

- Community Updates

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*“We’re dedicated to the ongoing advancement of an open, secure, and robust Internet, by inspiring, educating, and empowering our community to meet the ever-changing demands of a global network.”*

- NANOG (<https://nanog.org>)

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## Why DisNOG?

- Different from most NOGs
  - Global reach
  - Accessible to all levels
- Natural progression from current state

- What's changing?



- Event programming
  - Short, quarterly meetings
  - Ad-hoc additional offerings
    - Resume reviews
    - Hackathons
- New ways to get involved
  - Presenting
  - Event programming
- Sponsorship

- New challenges
  - New NOG paradigm
  - Event programming
  - Soliciting sponsorship
  - Non-profit status
  - Periphery handling
  - Staffing



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(Optional)

<https://disnog.org/linkedin>



Use your real name!  
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- ## Functionality Changes

- ### Previously Announced:

- Starboard
- Community Content
- Website
  - Simplified join gateway
- Periphery

### Unannounced & Complete

- Recruiter role
- Various minor improvements

### Roadmap

- Job posting via website
- Referral links
- Enhanced org role functionality
- Profile support
- Elimination of entry quiz



## Get Involved



### Develop

The Website and Bot both require active development.

<https://github.com/disnog>



### Suggest

Suggestions for the server, bot, and website are appreciated via GitHub issues.

<https://github.com/disnog>



### Fund

The bot, website, Zoom, domain, all cost \$\$\$\$. Your help is appreciated.

<https://patreon.com/neteng>



### Present

We are consistently in need of speakers for our next event! If you are interested in presenting an interesting topic related to network engineering, please message *Jason* to get the ball rolling!



### Support

Your Discord Nitro boosts help us to add additional shine to the DisNOG experience



### Create

Create content, projects, etc that can benefit the community! Reach out to *7600\_slayer (Alan)* if you'd like your blog considered for replication into the #blogs channel.