Summary report

1. DC main session at IGF 2022

There was a broad agreement during the meeting that the Dynamic Coalitions (DC) main session at the IGF 2022 meeting should focus on illustrating the value of DCs in the context of the Global Digital Compact (GDC), the evolution of the IGF (the so-called 'IGF Plus'), and the upcoming WSIS+20 process.

Key points raised
- The session should not be only process-oriented, but also showcase tangible, substantive IGF outcomes and their relevance for the aforementioned processes.
- A challenge will be to decide which DCs will be on the panel, considering time constraints and the need to have an interactive session. Options brought up during the discussions included: (a) focus on those DCs whose work is related to the areas envisioned to be covered by the GDC; (b) showcase some DCs which have developed substantive outputs; (c) have two or three DC speakers that would 'represent' the different types of DCs – e.g. DCs that focus on developing outputs and DCs whose focus is more on fostering dialogue on specific issues.
- Regardless of the number of DC speakers on the panel, other DCs would be welcome to contribute to the discussions in an interactive manner (e.g. following up on points made by the panellists).
- The panel should not include only DCs. Suggestions for other potential panellists included the chair of the Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG), the UN Secretary-General's Envoy on Technology, members of the recently appointed IGF Leadership Panel.
- A report summarising the key points raised during the session should be shared with the MAG, the Leadership Panel, the Office of the Envoy on Technology, and others.

Next steps
➢ DCs to fine-tune the main session concept and continue discussions on how to decide which coalitions will be on the main session panel.
➢ An invitation could already be sent to the (Office of the) Envoy on Technology to contribute as a panellist to the main session.
➢ Mark Carvell (Internet Standards, Security and Safety Coalition – IS3C) and Minda Moreira (Internet Rights and Principles Coalition – IRPC) to take the lead in advancing preparations for the main session. They are to be assisted by the IGF Secretariat.

2. Follow-up on IS3C letter

DCs were reminded that discussions had been held in previous meetings about the letter that the IS3C submitted to the MAG inviting the group, among other things, to facilitate more opportunities for DCs to interact with experts and present their outcomes at IGF meetings. While suggestions such as holding a mid-year event for intersessional activities were generally well received, concerns remained that it may be counterproductive for DCs to have too many requests (e.g. asking for more dedicated space during the IGF annual meeting).

Next steps
➢ Instead of trying to reach consensus on whether the letter or elements of it could be endorsed by all DCs, it was agreed to focus on identifying elements of the letter that could be incorporated into the discussions to be held during the IGF 2022 main session.

3. Follow-up on the DCs 2021 report
In 2021, DCs agreed to follow up on the report produced during the year – *IGF Dynamic Coalitions: Digital cooperation in practice* – and identify issues to advance work on.

Key points raised
● Issued identified as potential work items for DCs to focus on include:
  ○ Setting more expectations on DCs in terms of the dynamic and intersessional nature of their work.
  ○ Developing a blueprint that DCs could use to find inspiration when developing charters/terms of reference/other documents to guide their works.
  ○ Developing a dispute resolution mechanism for DCs.
  ○ Looking into modalities for how to translate DC outputs into IGF outputs.
  ○ Discussing issues related to the possibility of introducing a mechanism for 'quality control' for DCs work.

Next steps
➢ DCs to revisit the 2021 report, identify issues to work on, and use the report as input into the DC main session.

4. AOB
DCs were reminded that they are welcome to contribute to the planning of the five thematic main sessions (details in Annex 1).

Annex 1
IGF 2022 main sessions

- **IGF 2022 Main Session on Addressing Advanced Technologies, including AI**
  2022ai-ms@intgovforum.org
  https://intgovforum.org/mailman/listinfo/2022ai-ms_intgovforum.org
- **IGF 2022 Main Session on Connecting All People and Safeguarding Human Rights**
  2022connecthr-ms@intgovforum.org
  https://intgovforum.org/mailman/listinfo/2022connecthr-ms_intgovforum.org
- **IGF 2022 Main Session on Governing Data and Protecting Privacy**
  2022dataprivacy-ms@intgovforum.org
  https://intgovforum.org/mailman/listinfo/2022dataprivacy-ms_intgovforum.org
- **IGF 2022 Main Session on Avoiding Internet Fragmentation**
  2022if-ms@intgovforum.org
  https://intgovforum.org/mailman/listinfo/2022if-ms_intgovforum.org
- **IGF 2022 Main Session on Enabling Safety, Security and Accountability**
  2022security-ms@intgovforum.org
  https://intgovforum.org/mailman/listinfo/2022security-ms_intgovforum.org