Registration Operations:
A Technologist’s Perspective

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Past Challenges

• Difficult to Create Crosscutting Extensions
  • DNSSEC EPP Extension
    • 8 drafts in 4 months
  • Launch Phase EPP Extension
    • 15 drafts in 2 years & going

• How to Collaborate?
  • Use a mailing list?
  • Use GitHub?

• Who to Collaborate With?
  • How do I find interested collaborators?
Example of Past Collaboration

- Creation of draft-ietf-eppext-launchphase
  - Common Problem
  - Collaboration
  - Lists
  - Result
What is Needed?

• A Focused, Purely Technical Association
  • Focus on Interoperability
  • Address Tools and SDK’s
  • Allow Early Exchange of Ideas

• Lower Barrier to Interaction
  • Maximize Participation and Collaboration
  • Low Cost
  • Face-to-Face Meetings

• Flexibility
  • New Organization
  • New Charter
  • Open Membership Structure
Summary

Create ROA that provides the flexibility to encourage broad participation, early sharing of ideas and concepts, and to bridge the pockets of collaboration for increased operational interoperability across the registration ecosystem