Our group

A cohort of young professionals deeply engaged in Internet Governance processes, who are committed to fostering a more responsible, open, and secure digital environment for their communities. Hailing from diverse regions and fields of expertise, they collaborate extensively on various topics and projects, aiming to drive positive change and shape the digital future.

**Dana Cramer (Canada) — ACADEMIA / CIVIL SOCIETY**

Dana is Canada’s leading young Internet leader. Currently a PhD Candidate in the joint graduate program in Communication and Culture at Toronto Metropolitan and York Universities, she researches Internet Governance and telecommunications policy. Dana holds the position of President at Youth IGF Canada and is a member of the All-Hands committee of the Canadian IGF. With involvement in various Internet Governance initiatives, including the ISOC Youth Ambassadors program, ICANN’s NextGen program, ARIN52 Fellowship program, and a CIGI’s Digital Policy Hub, where she researches evolutions in global Internet Governance spaces, Dana is dedicated to promoting an open and accessible Internet.

**Tabitha Wangechi (Kenya) — TECHNICAL COMMUNITY**

Tabitha is a digital security trainer and Cyber Diplomat. She is also the Founder of Digital Rurals, whose focus is to connecting the unconnected to the digital world while safeguarding those already connected. Tabitha is deeply committed to promoting online safety and security, as well as narrowing the digital and gender gaps. Her goal is to shape a sustainable future for the Internet in Africa, ensuring that everyone has equal access and protection in the digital world.

**Aaron Promise Mbah (Nigeria) — PRIVATE SECTOR**

Aaron is a digital innovation and social impact strategist. He is the lead strategist at Tlits Innovation Lab, focused on driving digital transformations through research, digital acceleration, and policy advocacy. His professional focus centers on the intersection of digital technology and global development, specifically on issues related to global Internet Governance, technology diplomacy, digital trade, digital acceleration, and inclusion. Aaron actively participates in Internet Governance initiatives such as the 2023 Africa IGF, Africa Youth IGF and Nigeria IGF. He is also a 2024 Youth Ambassador for the Internet Society and the Youth Coalition on Internet Governance (YCIG).

**Vladislav Ivanets (Russia) — CIVIL SOCIETY**

Vlad's work and activities center around civil society development, freedom of expression, and regulation of the digital space. With a Master's degree in Journalism, he brings over a decade of experience in journalism and content management for independent Russian media outlets and NGOs. Active in Internet Governance since 2020, Vlad contributes to digital prosperity as an ISOC Youth Ambassador, a member of the EuroDIG 2024 Programme Committee, and participant in various initiatives such as the Youth Board of CCTLD.RU, SEEDIG, YouthDIG, and IGF.

**Olamiposi Fasina (Nigeria) — CIVIL SOCIETY**

Olamiposi is a legal practitioner at ODR Africa Network, where she passionately advocates for the use of technology in dispute resolution to enhance access to justice. Trained as a penetration tester at Cybersafe Foundation, she is currently completing her Master’s degree in Cyber Law and is committed to digital safety and protecting online rights. Olamiposi believes in ensuring that everyone feels safe and heard on the internet. Her interest lies in integrating her legal expertise with technical knowledge to contribute to policy formulation and advocacy efforts in this field.