# SOP Working Group Session

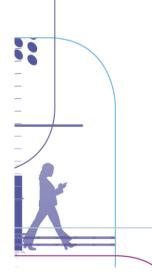
ccNSO Members' Meeting, San José, 13 March 2012

Roelof Meijer, SOP Chair



Strategic and Operational Planning Working Group

"Coordinate, facilitate and increase cc managers' participation in Strategic and Operational Planning Process "



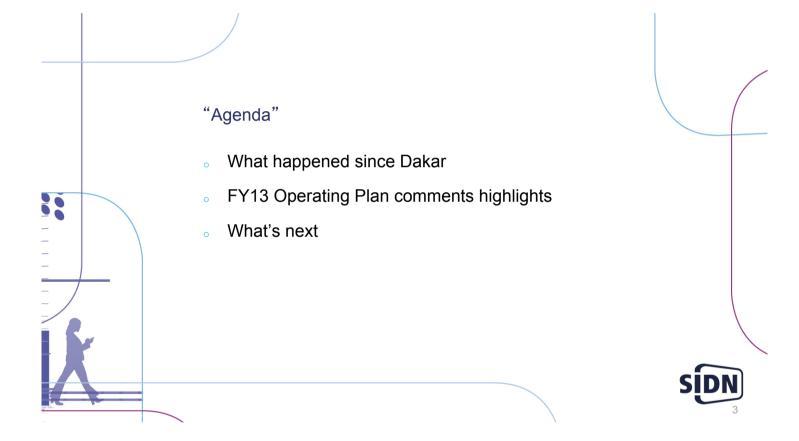
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## What happened since Dakar

- Submission SOP comments on SP 12-15 mid november 2012
- SP 12-15 approved by ICANN Board: pending?
- FY13 Operating Plan and Budget Framework posting: 17 January
- SOP-ICANN staff preparatory call for strategic session: 2 Feb
- Submission of SOP comments on FY13 OP&BF: 15 Feb
- SOP-ICANN F2F staff strategy session: 11 March
- SOP WG F2F session: 11 March



## FY13 Operating Plan comments highlights

- Considerable improvement compared to FY12
- ICANN urgently needs to professionalize: Framework does not address this
- Growth of organization and budget

- Focus is necessary: from 27 to 37 strategic projects
- Concerns if ICANN will be able to recruit necessary staff (159->194)
- FY13 budget deficit 6.3 mio (8%), no contribution to strategic fund



## What's next

#### FY13 OP&B

Community consultations San José: 11-16 March
Draft '13 OP and budget posting: 1 May
Comments period 45 days
Final consultation and adoption Prague: 24-29 June
13-16 Strategic Plan
Kick-off in Prague: 24-29 June
Board approval December



