



DNS-OARC Status Report

**Phil Regnault, President
OARC Annual General Meeting
October 2025**

2024-5 Overview

- \$1010k (\$1385k adj.) revenue for 2024, \$168 deficit (unadj.)
- Staff retreat – setting objectives for 2025-2026
- OARC 44 in Atlanta
- Finalization of data import into the Crunchy DITL cluster
- Member survey is still open! Some preliminary results to share...



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2025 Overview

- Significant accounting and bookkeeping cleanup
- Better tool integration and automation for financial forecasting
- Invoice processing and billing handling has been improved



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Welcome New Members

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- Taiwan Network Information Center (TWNIC)
- LK Domain Registry
- p-square GmbH
- it.com Domains LTD
- Beijing Zhongke YiAn technology Co (YIAN)
- CloudfloorDNS, LLC



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Committees

- 2024-2025 Programme Committee
 - Cathy Almond (Chair), Puneet Sood, Willem Toorop, Raffaele Sommese, Merike Kaeo, Tijay Chung, Marcelo Gardini, Ray Bellis (Board liaison)
 - Charter reworked to support multi-event, overlapping appointments
- Board will review 2026+ Programme Committee applications in the coming weeks
 - please let us know if you are interested in serving !
 - self-nomination to <pc2026@dns-oarc.net>



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DNS-OARC Staff Resources

- President, (*Phil Regnauld*, Copenhagen) 1.0 FTE
- Systems Engineer (*Matt Pounsett*, Toronto) 0.75 FTE
- Software Engineer (*Jerry Lundström*, Stockholm) 0.75 FTE
- Membership Coordinator (*Steve Sullivan*, California) 0.7 FTE
- Administrative and Operations Coordinator (*Rebecca Petro*, Indiana) 0.6 FTE
- Secretary (*Keith Mitchell*, Indiana) 0.2 FTE



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OARC Events

- Sticking to 2 events a year
- DNS Week was a success! Looking to make this happen more regularly with good partnerships
- Looking for ways to augment OARC Events with side-meetings and other activities
- In-person attendance is looking good!
- Next event in Europe again, but Fall 2026 likely to be in North America



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Future Workshops

- Sponsor and Patron support helps a lot !
 - <https://www.dns-oarc.net/workshop/patronage-sponsorship>
 - Thank you **Verisign** as our 2025 Workshop Patrons!



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2025-2026 Plans

- Secure additional funding sources
- Start of initiatives such as the BCP working group
- Data awareness and usefulness initiative
 - Work on evaluating usage of existing data, and improving access
- Improve understanding and visibility of OARC's mission with our existing members, and the rest of the community.



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Questions ?



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