



**RIPE NCC**

RIPE NETWORK COORDINATION CENTRE

# External Engagement and Community

Chief Community Officer Report

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# My Top Three Priorities as CCO



- Institutionalise knowledge and understanding of the needs of local communities in our service region.
- Restructure teams as well as our presence throughout the service region to create better workflows and more meaningful impact.
- Build ecosystems around the RIPE NCC's data services.

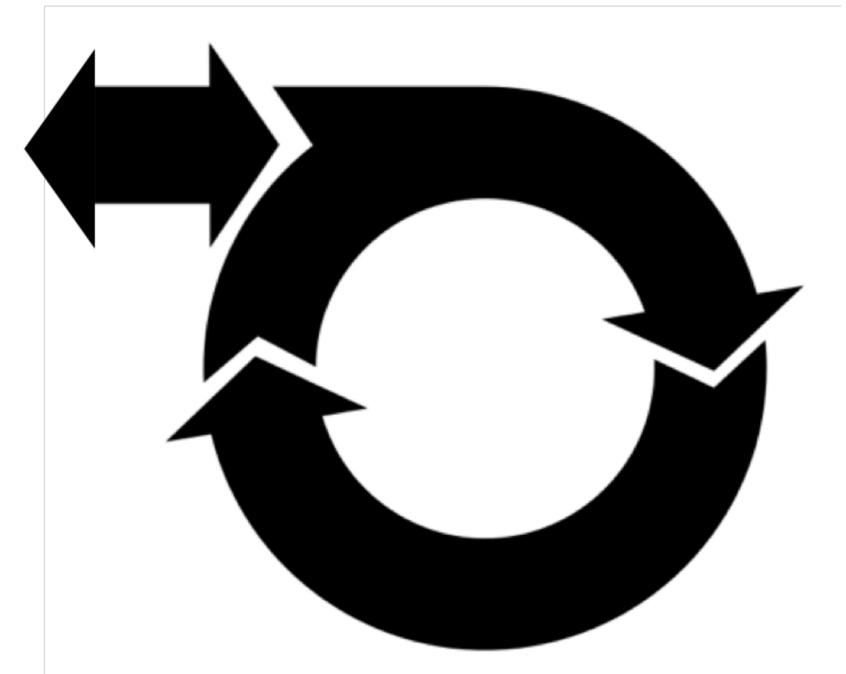
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- Community Building & Member Engagement

Creating and fostering inclusive environments, dialogues and feedback loops that aim to achieve better understanding of the needs of local communities and disseminate relevant information.

- Community Development
- Membership Engagement
- Good of the Internet
- Events



# Geopolitics & Community Engagement



- Geopolitics impacts how communities interact
- More direct / targeted engagement on a national level
- Redefining regional activities  
(scope, barriers to entry and criteria for success)

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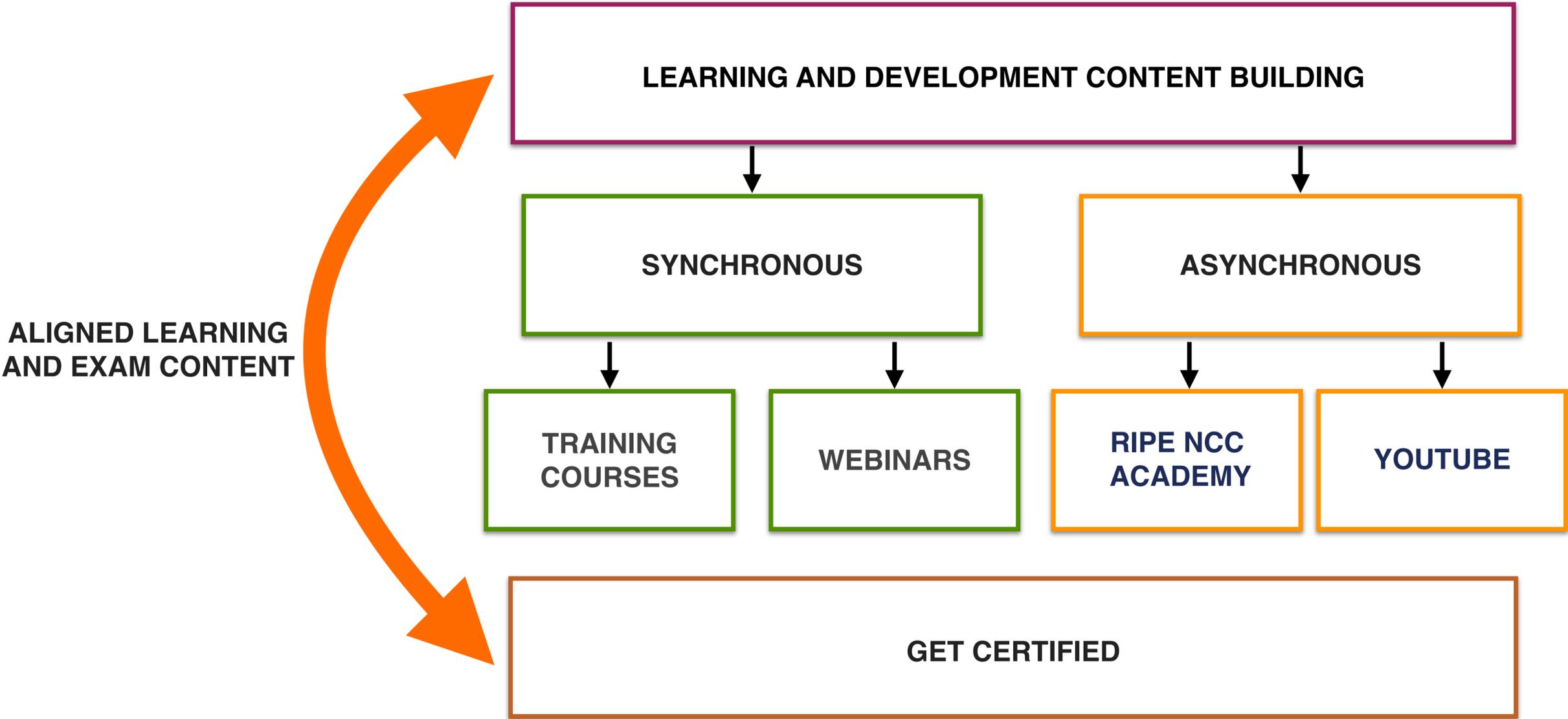
- Community Learning & Development

Increase community knowledge through learning and development activities and support the growth of the Internet through promoting the use of best practices for Internet Resources and standards such as IPv6 and RPKI

- Synchronous
- Asynchronous
- Certifications



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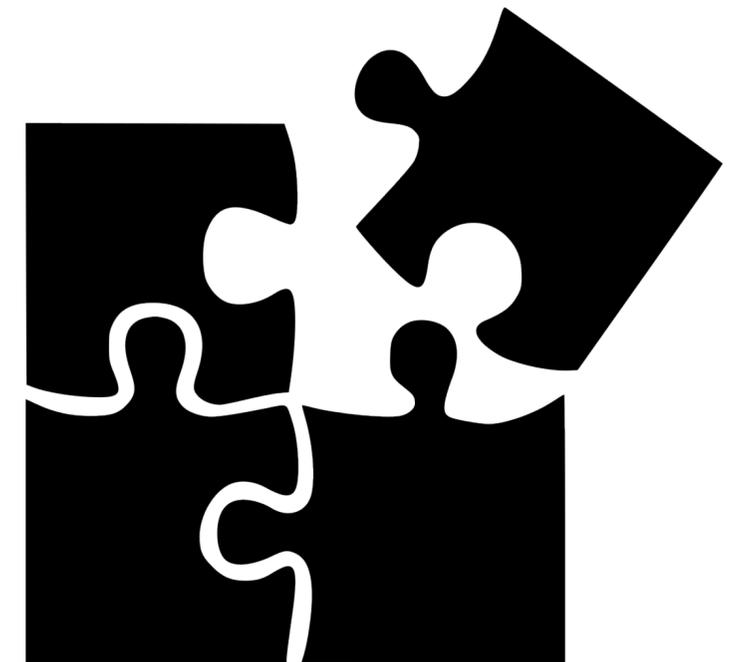
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- Community Coordination & Collaboration

Maintain excellent relationships with technical, governmental and standards bodies to support and defend the Joint Internet Number Registry, often using the RIPE community as an example of how to accommodate the unique political, legal, cultural and social realities within our region.

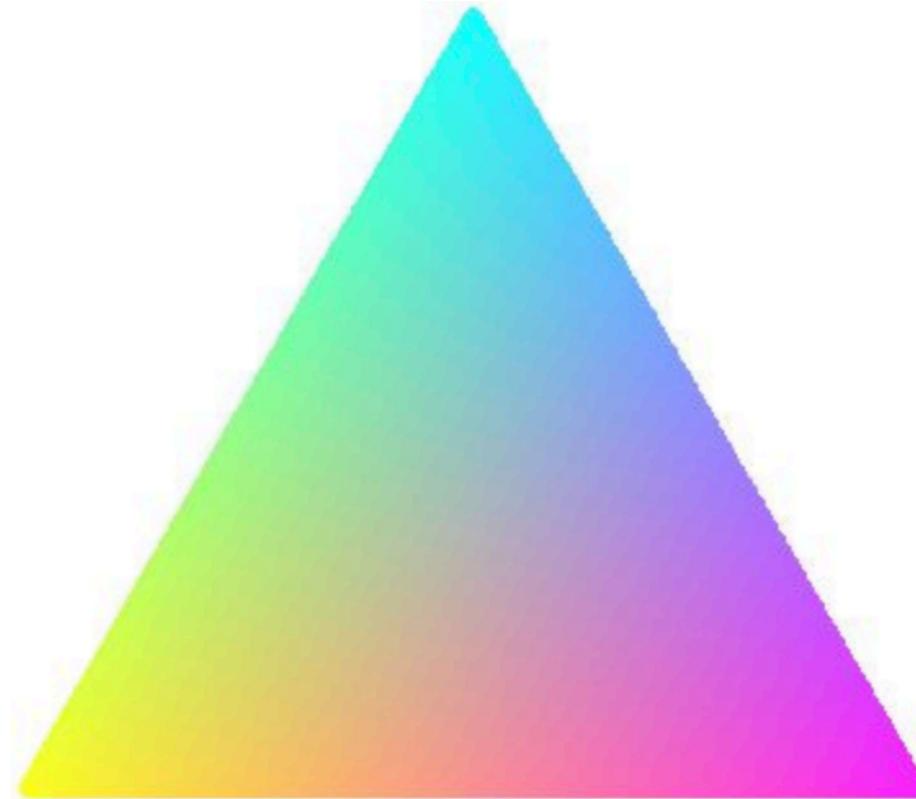
- Intergovernmental & International Organisations
- Regional/Global Internet Governance Platforms
- Competent Authorities



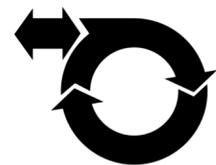
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# Ways You Can Help Develop Our Community



- Sign up to a **working group mailing list** and take part in discussions
- Talk to / mentor the **RIPE Fellows and RACI attendees** at RIPE Meetings
- Take part of the regional community meetings **MENOG, ENOG, SEE**
- Find your **local NOG** and get involved
- Attend the **Open Houses, Hackathons and community events** held by the RIPE NCC
- Write an article for **RIPE Labs** - share your experience!
- **Tell people** when they are doing work that you like



# Questions



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