CENTR Update
Hot Topics

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Current Issues – DNS-CERT

- DNS-CERT
  - Again a topic at our GA
  - Not a single CENTR member supports it
  - Strong support for cross-constituency WG
  - Map existing initiatives (in cooperation)
  - Avoid mistakes like one-sided security survey

The comment can be found at
https://www.centr.org/main/news/5548-CTR.html

- Whois
    - Accuracy (and the difficulty to check it)
    - Opt-out (improves accuracy)
    - Additional services (search)
    - A tool against phishing
    - Whois Review Team
        - Study the areas of friction between Whois policy and local law

Current Issues – Reputational DNS

- Reputational DNS
  - What is it?
    - DNS policy information inside a specially constructed DNS zone
    - Currently used in email filtering tools
  - Why is it an issue on our agenda?
    - Recent discussions started by ISC
    - Recent bad experience with Spamhaus
  - Do we like it?
    - No (It hands control over DNS to third parties.)

- Blocking
  - What is it?
    - Preventing access to illegal content by DNS poisoning, packet filtering or proxy server based blocking
  - Why is it an issue on our agenda?
    - EU Member States, EU Commission
  - Why is it a problem?
    - Not efficient and not scalable
    - Telecoms Regulations
    - Undermines user's trust in DNS
  - What can we do about it?
    - Educate, educate and educate

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Thank you for your attention!

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