

IGF 2023

MAG Meeting III

23 May 2023 | 12:00 UTC | Online

Action items & next steps

1. Updates from the Secretariat

- As part of its general updates, the Secretariat reminded MAG members of the extended deadline of session proposals.

Actions

- ➔ **MAG members are invited to encourage potential interested organization to apply for booths at the IGF village by 20 July.**

2. Overview of the Workshop Evaluation Process by WG-WSP

- The MAG was introduced to this year's workshop evaluation process, indicating stages, deadlines, task repartition and evaluation criteria.
- The list of workshops recommended by the working groups will then be formally approved at the Second Open Consultations & MAG Meetings in July.

Actions

- ➔ **Individual evaluation of WS by MAG Working Group members from 29 May to 16 June.**
- ➔ **MAG WGs are encouraged to hold meetings after the individual evaluation. The group evaluation will take place from 23 June to 12 July.**

3. Demonstration of WS Evaluation Form by Secretariat

- The IGF Secretariat made a demonstration of the online evaluation process.
- Working groups were not formed by themes but in such ways that groups have approximately an equal amount of workshops to evaluate.

Actions

- ➔ **MAG members are encouraged to start rating WS submissions as soon as the evaluation form opens.**
- ➔ **IGF Secretariat will send PDF versions of workshop submissions divided into working groups to allow reviewing offline.**

4. Intersessional Event

- The concept note for the intersessional event at the Open Consultations has been shared with the MAG Chair, who endorsed the concept. The MAG received the concept note prior to the meeting.

Actions

- ➔ **The IGF Secretariat will share the agenda of the Open Consultation and MAG meeting with the MAG prior to making it public.**
- ➔ **Interested participants from the broader community are invited to register for the intersessional event working groups.**

5. Any other Business

- The MAG was informed about a Brazilian YouTube with over 40 million subscriptions debating over platform regulations and internet-related issues, who is interested in being part of a main session or the Opening.
- The MAG liaisons to the Leadership Panel briefed MAG members about the four LP working groups' activities.
- The MAG enquired about the procedure to follow in case the MAG chair is not available.
- The MAG was updated about the working group strategy that is currently drafting a proposal to the co-facilitators of the GDC to establish a multistakeholder committee sounding board. The goal is to ensure that the GDC remains a multistakeholder process all the way through other than just being an initial multistakeholder consultation.

Actions

- ➔ **IGF Secretariat to be introduced to YouTuber's team.**
- ➔ **IGF Secretariat to consult MAG chair and discuss the start of the main session preparations.**
- ➔ **The IGF Secretariat to consult internally with UNDESA New York to advice on the procedure to follow in case the MAG chair is not available.**
- ➔ **MAG members are encouraged to join the working group strategy mailing list.**