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What is the NRO?

- Established by Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) among 4 RIRs
 - Signed 24 October 2003
 - Since joined by AfriNIC
- Lightweight Tool for...
 - Coordination between RIRs
 - Point of Contact for external parties
 - “Coalition of RIRs”
- NRO Incorporation
 - Being prepared

Functions (EC)

Function distribution in Executive Council:

	<i>today</i>	<i>2006</i>
Adiel Akplogan	Member	Member
Raul Echeberria	Secretary	Chairman
Axel Pawlik	Chairman	Member
Ray Plzak	Treasurer	Secretary
Paul Wilson	Member	Treasurer



Functions (AC)

NRO fulfilling the functions of ICANN
Address Supporting Organisation

See Address Council Presentation

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- Ongoing hobby: ICANN contract drafting
 - Producing Contract Drafts for
 - ICANN contribution
 - IANA Service Levels
- WSIS
 - Monitoring, coordinating, influencing
- Communications Coordination Group
- Engineering Coordination Group

- IG big issue concerning us
 - Others are Capacity Building, Financing, etc
- After Geneva Summit 2003:
Working Group on Internet Governance
- 40 participants, multistakeholder
- WGIG report
 - Published July 2005
 - See www.wgig.org
 - Four IG models
 - Forum

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- PrepComm Geneva
 - no consensus on Internet Governance
- 3 Main Positions
 - US: “The UN will never run the Internet”, US will continue stewardship, recognising other states sovereign rights
 - Authoritarian Stance (China, Cuba, Saudi Arabia, Iran...): More governmental control
 - EU Surprise: “New Model needed”, in between other positions

- Pre-summit Prepcoms
- No clear result expected
- Outcome open, but ICANN will be affected
- Internet Community demonstrating Cooperation, Capacity Building etc pp
 - Under ISOC umbrella
 - RIPE NCC leading NRO effort
 - Seeking dialogue

