

GROUP III

A. MAIN SESSION PROPOSALS

Recommended Topics	Suggested by	Thematic Track	Group Remarks
Definitive/Committed Actions for Connecting and Enabling the Remaining Billions	MAG members : Roberto Zambrana and Karim Attoumani Mohammed	Inclusion	Suggest to change the title (inc. business model)
Digital Cooperation / Digital Roadmap	Input from Open Consultations supported by several stakeholders.		include MAG representation in the panel
Emerging Issues	Input from Open Consultations suggested by ISOC		suggest to ask more information on this proposal for us to decide whether this session is fit to main session or open forum
Role of the Internet in Emergency Situations	NRIs		full support :)
WS #229 A changin' times for data governance?	Data WS Evaluation Group	Data	to be organized by MAG members. MAG member should communicate with the WS proposers for this plan to co-organize and develop the speakers and scope of the session
Environment	Environment WS Evaluation Group	Environment	suggestion to Envi group - present data on climate change, misinformation
a. New trends in digital domains b. Principle, rules and norm for responsible behaviour of tech company and digital platform	Input from observer for Trust Evaluation Group	Trust	Let the WG to decide what topic to choose as the main session
Covid-19 pandemic and its impact on work of DCs	DCs		suggest that they coordinate closely with the secretariat so there is no repetition with the High Level Leaders meeting organized by UNDESA

*Question: Is there any submission from BPFs

*Numbers of main session : 10 main sessions.

Impact of vIGF on main session

- Duration: 2 hours
- Speakers: no limitation, as the organizers to put an effort on the diversity of the panel, but considering with the strong moderation
- Format: depends on what platform the Secretariat would use if it could enable breakout groups during the main session. Virtual rooms also give the organizers a chance to set up Q&A with the participants.

Next step on main session preparation:

- List the possible themes for the main session
- Identify the MAG members who would volunteer to organize and facilitate.

B. INTRODUCTORY AND CONCLUDING SESSIONS

Same with last year, the Introductory session will give the general outlook about each track, with the opening remarks with some experts. Meanwhile, the concluding session is a wrap up and comment from each track.

General comment: Follow the same format as last year, with consideration on what works best with the online platform, as be able to divide into breakout rooms. As the IGF goes virtual, concluding sessions might be organized after all the workshop and session would be presented, to give the complete outlook.

D. IGF 2020 GOING VIRTUAL

IGF 2020 going virtual bring the following advantages:

- a. no location constraints - speaker and participant could join from anywhere.
- b. statistically wise - get very accurate attendance statistics including stakeholder spread and regional balance down to a per session level, as long as attendances spread proportionally in each session and time zone.

The challenge is to find the 'perfect' format and arrange the sessions, booths, events accordingly.

Here are some of our thoughts on the format of the vIGF:

- If using Central Time Zone, probably participant from Asia cannot join
- If possible, distribute sessions on three time zones, so that at least there are two sessions for each track, for example.
- How many virtual rooms dedicated for each track or main session
- What social media platforms to be used?
- Is there any security team to take care of the cybersecurity issues?

When is “**Newcomers Session**” happening?

We suggest that there should be a coordination with the MAG on the Secretariat's plan.

Suggested ideas for Newcomers session:

- Organize a week before the IGF
- ask the school of IG or academies to be organizers