

ICANN and YOU: A Stakeholder Journey

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Our Programs



Fellowship

Global Capacity Development Program to support ICANN's Multistakeholder community; online application process is open three times per year to participate in an ICANN Public Meeting (Policy Forum Mtg for Alumni only)



NextGen

Regionally based Program to create awareness and promote future discussions within universities and other regional forums; online application process is open three times per year to attend an ICANN Public Meeting



Newcomer

Program dedicated to those entering the ICANN community. Options are self-study using the Newcomer web page or participation in person or remotely at the Newcomer Sunday meeting at an ICANN Public Meeting

Watch Fellowship and NextGen video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nrV_ZkDEfIQ



Watch Newcomer video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=da1RQt9-e-g>



How NextGen Differs From Fellowship

The **Fellowship Program** focuses on Global capacity development program to support diversity and active involvement in ICANN's multistakeholder community. Online application process is open three times per year. 45 Fellows are selected for each ICANN Meeting (including 5 mentors). Candidates must be at least 21 years of age, no age cap to participate

The **NextGen@ICANN program** focuses on education, awareness and future engagement. Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 30, live and be enrolled in some type of higher learning curriculum in the region where the ICANN Public Meeting is being held. 12 candidates are selected per meeting to engage in customized, topical discussions. 3 Additional previous NextGen serve as Ambassadors for these new NextGen

How Program Funding Works



Fellowship

Travel, accommodations and stipend provided to cover some costs of attending an ICANN Public Meeting



NextGen

Travel, accommodations and stipend provided to cover some costs attending an ICANN Public Meeting



Newcomer

No funding offered but opens doors to communication and learning through engagement@icann.org and ICANN Learn

The New Fellowship Program Approach

Launch: ICANN65

Overview of Community Recommendations



Increase SO/AC involvement in selecting and mentoring fellows



Develop and gather metrics to understand and measure impact

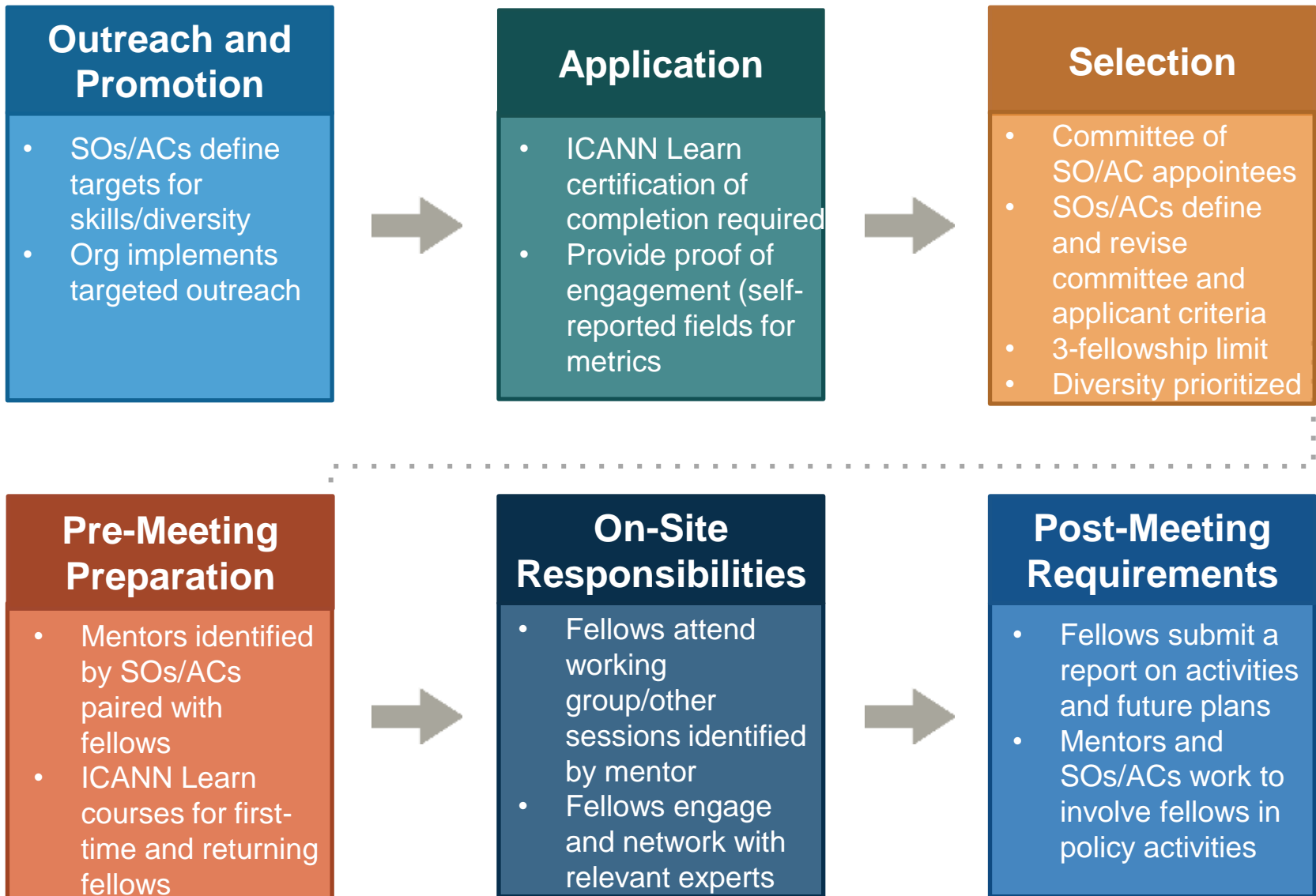


Enhance capacity development of fellows



Focus on active engagement in policy

New Program Processes



Fellowship Program key web pages

<https://www.icann.org/fellowshipprogram>

[About](#) | [Eligibility](#) | [Requirements](#) | [Apply](#) | [Dates & Deadlines](#) | [Program Status](#) | [Important Links](#)



Frequently Asked Questions:

- <https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/fellowship-faqs-2015-07-10-en>



Process and Terms

- <https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/fellowship-process-terms>

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