

draft-association HRPC

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Background

- draft-association is one of the specific rights drafts after 8280, specific to rights of association and assembly
- Niels and Gisela were the original editors. Joe, with “co-traveller” Stéphane, took over editorial role at IETF 104.
- Post-IETF 106 (December 2019) proposed a “way forward” articulated around 3 meetings/seminars that took place in the last months.
- Stéphane re-conducted literature review and identified new research sub-questions with Mallory.
- Niels and Mallory added case studies to answer the sub-questions.
- IETF 113 Nick Doty became doc shepherd and conducted a review.

Summary of the Draft

- ~~RQ: “How does the architecture of the internet enable and/or inhibit the right to freedom of assembly and association?”~~
- RQ: “What are the considerations of the right to freedom of assembly and association for protocol development?”
- Literature review
- Seven research sub-questions
- Sub-questions are answered with examples of IETF protocols. **New: Restructure examples from issue centric to protocol centric?**
- Conclusions

Since -09

- Nits
 - <https://github.com/IRTF-HRPC/draft-association/pull/1>
- Copy editing
 - <https://github.com/IRTF-HRPC/draft-association/commit/48823d18c95972297283b733519efeda2100eb54>
- Restructure
 - Reform so that spam/ mailing lists are talked about once?
 - Nick opens some good questions needing citations and proposed text. See HRPC mailing list.

Answering the questions with examples of protocols

6. Cases and examples

6.1. Got No Peace: Spam and DDoS

6.1.1. Spam

6.1.2. DDoS

6.2. Holistic Agency: Mailing Lists and Spam

6.2.1. Mailing lists

6.2.2. Spam

6.3. Civics in Cyberspace: Messaging, Conferencing, and Networking

6.3.1. Email

6.3.2. Mailing lists

6.3.3. IRC

6.3.4. WebRTC

6.3.5. Peer-to-peer networking

Proposed actions

- Establish agreement on the way forward for examples:
 - Keep structure
 - Change structure
- Proposed title change:
 - ~~Freedom of Association on the Internet~~
 - The Human Rights to Freedom of Association and Assembly and Internet Protocols
- Authors (calling volunteers!) revise – largely done.
- Shepherd re-review and write-up.