

IGF 2022
MAG Meeting IV | 11 April 2022
Summary report

Action items & Next steps

Call for session proposals

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WG-Strategy

- WG-Strategy to share the two documents with the full MAG for comments (the [plan of activities for 2022](#) and the [matrix of actionable items from the Secretariat's synthesis document](#)). MAG members to review and comment on the documents.
- WG-Strategy to share meeting reports and action items with the MAG mailing list, after each meeting.
- MAG members were encouraged to consider joining the WG.

1. The fourth virtual meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG) in the IGF 2022 preparatory cycle was held on 11 April 2022 and was moderated by Mr. Paul Mitchell, MAG Chair.

Attached to this summary report are the meeting agenda (Annex I) and the list of participants (Annex II).

I. Call for IGF 2022 session proposals

2. The MAG Working Group on Workshop Process has finalised the [call for workshop proposals](#) and the [workshop proposal form](#) for IGF 2022, integrating comments from the previous MAG meeting. It was explained that the main adjustments relate to the criteria for workshop proposal evaluation; for instance, two previous criteria related to the hybrid nature and interactivity were merged into one criterion now called 'hybrid organisation strategy'. Some adjustments were also made to the submission form.

3. MAG members raised no further issues regarding the call and form for workshop proposals, which were approved.

4. Action items

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II. Updates from WG-Strategy

5. The MAG Working Group on IGF Strengthening and Strategy (WG-Strategy) provided several updates on its work:

- a. In order to further develop the WG's communication and coordination with the MAG, the group has decided that any action items coming out of its meetings would be shared directly with the MAG mailing list. This practice has already started being implemented, and the [summary report of the group's most recent meeting](#) has been shared with the MAG.
- b. The WG has been developing two documents – a [plan of activities for 2022](#) and a [matrix of actionable items from the Secretariat's synthesis document](#)¹. The group's co-facilitators will finalise the documents, taking into account feedback from the Secretariat, and then share them with the MAG for feedback.
- c. It was acknowledged that concerns had been raised about the [contribution submitted by the WG to the IGF Expert Group Meeting](#), given that the full MAG did not have a chance to comment on the document. As explained above, the WG is working on rectifying such issues for the future.

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III. Updates from the Secretariat

7. The MAG was informed that two new Dynamic Coalitions (DCs) were formed:

- A [DC on Environment](#), to follow up on the work of the Policy Network on Environment
- A [DC on Digital Health](#)

¹ The synthesis document is [Contributions Taking Stock of IGF 2021 and Looking Forward to IGF 2022 Synthesis Paper](#).

Annex I Meeting agenda

1. Welcome from the Chair
2. Updates from the Secretariat
3. Call for session proposals (final approval of call and proposal form)
4. Update from WG on Strategy
5. AOB
6. Next Steps

Annex II Participants

Last name	First name
MAG Chair	
Mitchell	Paul
MAG members	
Attoumani	Karim
Birarda	Carina
Buckridge	Chris
Choudhury	Amrita
Fair	Justin
Fudzulani	Bram
Horejsova	Tereza
Kawauchi	Junko
Peake	Adam
Ramirez Garcia	Alan

Simona	Tenanoia
Sultanov	Talant
Zambrana	Roberto
UN DESA	
Kwok	Wai Min
Past and prospective IGF host countries	
Glushchenko	Vadim
Skwarek	Viktor
Other participants	
Carvell	Mark
Cohen	Frederic
Edoh	Afi
Ferreira	Ciro
Parris	June
Prendergast	Jim
Wagner	Flavio
IGF Secretariat	
Bobo	Luis
Garde	Pascal
Gengo	Anja
Masango	Chengetai
Mazzucchi	Eleonora
Teleanu	Sorina