

IGF 2025 DRAFT TIMELINE

IGF Community Call for taking stock Inputs

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1st IGF Open Consultations and MAG Meeting

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20 February

Call for sessions, for village booths, for remote hubs

12 Feb - 16 Mar

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April 2025

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April 2025

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15 May 2025

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December 2025

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July 2025

IGF 2025

23 - 27 June

Lillestrøm, Norway



1. Announcement of the MAG for 2025

Renewal of the Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG) for 2025: 16 January 2025

 Virtual MAG Meeting I: Initial discussion on 2025 timeline, intersessional work and MAG working groups – 30 January 2025

2. IGF Community Call: Taking Stock of IGF 2024: <u>30 December 2024 – 12 January</u> 2025

All IGF stakeholders were invited to submit inputs to the IGF Secretariat related to the <u>following questions</u>. All inputs have been posted on the IGF website. MAG Members are encouraged to review these comments.

3. Call for Thematic Inputs for IGF 2025: 30 December 2024 - 12 January 2025

All IGF stakeholders were invited to submit inputs to the IGF Secretariat related to the <u>following questions</u>. All inputs have been posted on the IGF website and were analysed to help define the thematic focus for IGF 2025. MAG Members are encouraged to review these comments.

4. First IGF 2025 Open Consultations and MAG Meeting: <u>5 - 7 February 2025</u>

The 3-day Open Consultations and MAG Meeting will take place online.

Draft agenda points:

- IGF 2024 Stocktaking & Looking Ahead to 2025
- Discussion on IGF 2025 overarching and sub-themes
- IGF 2025 programme shaping (e.g., types and number of sessions, themes, parallel tracks, etc.)

5. IGF 2025 Call for Session Proposals: 12 February - 16 March 2025

All stakeholders are invited to submit proposals to hold workshops at the forthcoming IGF, as well as other potential session types: open forums, networking sessions, launch and awards sessions, lightning talks, individual sessions by IGF Dynamic Coalitions (DCs), collaborative sessions by National, Regional and Youth Initiatives (NRIs), proposals for 'pre-events' on Day 0.

- Submission of proposals: 12 February 16 March 2025
- Secretariat analysis of proposals: 17 20 March 2025
- Submission of workshop proposals to the MAG for evaluation: 20
 March 11 April 2025



6. IGF 2025 Call for Village Exhibition Booths: 12 February - 16 March 2025

During the annual IGF meeting, interested stakeholders can display or distribute relevant information about their Internet governance-related activities at the IGF Village. The booths are non-commercial in nature, free of charge, and allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, respecting a balance of stakeholder and regional diversity. Booths are of limited availability.

7. IGF 2025 Call for Remote Hubs: 12 February - 16 March 2025

Invitation to all stakeholders interested in organizing a remote hub. Hubs are local meetings that take place in parallel with the IGF. People can watch the webcast of IGF sessions together and send interventions (via text, audio or video) that can be answered by panellists in IGF.

8. Opening IGF 2025 Registration: 20 February 2025

Registration for onsite and online participants through the UN accreditation system with a live/public participants list.

9. Continuation of IGF Intersessional Work - As of 1 March 2025

This will be agreed upon in the MAG virtual calls taking place as of January by setting the thematic focus for the PNs and BPFs, and the MAG working groups. It is suggested to have the interim output reports prepared by 15 July 2025 while the consultations continue until the end of IGF 2025 cycle when the final reports will be confirmed.

DCs and NRIs are ongoing.

10. Evaluation of Workshops and Other Session Proposals: 17 March - 11 April 2025

The MAG will evaluate all workshop proposals on the basis of pre-determined criteria.

- Secretariat analysis of proposals: 17 20 March 2025
- Submission of workshop proposals to the MAG for evaluation: 20
 March 2025
- Evaluation of Workshop proposals by the MAG: 21 March 11 April 2025
- Selection of other sessions: 21 March 11 April 2025

11. Second IGF 2025 Open Consultations and Face-to-Face MAG Meeting: <u>14 - 16 April 2025</u>

Second 3-day MAG Meeting to be at the UN office at Geneva, Switzerland.



Draft agenda points:

- Approval of selected workshops
- Review of the other IGF 2025 sessions and tracks
- Discussion on developing 2025 programme in line with strategic priorities
- Discussion on main sessions

12. Drafting of IGF 2025 Schedule and IGF Village plan: April 2025

Undertaken by IGF Secretariat in consultation with MAG; it takes into account all agreed-on themes, possible tracks and session types.

13. Finalization of IGF 2025 main sessions by the MAG: April 2025

Undertaken by the MAG with the support of the IGF Secretariat, finalization of the IGF 2025 main sessions (session titles and descriptions, selection and confirmation of speakers, main session run-downs draft key messages)

14. Opening of Bilateral Meeting Request System: 15 May 2025

An online system maintained by the IGF Secretariat, based on demand/availability of rooms.

15. IGF 2025: Lillestrøm, Norway: 23 - 27 June 2025

The Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) will take place from 23 to 27 June 2025 in Lillestrøm, Norway.

16. Finalising IGF 2025 Outputs: July 2025

After the 20th annual IGF meeting concludes, the produced outputs will be finalized.

- Oslo IGF Messages: draft messages due on the last day of IGF
- Session Final Reports: 15 July 2025
- Intersessional work interim outputs: 15 July 2025
- (Final) Oslo IGF Messages: 31 July 2025
- IGF 2025 Summary Report: 31 July 2025