## VoIP for the NOC

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- A very large topic
- Could easily spend 10 days on VoIP systems
  - We're going to spend 2x 90min session on it
- Lots of interesting and useful ways to use VoIP in both new and existing NOCs
  - We won't have to time to cover everything. Do ask questions if there is anything in particular you would like to know!

## What to do with VoIP in your NOC?

- Standard PABX duty in your NOC
  - Use your office phone from across the internet, e.g. when you're at SANOG conferences
  - Setup conference rooms
  - Implement queues for your helpdesk and engineers
- Do something useful with incoming NOC calls
  - Try your PABX first, if that fails, trombone it out the PSTN
- Join INOC-DBA (Dial by ASN)

## What to do to NOC to your VoIP

- Monitor your own and your customer's PABXs
- Escalate alerts to phone calls
  - SMS alerts don't always wake me up. A phone call normally does
  - Have your NOC box read out fault details to you over the phone
- Dial into your NOC and retrieve basic status information over the phone
  - Allows you to quickly check on a problem when you're out and about