



20th Caribbean Internet Governance Forum

DAY 1: Wednesday 21st August 2024

Pegasus Hotel, Guyana

Provisional Agenda

TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
09:00	National Anthem	
09:03	Opening Prayer	Inter-Religious Organization
09:05	Opening Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor Secretary-General Caribbean Telecommunications Union (CTU)
09:10	Greetings from Partner Organizations	Mr. Albert Daniels Senior Manager, Stakeholder Engagement - Caribbean, ICANN. Mr. Sebastian Bellagamba VP, External Engagement, ISOC. Ms. Paula Oteguay Multistakeholder Engagement Coordinator, LACNIC. Mr. Bevil Wooding Director of Caribbean Affairs, ARIN & CAJS. Mr. Chengetai Masango Head of Office, UN IGF Secretariat.
09:30	Feature Address	Mr. Andre Griffith Director of Telecommunications Telecommunications Agency, Guyana
09:45	Vote of Thanks	Mr. Nigel Cassimire Deputy Secretary-General, Caribbean Telecommunications Union (CTU)
09:50	OFFICIAL GROUP PHOTO	
10:00	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30	Introduction to Internet Governance & Reflections @ CIGF 20	Mr. Nigel Cassimire Deputy Secretary-General, Caribbean Telecommunications Union (CTU)
11:15	National, Regional and Global IG Contexts	Reports from National, Regional & Global IGFs Mr. Tracy Hackshaw – TT MAG Ms. Stéphanie Joseph - President ISOC Haiti - Haiti IGF Ms. Lilian Chamorro Rojas - Coordinator, LACIGF Ms. Nia Nanan – SIDS IGF Ms. Anja Gengo - UN IGF Secretariat and Ms. Carol Roach – UN IGF MAG Chair
12:15	General Discussion and Q&A	
12:30	LUNCH BREAK	



3rd Caribbean Youth Internet Governance Forum
Wednesday 21st August 2024
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TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
13:30	3 rd CYIGF Opening Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor Secretary-General, CTU Mr. Tariq Mohammed , CYIGF Chair
13:40	Empowering Youth and Addressing Challenges in Global Internet Governance: Navigating the Future of Digital Policy	Mr. Maarten Botterman Chair of GFCE Working Group on Emerging Technologies
13:55	Panel Discussion: Empowering Caribbean Youth: Driving the Global Compact and SIDS Agendas into Action	Moderators: Ms. Celeste Pereira , ITU Youth Envoy Speakers: Mr. Shergaun Roserie Director of Orbtronics Ltd. Mr. Filippo Pierozzi Associate Expert, United Nations, Office of the Envoy on Technology Ms. Nancy Quirós Internet Society (ISOC) Ms. Jael Goddard External Relations Associate
14:20	Panel Discussion: Securing our Digital Future: Tackling Cyber Threats and Protecting Privacy in the Caribbean	Moderators: Ms. Renasha Cassar & Mr. Tyler Seudath , CYIGF Speakers: Mr. Kevon Swift , Head of Public Safety Affairs, LACNIC Mr. Michael Thomas , Guyana Computer Incident Response Team at the National Data Management Authority (NDMA) Mrs. Candy Saunders-Alfred , Cyber Analyst, CARICOM Implementation Agency for Crime and Security (IMPACS) Mr. Shernon Osepa , CTU
15:00	Panel Discussion: Bridging the Digital Divide: Ensuring Inclusive Access for Caribbean Youth, Persons with Disabilities and Vulnerable Populations	Moderator: Ms. Naomi Padmore & Ms. Shanelle McPherson , CYIGF Speakers: Mr. Kirk Sookram Deputy CEO, Telecommunications Authority of Trinidad and Tobago Mr. Keeghan Patrick Youth Envoy, ITU Generation Connect Mr. Royston Emmanuel



		Senior Technical Specialist - Education in the Education Management Unit, OECS
15:45	Panel Discussion: Turning Clicks into Cash: Overcoming Challenges and Advancing Monetization for Caribbean Content Creators	Moderator: Ms. Shanelle McPherson , CYIGF Jennifer Persad-Boodoo Keron Rose Kyle Maloney Co-Founder, Director Tech Beach Retreat
16:40	AI in Action: Boosting Business Efficiency and Cutting Costs in the Caribbean Private Sector	Mr. Leslie Lee Fook Director of AI, Automation and Analytics, Incus Services Limited
16:55	3 rd CYIGF Closing Remarks	Ms. Gabrielle Johnson , CTU Youth ICT Network Mr. Tariq Mohammed , CYIGF Chair



20th Caribbean Internet Governance Forum
Global Forum for Cyber Expertise – Internet Infrastructure Initiative (GFCE Triple-I)
Workshop
Day 2 – Thursday 22nd August 2024
Pegasus Hotel, Guyana
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TIME	SESSION	SPEAKER
09:00	Welcome & Opening Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor , Secretary-General, CTU Mr. Maarten Botterman , GFCE Triple-I
09:15	<p>I - Better Use of Today’s Open Internet Standards: the use and usefulness of Open Internet Standards such as DNSSEC, TLS, DANE, RPKI, ROA, DMARC, DKIM, SPF and IPv6. Reference the GFCE Triple-I Handbook at the GFCE Triple-I webpage, and technical tests for the state of implementation at www.internet.nl.</p> <p>Section 1: DNS Security (DNSSEC, TLS and DANE) Section 2: Routing Security (PKI and ROA)</p> <p>Section 3: Email Security Section 4: IPv6</p> <p>We will discuss the WHY and WHAT of these open standards and explore the current state of uptake in the region, based upon a measuring using https://internet.nl. Real numbers on current uptake will help better understand where the region stands.</p>	<p>Mr. Nicolas Antonello, ICANN Mr. Bevil Wooding, ARIN/Mr. Kevon Swift, LACNIC Hovsep Najarian /EasyDMARC Mr. Bevil Wooding, ARIN/Mr. Kevon Swift, LACNIC, Mr. Shernon Osepa, CTU</p>
10:45	COFFEE BREAK	
11:00	<p>II Part 1 - Inspiration from Good Practice Actions:</p> <p>Next to technical modern Internet standards it is important to manage the Internet resources in a good practice way, learning from global internet practices. In Part 1 we will focus on:</p> <p>a- Internet Resilience Index: Insight in the local Internet resilience in terms of infrastructure, performance, security, and market readiness is key when policies are to be developed and prioritized where it is most needed</p> <p>b- MANRS: rationale, development and deployment of Mutually Agreed Norms for Routing Security in the region, building on global experience</p> <p>c- KINDNS: Knowledge-Sharing and Instantiating Norms for DNS and Naming Security will help keep the DNS space secure</p>	<p>Ms. Nancy Quirós & Mr. Dan York – Internet Society (ISOC)</p> <p>Mr. Andrei Robachevsky - Global Cyber Alliance</p> <p>Mr. Nicolas Antonello, Mr. Albert Daniels - ICANN</p>
12:30	LUNCH	

<p>13:30</p>	<p>II Part 2 - Inspiration from Good Practice Actions:</p> <p>a- “Cookbook” on DDOS attack mitigation (see https://www.concordia-h2020.eu/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/PREPRINT-D3-6_DDoS_Clearing_House_Cookbook.pdf),</p> <p>b- Global Cyber Alliance: Capacity and resilience toolkits for small enterprises (https://globalcyberalliance.org)</p> <p>c- Avoiding Disconnection – Understanding the resilience of subsea cable infrastructure</p> <p>d- Promoting Caribbean Internet Resilience: The DNS Observatory Project</p> <p>e- Good Practices for Secure and Resilient Operations of ccTLD registries</p>	<p>Mr. Thijs van den Hout – SIDN - The Netherlands</p> <p>Mr. Brian Cute – Global Cyber Alliance</p> <p>Mr. Dan York – Internet Society (ISOC) Prof. Nicole Starosielski - University of California at Berkeley</p> <p>Mr. Shernon Osepa - CTU</p> <p>Ms. Kroopa Shah - Identity Digital Prof. Patrick Hosein - nic.tt</p>
<p>15:30</p>	<p>COFFEE BREAK</p>	
<p>15:45</p>	<p>III - Action Planning for increasing justified trust, together:</p> <p>Facilitated brainstorm, based on the input discussed over the day, and an introduction on a possible way forward leveraging the “justified trust in the use of the Internet and email” throughout the region. Relevant projects for this will be proposed to consider.</p>	<p>Mr. Maarten Botterman</p>
<p>16:15</p>	<p>Data for Good</p> <p>CSAM Status and Policy Actions UN’s Draft Convention on Cybercrime</p>	<p>Mr. Alex Pompe - Meta</p> <p>Ms. Maria De Lourdes Gutierrez Ortiz Monasterio - UNODC</p>
<p>16:55</p>	<p>Conclusions and Closing Remarks</p>	<p>Mr. Nigel Cassimire - CTU</p>
<p>17:00</p>	<p>END OF DAY 2</p>	



20th Caribbean Internet Governance Forum
Day 3 – Friday 23rd August 2024
CTU/ARIN/LACNIC Policy Forum & Guyana Focus Session
Pegasus Hotel, Guyana
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TIME	SESSION	SPEAKERS
09:00	Opening Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor Secretary General - CTU
09:05	Welcome Remarks	Mr. Bevil Wooding – Director, Caribbean Affairs, ARIN Mr. Kevon Swift – Head of Public Safety Affairs, LACNIC
09:15	Feature Presentations and Q&A:	
	Caribbean AI Policy Roadmap 2024 Needs Assessment Survey on Artificial Intelligence, Digital Transformation and Open Data in Small Island Developing States (SIDS) Fostering Caribbean AI Entrepreneurship – A Case Study from the Justice Sector	Dr. Paul Hector and Ms. Erica Simmons - UNESCO Dr. Bhanu Neupane - UNESCO Mr. Kevin Khelawan – Caribbean Agency for Justice Solutions (CAJS)
10:15	Strategic Cybersecurity and Digital Resilience Digital Economy Initiatives: Next Round of gTLDs and the Applicant Support Programme	Mr. Kevon Swift – LACNIC Mr. Albert Daniels - ICANN
	Interactive Discussion Segment	Moderator: Mr. Nigel Cassimire – Deputy SG, CTU
11:00	COFFEE BREAK	
11:15	Guyana Focus Session: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Status of Internet Infrastructure Measuring the Information Society 	Mr. Andre Griffith – Telecommunications Agency, Guyana Ms. Viviana Umpierrez – ITU and Ms. Nia Nanan - CTU
12:15	LUNCH	
13:30	Examining the Global Digital Compact (GDC): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GDC Overview and Context UN SG’s High Level Advisory Board Briefing Session: AI and the Global Digital Compact 	Moderator: Mr. Shernon Osepa - CTU Mr. Maarten Botterman – GFCE UN HLAB Members: Dr. Craig Ramlal Ms. Jimena Viveros
14:30	Forum Discussion: Looking forward for the CIGF. Framing questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is there a continuing role for a regional harmonisation mechanism such as the CIGF? 	Mr. Nigel Cassimire – CTU With Seeding Discussants from Stakeholder Communities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Given the transition from Internet governance to digital governance, what key challenges would the CIGF need to evolve to meet?- What good practices and practical lessons can we draw on to improve the effectiveness of the CIGF?- What priority actions can we identify towards advancing, strengthening and sustaining the CIGF?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Private Sector- Academia- Civil Society- Technical Community
15:30	COFFEE BREAK	
15:45	Open Microphone	
16:15	Conclusions and Next Steps	Mr. Rodney Taylor & Mr. Nigel Cassimire - CTU
16:30	END OF 20TH CIGF	