Understanding and Deciphering IETF

A Tech Session introducing IETF to Indian Researchers and Students, and familiarizing them with ways to engage with the Internet's Technology Backbone

An Adjunct Event to the Second India School of Internet Governance (inSIG2017) 14:00-17:30, 23 Oct 2017, Travancore Hall, Technopark, Trivandrum.

The Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) is a part of the Internet Ecosystem that manages much of Internet's technology and standards. IETF is an open body where anyone can participate, but there are significant entry barriers for most Indian students and researchers that impede participation.

InSIG2017 is proud to organize this hands-on Technical Session that explores what makes this networks of network works and how to get involved in making of its nuts and bolts.

Session 1: Exploring Internet Standard using two example RFCs. RFC 1035, a 30-year old RFC, which is used to resolve domain names (DNS), and a new RFC (RFC 7967) from Indian researchers. This will help understand how protocols and standards work and what efforts has been taken care of in the process.

Session 2: Newcomers' introduction to IETF, and the lifecycle of an RFC from the beginner's perspective. How to engage, and whom to connect.

The session is targeted at Engineering and Technology Students and Researchers, including MTech students and PhD candidates. A fee of Rs. 500 will be charged to cover expenses. Sessions will be handled by IETF experts and practitioners.

Seats will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. Please register at http://bit.ly/ietf-insig on or before 15 October 2017. For any other information, kindly contact info@insig.in



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