

HRPC IETF 104 Agenda

- Welcome and introduction (5 minutes)
- Talk by Mallory Knodel, ARTICLE 19 (30 minutes)
- Talk by Farzaneh Badii and Bradley Fidler, Internet Governance Project (30 minutes)
- Update from the Hackathon (15 minutes)
- Update from Reviewers + status of reviews (15 minutes)
- Research Group drafts updates/discussions (20 minutes)
- Introduction to HRPC Tech Advisors, Melinda Shore and Daniel Kahn Gillmor (5 minutes)
- AOB (5 minutes)

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- BCP 25 (Anti-Harassment Procedures)
- BCP 54 (Code of Conduct)
- BCP 78 (Copyright)
- BCP 79 (Patents, Participation)
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HRPC RG: Human Rights Protocols Considerations

Chartered in the IRTF to research how protocols strengthen and threaten human rights as defined in the UNDHR and the ICCPR.

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HRPC Objectives

- To expose the relation between protocols and human rights, with a focus on the rights to freedom of expression and freedom of assembly.
- To propose guidelines to protect the Internet as a human-rights-enabling environment in future protocol development, in a manner similar to the work done for Privacy Considerations in RFC 6973.
- To increase the awareness in both the human rights community and the technical community on the importance of the technical workings of the Internet and its impact on human rights.

HRPC Outputs

- **Internet drafts** concerning progress of the project, methodology, and will define any possible protocol considerations.
- **Policy and academic papers** for in-depth analysis and discussion of the relationship between human rights and the Internet architecture and protocols.
- **Film and textual interviews** with a diverse set of community members on this topic represented in the IETF.
- **Data analysis and visualization** to research and visualize the language used in current and historic RFCs and mailing list discussions to expose core architectural principles, language and deliberations on human rights.
- **Protocol analysis** of (existing) protocols in the wild to research their concrete impact on human rights.

Work to date

- October 2014 – January 2015 Research and research group proposal
- November 2015 – Screening of film Net of Rights at IETF94
- December 2015 – HRPC Chartered in the IRTF
- October 2017 – RFC 8280 “Research into Human Rights Protocol Considerations”

HRPC Current Work

- Active Internet-Drafts of the RG
 - Freedom of Association on the Internet (draft-irtf-hrhc-association-02)
 - Guidelines for Human Rights Protocol Considerations (draft-irtf-hrhc-guidelines-02)
 - Notes on networking standards and politics (draft-irtf-hrhc-political-01)