

**INTERNET SOCIETY TANZANIAN CHAPTER
YOUTH INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM TANZANIA (Youth IGF Tz)**



**THEME: 'The role of the internet in making the internet a better place for
interaction'**

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About Tanzania Youth IGF

The internet as young as it is represented by youthful ambition, dreams, and modern means of tackling societal potent issues, Youth are recognized as major stakeholders in the IGF structure and in the digital populace the majority of internet users.

Tanzania Youth IGF is a youth-led component of the Tanzania Internet Governance (TzIGF) to develop youth capacity and engagement in the Internet Governance space.

Background of Tanzania Youth IGF

The Tanzania Youth Internet Governance Forum (Tz-YouthIGF) was established in 2021. The first meeting to plan for the Launching of Youth IGF in Tanzania was conducted at Barracuda Beach Resort on 08th September 2023.



Figure 1: Meeting to plan for Tanzania Youth IGF

Launching of the Tanzanian Youth IGF

Youth-IGF Tanzania was finally launched on 2nd November 2021 at Dar es salaam Institute of Technology (DIT) with a total of 27 young participants. This was a hybrid event with both onsite and online participants.



Figure 2: Highlights of the First youth IGF

Vision

Our vision is to “Increase the participation of youths in matters relating to internet governance and policy”.

Main Topics

The main Theme of this youth IGF is ‘The role of the internet in making the internet a better place for interaction’.

The topics include-

1. Cybersecurity
2. WEB 3
3. Artificial intelligence and
4. Encryption.



Names of the Youth Coordinators

Below is the list of the organizing committee called “coordinators” for the Youth IGF.

S/N	Name	Role
01.	Ms. Catherine Fungo	Chairperson
02.	Ms. Millennium Malamla	General Secretary
03.	Ms. Dorothy Makala	Organizing Committee
04.	Ms. Evelyn Rujuguru	Organizing Committee
05.	Mr. Alembe Joseph	Organizing Committee
06.	Mr. Benson M.	Organizing Committee
07.	Mr. Frank	Organising Committee

List of speakers

- Mr. Lazarus Kirama CEO ISOC Tanzania
- Dr. Moses Ismail from the University of Dar es Salaam
- Essa Mohammedali from Tanzanian AI Lab
- Lecturer from MUST (Mbeya University of Science and Technology).