Expectations and issues

- What should an EURALO look like?
  - Purpose
  - Mechanics:
    - Electing ALAC members
    - New ALS criteria
    - How to involve individuals?
- How to make openness work?
  - Acronyms?
  - Opaqueness? Arrogance?
- How to provide "official voice" of users?

ALAC & EURALO - Purpose

- EURALO
  - Accountability
  - Replacing ALAC members
  - Platform for Communication
  - Represent Individual Internet Users' Interests
- ALAC – what can it do for you?
  - Transfers, WIPO2, other policies, … – ALAC members represent individual Internet users' interests
  - Seat at the table is worth something, voting power isn't everything

EURALO Mechanics

- What is an ALS?

- How do ALSs elect ALAC members?

- Let individual users participate, not just structures?

    – The disease of voting.

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How to make openness work

- Communications

- Explain it!

- Make the newsletter less scary.

  – John & friends are working on a new web site that will make things better.

- What's the scarecrow?

- Mechanisms for ALAC contributions?

ALAC mechanics

- Individual representation/participation
  - Organize things by topics?
- Meta discussions vs. issue-centric geeks?
- "Vereinsmeierei" (that's German for people doing too much in clubs)