Caribbean Internet Public Policy Forum 2022

Provisional Agenda – Day 1: 26 May 2022

Dur	Time	Sessions	Presenters	Organizations
OPENING				
5	9:00	**Welcome Remarks**	Einar Bohlin	**ARIN VP Gov. Affairs**
5	9:05	**Welcome Remarks**	Kevon Swift	**LACNIC**
10	9:10	**Opening Remarks and Forum 2021 Overview**	Rodney Taylor	**CTU Secretary-General**
KEYNOTE				
25	**9:20**	**FEATURE ADDRESS: INVESTING IN TRANSFORMATION** From Plans to Progress – Trends, Challenges and Opportunities for Achieving Digital Transformation in Emerging Economies		**Bevil Wooding** **Adviser, Strategic ICT** **OECS Commission**
		What really are the benefits of connectivity? And do they in fact outweigh the complex set of challenges being connected brings to individuals, corporations, governments and societies that have become increasingly dependent on being online? This keynote address will look at the trends in the global connectivity opportunities and challenges and specific implications for Developing States.		
20	**9:45**	**Keynote Interaction / Q&A**		**Moderator – Nigel Cassimire**
10	10:05	Morning Break		
60	**10:15**	**ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION I:** **Transformation in Action:** Evolving Public Policy Practices and Trends in the Caribbean		**Moderated by** **Kevon Swift,** **LACNIC**
		What We See: Highlights and Issues from the Region. Curtis Charles – Building Innovation Capacity: Five Islands Campus (Antigua and Barbuda), Amicia Mussenden – Preparing for Digital Services - IXP Development in St Kitts and Nevis (St Kitts and Nevis), Denise White – Measuring Digital Transformation (Trinidad & Tobago)		
60	**11:15**	**ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION II:** **Advancing the Caribbean Digital Agenda:** The Caribbean at WTDC: Key Issues and Priorities		**Moderated by** **Rodney Taylor,** **CTU**
		Highlights and Issues Entering the WTDC Forum. Mavis Johnson-Collie (Gov, Bahamas), Dr. Kim Mallalieu (Regulator, TT), Cecil McCain (Gov, Jamaica)		
15	12:15	Day 1 Synthesis and Wrap Up		
	12:30	**SESSION ENDS**		