IGF 2023

MAG Meeting IV

28 June 2023 | 12:00 UTC | Online

Action items & next steps

1. Updates from the Secretariat

- The call for MAG renewal is open until 15 August
- The call for <u>travel support</u> to the IGF 2023 is open until 12 July
- The intersessional event is scheduled on Monday, 10 July during the <u>Open Consultations Day</u> from 15:00 to 17:00 CET.
- All session proposals that were received and that are qualified for consideration, have been posted on the IGF website.

Actions

- → The IGF Secretariat will send detailed instructions to the MAG to propose names for potential MAG Chair (a Chair from the Government Stakeholder group should be appointed)
- → At IGF 2023, the Secretariat will organize a MAG meeting between 2023 and 2024 members

2. Workshop evaluations and next steps

- After receiving an evaluation synthesis by the Secretariat on Friday, evaluation groups should now develop a recommended list of accepted workshop proposals.
- The session criteria per session type that have been used to screen all received proposals (that different from workshops) are available on the <u>IGF website</u>.
- Main session: think each of a sub theme a session? Last year, the sub themes can be combined
- Bruna to start a collective document to collect idea for main session (already 1: GDC)

Actions

- → The IGF Secretariat is ready to support evaluation groups with a Zoom link in case groups need to discuss workshop approvals online.
- The IGF Secretariat will share the approximate number of sessions held at the IGF per session type.
- → The MAG will share a document to collect ideas for main sessions. Evaluation group members are encouraged to think about potential topics prior to the MAG meeting.

3. Preparation of the MAG-LP Meeting

- Not only the GDC, but also WSIS+20 should be part of the MAG-LP meeting topics.
- The MAG suggested to prepare a draft meeting agenda.

Actions

- → The MAG will prepare a draft MAG-LP meeting agenda.
- → MAG members should register here for the Open Consultations and MAG meeting

4. Any Other Business

- It is expected that the Asia Pacific region has a higher engagement at the IGF 2023 as it is taking place in Kyoto. Small Island Developing States are encouraged to actively engage. The host country provides few inputs and speakers for the High-Level track and main sessions. The Asia Pacific regional IGF will also host a Parliamentary Track session.
- It is planned to launch the official IGF 2023 website on 12 July. It will contain information about Visa arrangements.