# **Facilitating Participation**

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### **Travel Support for Chair(s)**

- APNIC will cover for two people only per meeting
  - Economy class flights to/from host city
  - Accommodation for Conference duration
  - A small per diem to cover some meals and other cost
  - Travel Insurance
- Does not include
  - Visa costs etc
  - Non-essential travel
  - Personal expenses
- Support also available for NIR and Cooperation SIG Chairs

#### **Policy Champions program**

- Policy Champions are individuals who volunteer to engage with their community about APNIC Policy Development
- We hope NOG & NIR representatives will assist
- Their role is to
  - Relay information about proposals under discussion
  - Encourage people to share their opinions
  - Report on the status of proposals
  - Ensure their community is aware of policy changes



#### Other support to participants

- We could offer Fellowships. This support could go to
  - Fellows who demonstrate an interest?
  - Authors to present their proposals?
  - Policy Champions?
- Very limited availability maybe one per meeting
  - Who would select? Chairs/Secretariat/Committee?

## Suggestions?

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