IGF 2022
Dynamic Coalition Coordination Group
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Summary Report

Overview

Discussion revolved around planning of the Dynamic Coalitions' (DC) main session at the IGF 2022 meeting. Mark Carvell, who had been asked at the previous meeting to take the lead, had circulated a concept paper as an input into the discussion (the paper is attached as Annex I). The meeting confirmed the broad consensus arrived at during the last DCCG meeting - the main session should be divided into two parts: the first segment should explore the roles and experiences of DCs within/alongside the evolution of the wider IGF/'IGF Plus' ecosystem, while the second segment would examine its potential contributions to the Global Digital Compact (GDC) and upcoming WSIS+20 review. The meeting discussed the details of the proposed session such as title, form, discussion sub-topics, and desired outcomes.

Participants thanked Sorina Teleanu for supporting the DCCG whose contact with the UN had come to an end. They expressed their appreciation for her excellent work and wished her all the best for her future. The meeting welcomed Polly Scholte-Sikorsky who had started an internship with the IGF Secretariat and was to take over Sorina's tasks in support of the DCs.

The meeting was moderated by Markus Kummer, Co-Facilitator of the DCCG.

Key points raised

1. The title of the session should be short, succinct, and attention-grabbing. Members of the DCCG were invited to offer feedback over the coming fortnight on the current working title: 'How Can the IGF's Dynamic Coalitions Support the Global Digital Compact?'.

2. Interaction between the panelists and the other session participants should be prioritised. The discussion's level of complexity should not be too high, so as to allow less experienced participants to engage in the conversation.

3. Potential panelists could be Vint Cerf in his capacity as Chair of the Leadership Panel, a government representative on the Leadership Panel, a representative of the Tech Envoy Office, a

MAG member, and representatives of different DCs. Panelists should be chosen bearing in mind age, gender, and geographical balances.

4. Some were concerned that the suggested number of panelists (7) be too large to allow for the desired interaction (given that the session is only 90 minutes).

5. The DCCG members discussed the potential sub-topics proposed in the draft session agenda, which are:
   - The role of the DCs in the 'IGF Plus' ecosystem
   - Contributions the DCs could make to the GFC and upcoming WSIS+20 Review

   Some thought that maybe the session would flow better if these topics were discussed in reverse order. Others believed that starting small and then going big made more sense.

6. The question arose as to whether various DCs may view their roles within these institutions/processes differently. It was suggested that a review be undertaken so as to allow the DCCG to reflect on whether/how diverse voices could be incorporated in the session discussions. The objective of the survey would be to assess which DCs are active or inactive and find out which DCs might be interested in participating in the proposed main session and how relevant their activities are in response to the proposed Roadmap for Digital Cooperation.

7. The session should have clear outcomes. Suggested goals were:
   - To raise awareness of DC work among less familiar session participants
   - To tighten coordination among DCs and agree on broad common goals
   - There was an idea also to record some semi-formal agreement among members of the panel.

8. It was suggested that Markus should chair the session, given his experience with the IGF and working within the DC network. This proposal received broad support.

Next Steps

1. DCCG members are to offer contributions to the working title.
2. DCCG members are invited to offer contributions to the draft agenda.
3. The next DCCG meeting is to be scheduled for the week of 17 October (and for the next two months meetings are to be held fortnightly to aid main session preparation).
4. Send out the survey to all DCs.

Annex I

Dynamic Coalitions Main Session IGF 2022

Draft Agenda

When: Day 2, 30 November 2022, 13:50-15:20 (90 minutes)

Title: 'How Can the IGF's Dynamic Coalitions Support the Global Digital Compact?'

Description: The UN Secretary-General's Roadmap on Digital Cooperation set out proposals for strengthening the IGF as a platform for multistakeholder dialogue with greater diversity of participation and multi-year strategic planning, with the aim of delivering more tangible outcomes in the form of policy recommendations and best practice. In this way the IGF community of stakeholders will advance equitable and secure digital transformation in support of sustainable development and greater social well-being worldwide.

This interactive panel discussion at IGF 2022 will examine in particular the role of the IGF's Dynamic Coalitions in the "IGF Plus" eco-system and specifically the potential contribution they will be able make to the UN Global Digital Compact (GDC) in 2023 and to the WSIS+20 Review in 2025 which includes a review by the UN General Assembly of the IGF's mandate.

Proposed Agenda:

Chair's opening remarks (5 mins)

Part 1

The integration of DCs in the IGF Plus eco-system

(40 minutes - including 15 mins for audience interaction)

Part 2

The contribution of DC priorities, activities and outcomes to the UN Secretary-General's Global Digital Compact (GDC) and the WSIS+20 Review

(40 minutes - including15 minutes for audience interaction)

Chair's summary of outcomes (5 minutes)

Participants:

Chair

Moderator

Panel comprising representatives of:

- Office of the Technology Envoy
- Leadership Panel
- IGF Multistakeholder Advisory Group
- Dynamic Coalitions

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Annex II

List of Participants

Coordination Facilitators		
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Participants		
Frédéric	Cohen	DC on Data Driven Health Technologies
Olivier	Crepin-Leblond	DC on Core Internet Values
Wout	De Natris	DC on Internet Standards, Security and Safety Coalition
Amali	De Silva-M.	DC on Data Driven Health Technologies
Avri	Doria	DC on Schools of Internet Governance
Stefan	Fischer	
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Minda	Moreira	DC on Internet Rights and Principles Coalition
Sivan	Muthusamy	DC on Core Internet Values
June	Parris	DC on Data Driven Health Technologies

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