas View, S (567985), Singapore</p> <p>Email: lim_choon_sai@ida.gov.sg</p> <p>Phone: +65 9 66 88 670 or +65 6211 1833</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>Mr Lim Choon Sai was appointed as a Director (Internet Resource Management) in the Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (IDA) in February 2009. Prior to this, he looked after several key areas in telecommunications, including spectrum planning and coordination; network numbering management; network standards and terminal equipment management.</p> <p>Since 2001, Mr Lim has also been appointed the General Manager of the Singapore Network Information Centre (SGNIC) Pte. Ltd, the country-code Top Level Domain (ccTLD) manager for ".sg" names and a fully-owned subsidiary of IDA. Over the years, he led to implement a number of projects and initiatives that have contributed to the vibrancy and increase of .sg domain names, such as the online one-stop free registrations of .sg names for SME for 3 years, Numeric Domain Names (NDN), Single Character Domain Names (SCDN), Chinese Domain Names (CDN) at 2nd level. As at 31 Dec 2010, .sg has a total of 124,000 names. Mr Lim is currently a Board Director of DotAsia.</p> <p>Mr Lim has a Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical/Electronic) Degree from the University of Singapore and an MBA from the Brunel University (UK).</p> <p>In seeking to join APTLD management board, Mr Lim hopes to be able to contribute to APTLD in its role to represent the voices of ccTLDs in the Asia-Pacific in the ICANN process. He also hopes to have the</p>

	<p>opportunities to share with fellow ccTLDs their experience in working with the regulator and government agencies to jointly promoting ccTLD domain names, as well as in building up a registry while maintaining the spirit and characteristics of a ccTLD.</p>
	<p><u>Anthony Lee / .tw</u></p> <p>Organisation: Taiwan Network Information Center</p> <p>Business Title: Director, Department of International Affairs & Public Relations</p> <p>Address: 4F-2, No. 9, Roosevelt Rd., Sec. 2, Taipei 100, Taiwan</p> <p>Email: anthony@twnic.net.tw</p> <p>Phone: +886 2-23411313 ext. 700</p> <p>Profile:</p> <p>I have worked for Taiwan Network Information Center (TWNIC) for 8 years as the Director of Domain Name Services Department, taking responsibilities for .tw domain name registration management, registrar accreditation and relations, and domain name application training courses. In 2010, my position was transferred to the Director of Department of International Affairs & Public Relations responsible for TWNIC's public communications and international cooperations. I was also elected as a board member of ISOC-Taiwan Chapter in 2002 and invited by ISOC as a Committee of Individual Membership in 2003. I rebuilt the ISOC-Taiwan Chapter and invited Internet users in Taiwan to participate related Internet matters that represents the spirit of the Internet. I also served APTLD Secretariat in 2002-2003 and was the Chairman of the APNG Camp and the Steering Committee of APNG.</p> <p>I expanded .tw registration channels both in Taiwan and overseas in order to provide a worldwide .tw domain name registration services. I also took responsibility for the launch of Chinese second level domain name registration following IDN standard in 2003 and the English second level domain name registration launched in 2005. I also conducted the marketing research on .tw domain name registration to explore the registrant's demographics and registration behavior for .tw registrars for further marketing and service reference in 2004 and 2005. It is a very important milestone for TWNIC to apply successfully the IDN ccTLD “.台灣” and “台湾” and open for registration in 2010. After TWNIC's application approved by ICANN on June 25 in 2010, I was working on drafting the IDN ccTLD “.台灣” and “台湾” registration policy and submitted to the Domain Name Committee for</p>

approval. On 2010 October 14, the IDN ccTLD “.台灣” and “台湾” has launched for public registration.

Prior to joining TWNIC, I was a journalist and received the National Award of Golden Vision and titled the Best Journalist in 1999. I received a M.A. degree in Communication focusing on the Internet media from U.S. In 2003, I submitted a thesis “The Role of Local Authority on the Internet Governance: Exploring the Relationship between Local Authority and the Public Interest from Taiwan’s Experiences” presented at the World forum on Information Society held in parallel with the UN World Summit on Information Society in Geneva and published in 2004 by International Research Foundation for Development.

My position in TWNIC has allowed me to work and focus on various global Internet issues and events, including domain name registration policy and services for more than 10 years. Especially, I have the experience and knowledge for IDN ccTLD policy-making and launch the service to the public, I am willing to share such experience and knowledge to our APTLD community. I would like to stand for APTLD Board election and to contribute more to strengthen regional cooperation from the perspectives of domain name administration, Internet users, and policy development to enhance the APTLD organization in Asia Pacific region.