

Network Startup Resource Center



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What we do

The Network Startup Resource Center provides technical advice and engineering assistance to developing area networking initiatives seeking to connect to the public Internet, especially to academic/research institutions and non-governmental organizations (NGOs).

Who funds us

Core funding comes from the *US National Science Foundation*.



Additional funding and donors include the Carnegie Corporation of New York, Cisco Systems, FreeBSD Mall, Google, IDRC, ISOC, O'Reilly, Richard Karp, Vint Cerf, the University of Oregon and many others.

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Some of our activities

- Facilitating exchange of information
- Teaching and organizing workshops
 - 'NOGs, ccTLD, IXP, DNSSec [French/Spanish/English]
- Resource development
 - nsrc.org, ws.edu.isoc.org, afnog.org
- Connectivity & history database
 - nsrc.org/networkstatus.html, nsrc.org/db/admin
- Active in global 'NOG groups

Some of our activities cont.

Network hardware & book donations

From 1992-2006 the NSRC facilitated:

- USD \$3,000,000 in books
- USD \$10,000,000 in network hardware
- ... to over 100 countries

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Some current activities

- PacNOG, SANOG, AfNOG, ccTLD training, WALC, advanced ccTLD workshop creation.
- Peruvian research network consulting.
- Cluster computing & weather research centers in Africa.
- Dar es Salaam, Tanzania University network.
- Training materials development with O'Reilly.
- Regional NREN development in Africa & Asia.
- Additional ws.edu.isoc.org functionality.
- Ivory Coast (Cote d'Ivoire) IXP meeting coordination.
- DNSSec workshop(s) facilitation (Senegal).

For more information

Our web pages

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