CREN/CSNET Coordination and Information Center (CIC)

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Description

The Coordination and Information Center provides technical and information support for members of CREN/CSNET. The CIC staff also maintains the following automated services:

- The Info-Server: info-server@sh.cs.net This automatic program distributes documents in response to specially formatted messages. The documents are also available to Internet users through standard anonymous FTP login.

For instructions about this and other services, send a message to info-server@sh.cs.net with "HELP" in the body of the message.

- The User Name Server: registrar@sh.cs.net See section 4.4 of the *Internet Resource Guide.*
- Fixaddr: fixaddr@relay.cs.net (or fixaddr@sh.cs.net) This program is a helpful first step in converting mailing lists to up-to-date domain-style addresses. Send a message with a mailing list in the body of the message. The list should contain one address per line, in the form "user@domain," for example, "socrates@philo.agora.edu". Fixaddr will convert nick-names into official names. It checks both the DDN NIC host table and the Internet domain servers, using the MX option for off-Internet hosts. It knows about non-domain-style names that have disappeared from the NIC table.
- Nslookup: nslookup@sh.cs.net For hosts that do not have access to domain servers. Send a message with domain names or IP addresses, one per line, in the body of the message. The nslookup program sends back a message containing all the domain nameserver records (not just the MX ones) for the named domains.

Network Access

Unlimited: CIC services can be accessed by electronic mail from CSNET hosts and from all other hosts that can exchange mail with the Internet.

Who Can Use the Center

Open to all Internet users.

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Miscellaneous Information

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