



International Peering Days conference this time in Cracow



The annual get-together of network specialists — Peering Days — will take place in Cracow, Poland, on 17th—19th March 2020.

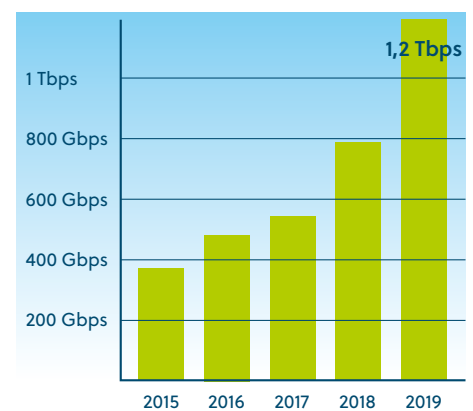
This event, which you can now register for online, will take place for already the eighth time, once again bringing together peering centre, data centre operators and network administrators from all around Europe and the world. Peering Days are organized jointly by the Czech peering node NIX.CZ, the Vienna VIX.at and Hungarian BIX.hu.

The Peering Days conference will again offer a number of interesting talks,

workshops and face-to-face meeting opportunities. If you are interested in contributing as a speaker, please send an abstract of your presentation in English to presentation@peeringdays.eu by 31st January 2020. You will then receive more information in the subsequent month.

More details, including the registration form, are available online at www.peeringdays.eu

Data traffic flow through NIX.CZ exceeded 1 Tbps in September



The online broadcast of the Champions League match between Slavia Prague and Inter Milan on 18th September broke a new record in the data transfer speed at NIX.CZ, but above all crossed the magic boundary of 1 terabit.

"The Czech neutral peering node NIX.CZ has long been one of the largest peering nodes in the world. Breaking this record only consolidates this position," the Director of NIX.CZ Adam Golecký commented.

Networks update

RECENTLY CONNECTED NETWORKS

Austole, s.r.o. AS: 201811
NetX Networks a.s. AS: 204860
Diovetech s.r.o. AS: 208543
STARNET s.r.o. AS: 44489
TNtech s.r.o. AS: 199657
Pražská energetika, a.s. AS: 48451
SferiaNET AS: 59959
Sirius Technology AS: 60501
ANEXIA AS: 42473

John Souter (LINX) receives the NIX.CZ Association Prize in London



The first annual NIX.CZ Association Prize, awarded for a contribution to the field of peering centres, was received this year by John Souter, the Director of the London peering node LINX. The ceremony took place in November in London, to celebrate the 25th anniversary of this important node. The English LINX has always been a great inspiration for NIX.CZ and the entire Czech peering community.

NIX.CZ has become a member of the MANRS networking initiative

Since 30th August 2019, the Czech Neutral Node NIX.CZ has been part of the global MANRS (Mutually Agreed Norms for Routing Security) initiative. In the long term, this project supports security and compliance with networking standards. NIX.CZ has now acquired the status of a "participating IXP", having met the membership requirements in five core areas highlighted by MANRS (coordination, protection, support, prevention and tools). The MANRS initiative, also supported by the Internet Society, focuses on anti-spoofing, coordination, filtering and so-called global validation.



NIX.CZ would like to thank all its members, partners and collaborators – both organizations and individuals – for working with us in 2019. We look forward to continuing this collaboration in the new year 2020. Best Wishes to all!