

Progress in Q4 2017

Reporting against the Activity Plan

17 May 2018













Summary of Activity Plan deliverables

Our Activity Plan for the year included this summary table of our deliverables for the year. We replicate this here to provide a status summary at the reporting date (31 March 2018).

KEY: GREEN is DONE; RED is DELAYED

	1st Quarter	2 nd Quarter	3 rd Quarter	4 th Quarter		
Focus Areas	Access to the Internet - Internet Infrastructure; Digital Divide Trust on the Internet - Multi-Factor Authentication; Trust Framework Creative Use of the Internet - modern, balanced copyright					
Issues	Encryption Discussion Starter & Position Paper	State of the Internet 2017 (Q3) Election 2017	Maintaining ISP Spotlight (deferred) Copyright Paper (launch Q4)	MFA Project Digital Divide Paper (deferred to Q1 2018/19)		
Community		Nethui: 2017 programme; Beyond 2017 Projects and Conference Grants	Nethui 2017 - Fellowships NetHui 2017 in Auckland NZIRF	NetHui: Copyright Research and Conference Grants		
International	Pacific IGF ICANN - Johannesburg		IGF - Geneva ICANN - Abu Dhabi	ICANN - San Juan		
Communications & Outreach	Why InternetNZ exists work New community section on website About us video (deferred)	Annual research media briefing and advertising Tone of voice workshops with staff	New Zealand Initiative rollout SOTI Launch	MFA Comms Creative Use of the Internet - Fair Use Comms		
Governance & Members	Organisational Review Council Meeting	Organisational Review Council Meeting Membership Survey & AGM	Council Meeting	Council Meeting		
Operations	Internal Phone system (deferred)	Internal Organisation	Human Resources (deferred)			

Introduction

This final quarterly report for the 2017/18 Activity Plan accounts for our delivery of the Activity Plan for this financial year.

Points of note in this quarter include the following.

- 1. A key focus of this final quarter of the year was implementation of the Organisational Review outcomes, and in particular merging NZRS into InternetNZ. This process has had impact across the Activity Plan for this year in that we have deliberately deferred a number of items that make more sense to pursue in the new-InternetNZ, or to manage our staffing levels in response to this large change. I remain feeling very honoured to have been selected to be the new Group Chief Executive, and look forward to working on our future plans for the new InternetNZ.
- 2. **NetHui Copyright** was a success, with 150 attendees in Wellington coming together for the very first of our "topic specific" versions of this event. A particular highlight was the engaging and challenging presentation from keynote speaker Cory Doctorow. As per usual, it was amazing to see the Internet community come together to discuss, debate and highlight the challenges around copyright in New Zealand and particularly timely, given the forthcoming review of the Copyright Act. As always, all of the content from this event is available on the NetHui webpage at www.nethui.nz.
- 3. Development of our **Plan** and approach for the first year of the new InternetNZ, and an accompanying budget. This was a big job in working out how to balance building a new organisation and delivering to our new potential. We're excited to share what we think we can achieve, and you can find this plan on our website.

I would like to close this report by thanking colleagues all across the InternetNZ group for their work in the last quarter of the financial year. It was also the start of our new world: new structure, staff changes and new relationships to build. Given all this change, to have largely completed our planned work in 2017/18 is an achievement in which the whole team can take pride.

Jordan Carter
Group Chief Executive

Issues

Current work

Project	Delivery date	Who	Project Status	
Activity plan projects				
Q3 Position paper: Digital Divides	May 2018	Nicola	Pushed for release into the next financial year, to be launched during Tech Week.	

Up next / parking lot

Project	Delivery date	Who	Project Status		
Parking Lot					
Digital Divide map phase 2.		Nicola	Rest of 2017/18 was identifying needed improvements and next steps.		
Trust Framework		Ben	Initial discussions with stakeholders is being planned & collateral developed Has been delayed due to other priority projects and activity planning for 2018/19.		

Complete

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Activity plan projects					
Encryption position paper	30 June	Ben	Completed with good feedback from council and externals.		
Digital Inclusion Map	17 August 2017	Dean Ben	Launch complete. Team has / is talking to Data Futures Partnership (funder), Digital		

			Skills Forum and others.
General Election 2017	September 2017 (with some follow up)	Ben	NZ Political Twitter data collection is being wrapped up. Analysis will take place in November.
Briefings to Incoming Ministers	November 2017	Ben	Briefings to Incoming Ministers and letter to all MPs were dispatched once the new Government has been confirmed
Digital Regulation v2	November 2017	James	Report released alongside NetHui: 2018
State of the Internet 2017	24 November 2017	Ben	Content complete. Published 29 November 2017.
Telco Act Review	2 February 2018	Nicola	Bill has been tabled in the house; submission due Feb 2018
Creative Copyright	12 March 2018	James	Linked to NetHui: Copyright event
Q2 Position Paper: Copyright	12 March 2018	James	Paper completed and being held for launch with NetHui: Copyright event.
Multi-Factor Authentication	15 February 2018	James	Project complete

Community

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Activity plan projects			
Internet Research and Conference Grants	March 2018	Gertrud	In finalisation.
Grants Revitalisation - Impact Assessment	Ongoing	Vanisa	Philanthropy NZ recommendations reviewed and quick wins being actioned. Data from 4 years of grant giving by INZ has been cleansed, ready for interrogation in Qualtrics.
Strategic Partners	Ongoing	Vanisa	Partner updates being received.

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MBIE presentation on Maori in ICT	26 Jan 2017	Vanisa	Deprioritised for delivery this financial year, due to Org Review.
Youth engagement work	31 March 2018	Vanisa	Deprioritised for delivery this financial year, due to Org Review.
Fostering use of the Inclusion map /Digital Divides Launch	2018	Issues tbd	Will link with Issues next phase of work on a Discussion Document.
Community team structure and staffing review	ТВС	Ellen	Roles put on hold due to org review. No further progress until membership change scoping advances further.
NZIRF meetups and online platform	TBC	Vanisa	Online platform options paper to complete next steps to be reviewed in the new Outreach and

			Engagement Team.
Maori Engagement strategy - internal training	Oct/Nov	Andrew	Pending further development of plans with the Maori Engagement Committee
Nethui 2017 - manual and how-to guides	ТВС	Ellen Aimee	Will finalise before NetHui Roadtrip.

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NetHui Copyright	March	Vanisa	Project in full swing for 12 March event		
Sponsorship	Ongoing	Gertrud	Budget fully allocated for financial year.		
NetHui Beyond 2017	August Council	Ellen	Paper presented and approved by Council.		
Internet Research and Conference Grants	30 March 2017	Gertrud	Contract all signed/filed.		
Community Projects and Conference Grants	August 2017	Gertrud	Round assessed and recommended. First use of the new staff-led process.		
Grants revitalisation - Smarty Grants & Processes	30 April 2017	Gertrud	New forms in SmartyGrants ready for testing next week. Grants Operations Manual (shared externally) with Vanisa to review. Funding Manual (internal) with Vanisa to review. Project plan draft complete with status report still in draft.		
Speaker Series	22 Aug at AUT	Ellen, Yvonne	'Democracy and the Internet' held to a larger than expected Auckland audience.		
Membership survey	Before AGM	Vanisa Megan Vivian	Presented at AGM		

Maori Engagement Committee meetings	20 June 2017	Vanisa, Ellen	Committee work transferred to staff
Grants Revitalisation - Policy	15 May 2017	Vanisa	Grants Policy updated and online.
Nethui 2017 - Fellowships	6 Sept 2017	Gertrud	Fellowships closed and awarded
Nethui 2017 - programme	2 Oct 2017	Andrew	NetHui delivered
Nethui 2017 - logistics	8-10 Nov 2017	Yvonne	NetHui delivered
Nethui 2017 - sponsorship	8-10 Nov 2017	Sue	NetHui delivered
NZIRF forum/event	8 Nov 2017	Nicole	NZIRF delivered
Maori Engagement strategy - engagement process	8 Nov 2017	Andrew	Delivered.

International

Current work

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Activity plan projects				
New Zealand collaboration	Ongoing	Jordan	Ongoing engagement and coordination with NZ Government representatives on Internet governance.	
ICANN Accountability	June 2018	Jordan	Continued participation in a working group designing improvements to ICANN's accountability to the global Internet community following the transition away from U.S. control.	

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Asia Pacific Regional IGF	July 2017		Participation by InternetNZ staff not possible this year due to other commitments.	

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Pacific Internet Governance Forum	May 2017		This first Pacific IGF since 2011 was organised with short notice. We provided some sponsorship and supported Keith Davidson's participation, and look to a longer lead time for 2018's event.
ICANN 59: Johannesburg	June 2017	Jordan	Participated in the usual ICANN meeting.
ICANN 60: Abu Dhabi	October 2017	Jordan	Participated in the usual ICANN meeting.
ICANN 61: San Juan	March 2018	Jordan	Participated in the usual ICANN meeting, with a focus on handovers from previous InternetNZ Group staff and the introduction of Brent Carey as the new Domain Name Commissioner.
Global Internet & Jurisdiction Conference 2018	February 2018	Jordan	Participated in domain abuse stream of this event (follow up to 2015) and introduced incoming Domain Name Commissioner Brent Carey to a range of participants.
ICANN 2020	2020	Jordan / Yvonne	We have made a bid to host ICANN's mid-year Policy Forum in Auckland in June 2020. No decisions can be made before the NZICC is complete in 2018 or 2019.

Communications and Outreach

Current work

	Project	Delivery date	Who	Project Status	
Other work & projects					
	Monthly media and social reporting	Ongoing	Sarah	Completed each month and ongoing	

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Why InternetNZ exists	Ongoing	Megan	Good progress made in quarter one. Project now on hold due to organisational review.		
About us video	Ongoing	Megan	Project now on hold due to organisational review.		

Project	Delivery date	Who	Project Status
Members mail out	10 July	Megan	Completed
Whakataukī promo	14 July	Sarah	Completed
Annual research media briefing and advertising	23 August	Megan, Sarah, Jordan	Completed
Tone of voice workshops with staff	By end of September	Megan, Sarah	Completed and added to brand guidelines
Annual report	1 July	Megan	Completed on time

NetHui 2017 website build	4 May	Megan	Completed on time
New community section on website	1 May 2017	Sarah	Complete
Recruit acting comms manager and replacement comms advisor and handover	end September	Megan	Completed by month end
Content for BIM	October	Sue	BIMs files post election
Content for inclusion in MP Briefing	October	Sue	Working with Issues Team
NetHui Comms	September/Oct ober/Novembe r	Megan/ Sue	On track - Next up Programme promo and media engagement when programme complete, then at-event comms, followed by post-event comms
New Zealand Initiative rollout	November	Sue	Report launched at NetHui
NetHui Copyright	12 March 2018	Sue	Communications and promotional activity for NetHui Copyright.
Organisational Review Implementation – Branding	31 March 2018	Sue	Retirement of the NZRS brand identity; developing an interim common brand framework. Timeframe is challenging.
Organisational Review Implementation - Stakeholder communications	31 March 2018	Andrew	Planning stakeholder communications to keep them abreast of Org Review changes.

Governance and Membership

Current work

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Activity plan projects				
Other work & projects				
Org Review - implementation	Q3 & Q4 2017		NZRS merger completed. Ongoing work during next financial year to build new organisation.	

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Organisational Review	December 2017		Council completed the decision- making phase of the Org Review process, now handed over into implementation.
End-of-year member and stakeholder events	November- December 2017		Delivered events in Wellington and Auckland.
Membership	Jan-Mar 2018	Vanisa	Has not advanced due to the Organisational Review changes and under-resourcing in Community team. Will hand over to new Outreach and Engagement function.
Member engagement - New Year	Jan-March 2017		Engagement of members in the Organisational Review Implementation and in the Activity Planning process for 2018/19

Operations

Current work

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Other work & projects					
Finance (summary)	Ongoing	Mary	Primary focus on Audit and EOFY and ongoing implementation of Organisational Review requirements		
Events (summary)	Ongoing	Yvonne	Focus on NetHui Roadtrip delivery		
Office Management (summary)	Ongoing	Maria	Focus on membership renewal and wider changes around organisational review.		

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Phone system replacement	October 2017	Maria	On hold due to the Org Review.		
HR Development	1 October 2017	Laura Andrew	On hold due to the Org Review.		
Operations process mapping	28 February 2018	Yvonne M	Hold due to Org Review Implementation		
Risk Register and active management	Ongoing	Andrew	Hold due to Org Review Implementation – redesign required.		

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Nethui 2017 - logistics	8-10 Nov 2017	Yvonne	Change in project Management and Ownership to Vanisa and Andrew, to lock these logistics in with the wider

			work.
Team Planning 2017/18	June 2017	Andrew	
Group CRM scoping	ТВС	Andrew	Scoping delivered to CEs, being implemented in INZ through membership workstream.
NZNOG	January 2018	Yvonne Maryan n	Delivered events management for NZNOG event in Queenstown.
Election Software	31 March 2018	Maria	Preferred solution identified, awaiting further information from supplier.
Activity Planning and Budgets 2018/19	31 March 2018	Mary Andrew	Preparing detail for the 2018/19 Activity Plan and Budget.