

Dynamic Coalition on Small Island Developing States in the Internet Economy (DC-SIDS)



## 2<sup>ND</sup> SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (SIDS) INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM (PART TWO)

"Leveraging Digital Governance for Resilient Prosperity in SIDS"

## **AGENDA**

Date: May 29<sup>th</sup> 2024

Venue: Official Side Event ID: 189, SIDS 4 Conference

Room 11, American University of Antigua, Antigua & Barbuda

Time: 14:00 - 15:30 AST

Time	Topic	Presenter
14:00	Welcome Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor Secretary General, CTU
14:05	Opening Remarks	The Honourable Melford Nicholas Minister of Information Communication Technologies (ICTs), Utilities and Energy Antigua and Barbuda
14:15	Keynote: Whole-of-Society Approach to Digital Transformation and Sustainable Digital Solutions	<b>Dr. Reyson Lizardo</b> Director, Government and Public Administration, Dominican Republic
14:30	Keynote: Identifying Vulnerabilities and Assessing Risks to Enhance Digital Resilience and Meet the SDGs in SIDS	Ms. Limya Eltayeb Resident Representative of UNDP Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean
14:45	Keynote: The Role of AI and 4IR Digital Technologies in Building Resilient SIDS	Dr. Curtis Charles
15:00	Official Photo	
15:05	Panel Discussion: SIDS in Global Digital Governance	Moderator: Ms. Nia Nanan, CTU Panelists:  Mr. Cleveland Thomas, ITU  Mr. Albert Daniels, ICANN  Ms. Vashti Maharaj, Adviser- Digital Trade Policy, The Commonwealth Secretariat
15:20	Outcomes and Next Steps	Mr. Nigel Cassimire Deputy Secretary-General, CTU
15:25	Closing Remarks	Mr. Rodney Taylor Secretary-General, CTU
15:30	End of Meeting	