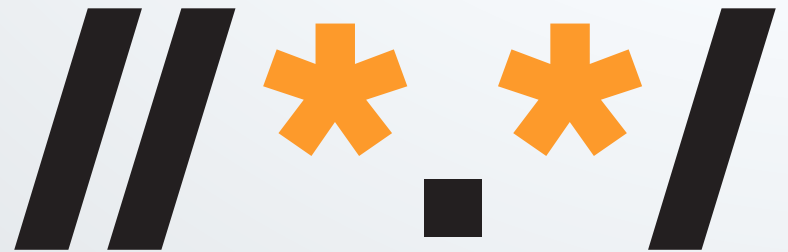


Universal Acceptance

An update on achievements and the role of the DNS Industry in UA achievement



Universal Acceptance

Universal Acceptance

- Where we're at
- Where we're going
- How you can participate



Where we're at: Definition

“Universal Acceptance (UA) is the state where all valid domain names and email addresses are accepted, validated, stored, processed and displayed correctly and consistently by all Internet-enabled applications, devices and systems.”



Where we're at: Documentation

- UASG 001 – UA Knowledge Base *Published and living*
- UASG 002 – Webmaster engagement letter – *in 7 languages*
- UASG 003 – Fact Sheet – for the ‘everyman’ to understand UA – *Published.*
- UASG 004 – Use Cases. *In Development*
- UASG 005 - UA Quick Guide: for management to understand what UA is and some ideas for addressing the issues. *Final Review*
- UASG 006 – Relevant RFCs
- UASG 007 – Introduction to Universal Acceptance *The Master Document – Finishing first detailed reading.*
- UASG 008 – UA & Local Engagement – *Final Review*

What we're doing: Activities

- Reviewing most popular websites for UA Readiness. (Spoiler alert: only one website accepts all our use cases)
- Starting review and remediation work on largest/most popular development toolsets.
- Building Use Case & Test environments
- Building EAI Community
- Planning review of browsers & operating systems



How you can Participate

- Get your own systems UA Ready
 - Can your systems support IDNs? EAI? New and Long names?
 - Can your downstream partners – registrars and resellers do the same?
 - What about IDN name servers?
 - How does WHOIS display?
 - What about event registration systems? Membership systems? Accounting Systems? Newsletter subscription systems?
 - Launch a local UA Initiative (We have a guide)
 - Provide advice, governance, suggestions and experience to the UASG
- 