GAC Underserved Regions Working Group (USRWG) Update

Session 6

Session Objective
The GAC Underserved Regions Working Group to brief the GAC on the updated work plan for endorsement and assess GAC Members input on future workshop opportunities for newcomers.

Leadership Proposal for GAC Action
Review and endorsement of the GAC USRWG 2022/2023 work plan.

Recent Developments
Following the revision of the GAC Travel Support Rules as per the 2021 USRWG work plan, the working group reassessed its work plan with the aim to prioritize the strategic goals that should be executed by 2023.

The USRWG work plan is divided into three pillars:
- knowledge-base and capacity,
- policy engagement and participation, and
- relationship-building.

Each pillar contains a subset of work topics related to a strategic goal such as the organisation of capacity building workshops, webinars on regional issues of interest to the GAC, or newcomers community outreach.

At ICANN72, the USRWG will present its revised 2022/2023 work plan for GAC input and endorsement.
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