

CONCEPTUALIZING THE OFFICIAL UIC FRONT FACE. INTERNET NICHOLEZ RESEARCH.

Defn: UIC: UGANDA INTERNET COMMUNITY

Aim: UIC is a formal collective [an organisation] meant to bring together Uganda's core members with especially regards to defining, perpetuating and exploiting the Internet for purposes of advancing and protecting Uganda's special as well as collective heritage on the modern global scene.



STRUCTURE:

- At core, UIC is just an Internet Community.
- All members of UIC are legitimate, real people with verifiable network identities.
 - ↳ Names
 - * Telephone Contacts
 - * Email Addresses
 - * Profile Images.
 - * Formal Status
- Because UIC is an open Internet-accessible entity, it is also by design that not all potential information about its membership is readily accessible via the Internet, this, so the privacy of its members, as well as their dignity and sometimes status are not divulged to unauthorized entities and or people.
- The leadership of UIC is based on an Internet Entity/Community Governance Framework. (ICGF)

→ For practical purposes, it is assumed that the most meaningful and effective ICGF for UIC has the following properties and characteristics:

- * At minimum, the Internet Community (IC) has at least 1 real member.
- * In the absence of all other members, the remaining member of the IC is its effective owner and administrator.
- * Despite the overall size and membership of the IC, only a small, core set of active IC members are part of the IC administration.
- * All IC administrators are essentially first of all members of the IC, active or not.
- * Among the core set of IC Administrators (ICA) that are also active IC members (AICM) are to be picked/appointed/defined/labelled Internet Administrators (IA), such as:
 - A Super IA (SIA)
 - Assistant IAs (AIAs)
- * It is to be understood and expected that in an IC, the SIA is also a "First Owner" member of the IC, and so, has the responsibility as well as privileges of owning and not just administering the IC.

- * Among the SIA's key responsibilities are:
 - Promoting or Demoting other IAs in their IC.
 - ↳ Such as managing the SIA set: AIAs, LA's, RA's, etc.
 - Admitting and/or Expelling other members of the IC, with or without involvement of other IAs in the IC.
 - Overseeing and/or Supervising the work (especially administrative work) of other (possibly lesser) IAs in the IC.
 - Assigning (especially administrative) roles to other IAs as well as members of the IC as time, an resources and occasion necessitates and/or allows.
- * In UIC, the first and core IA, who also is the SIA, is also titled and designated as the IC's Internet President (IP).
- * The IP is the IC's most important member at any time, and also serves as the IC's most important face and actor with regards to the whole Internet as well as the extended, real [physical] World.

IP > SIA > IA > ICM