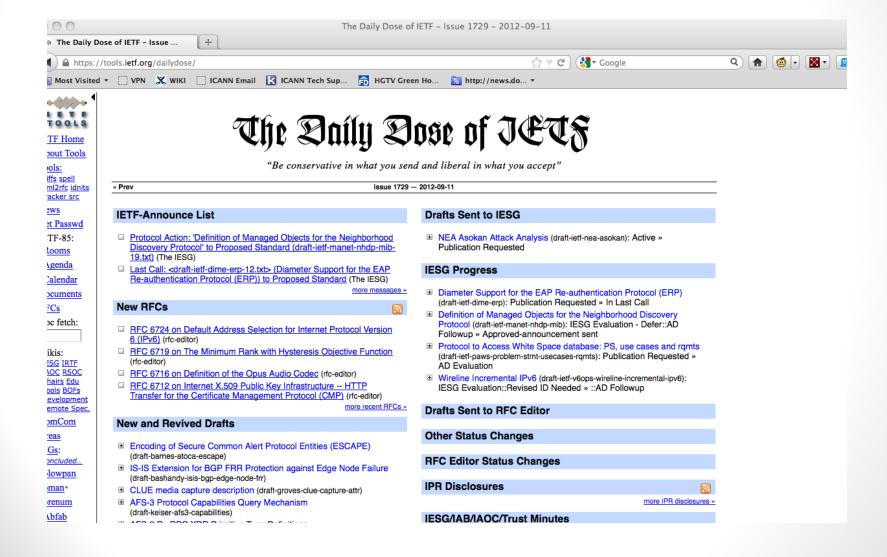
DNS at the IETF

Current topics that may be of Interest

What is the IETF

- Internet Engineering Task Force
 - Standards body that develops the majority of the standards used on the Internet today
- Organizational support from ISOC
- Meets three times a year
- Open to anyone who is interested
- It's work is separated into areas with working groups
- https://www.ietf.org

Highly technical



Areas and Working Groups

- Applications (APP)
- WEIRDS working group
- Web Extensible Internet Registration Service
 - Relatively new working group
 - Currently eleven (11) Drafts up for consideration on various aspects.
 - This MAY define the future mechanisms for presenting whois data by registries
 - https://datatracker.ietf.org/wg/weirds/

- Internet (INT)
- DNSEXT Working group
- Domain Name System Extensions
 - Currently six (6) drafts
 - A lot of work related to DNSSEC
 - Many of the current drafts relate to signaling algorithms.
 - If you are interested in the details of DNSsec at the protocol level then watch this space.

- Operations and Management (OPS)
- DNSOP working group
- Domain Name System Operations
 - Currently four (4) drafts
 - Concerned with operational aspects of the DNS
 - Operational docs related to DNSsec
 - RFC4641Bbis-12 DNSSEC operational practices update
 - draft-ietf-dnsop-dnssec-key-timing Timings for key roll over
 - draft-ietf-dnsop-dnssec-dps-framework DNSSEC Practice Statements
 - draft-ietf-dnsop-respsize

- Security (SEC)
- DANE working group
- DNS-based Authentication of Named Entities
 - Currently no (0) active drafts
 - Takes advantage of DNSSEC to publish Certificate data
 - 2 recent RFCS
 - RFC6698 specifies protocol RR Type TLSA
 - RFC6394 Describes use case
 - Will registrars/hosting companies need to support TLSA?
 - Will this be the "killer app" that pushes DNSsec usage?

Taking part?

- Each working group has a mailing list and a wiki.
- Meetings
 - November 4-9, 2012 Atlanta, USA
 - March 10-15, 2013 Orlando, USA
 - July 28 August 2, 2013 Berlin, DE
 - November 2013 Vancouver, CA
 - March 2-7, 2014 London, UK
 - Most of the work happens on the Mailing list. All decisions are discussed on mailing list.

Fellowship program

- http://www.internetsociety.org/what-we-do/education-andleadership-programmes/next-generation-leaders/ietffellowships
- ISOC has a fellowship program for those who have difficulty participating in person
- Covers travel, accommodation, incidental expenses etc.