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Welcome to the 13th Internet Governance Forum, in Paris, France and another edition of the ICANNWiki Quick Guide. It is certain to be an eventful week, with Paris Digital Week in full swing. Events happening this week include the Paris Peace Forum, the GovTech Summit and of course the IGF. While we try to make the most of our time in the City of Light, the ITU Plenipotentiary is happening in Dubai.

This Quick Guide is packed with curated highlights of the Plenipotentiary and an overview of the themes that will drive the IGF. Additionally, we know there is a lot to take in this week, so we've provided the most complete IGF Acronym guide that you can find.

While we do not have a formal Edit-a-thon at the IGF, our booth will serve as a place to gather and collaboratively develop content that is aimed at making internet governance more accessible. Come find us this week and help us roll up our sleeves and make ICANNWiki a better resource for all.

We are looking forward to a productive week!

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ABOUT ICANNWiki

ICANNWiki is a grassroots, community effort to create and curate articles describing the people, organizations, terms and topics within the ICANN community. We actively seek worldwide collaboration to increase understanding of how policy is created for the continued development of the Internet. In particular we cover the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) and related multistakeholder policy and management bodies.

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About Us

ICANNWiki provides the best resource available on ICANN and its community. All of the content is neutral, factual, well-referenced, and most importantly, community-built.

ICANNWiki is not affiliated with the Internet Corporation of Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN). It is an independent organization dedicated to making ICANN and Internet governance more accessible.

an essential resource

With thousands of individuals and organizations involved in ICANN, there's a lot of information available out there. The problem is that it's dispersed across thousands of resources, making it time-consuming to locate. We aggregate this information, saving users valuable time. More importantly, this platform provides a layout of the ICANN ecosystem, providing context that makes the information easier to understand.

community input

ICW's content is sourced by the community and is open to anyone with a desire to contribute. The content is guided by basic guidelines, including neutrality, transparency, reliable referencing and relevance to Internet governance. Collective content development ensures that diverse perspectives feed into a reliable and neutral resource. The value of this should not be underestimated in light of the growing trend of echo chambers, biased information and disinformation.

information sharing

ICW is more than just a resource. It provides all stakeholders an opportunity to share information about their work with the community. This increased awareness of what is happening in the field promotes coordination and mutual learning on national, regional and global levels.

Get Involved!

If you are interested in supporting our mission, there are several ways you can help! Whether you want to support in your own capacity or on behalf of your organization, your contributions are vital to our success. If you are interested, contact us at dustin@icannwiki.com.

contribute

We welcome contributors of every experience level, so whether you are a newcomer or a veteran we would love to see your knowledge applied to improving this resource for the entire community. You can create articles on anything that you know or care about, as long as it is relevant to the governance of the Internet.

Get Started by creating an account at icw.ink/acct

translate

We especially need volunteers to help us continue to build our content in languages other than English. Our current languages include Chinese, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish and Swahili, with potential projects forming in French and Persian. If you are interested in translating into one of the listed languages, join the existing community. If not, ask us how you can launch another initiative.

partner

We are always looking for new ways to collaborate with our community. Much of our existing partnerships come in the form of regional outreach, including IG workshops at universities and translation initiatives. We are always looking for institutions and organizations that want to host an Edit-a-thon. These can be general, focus on specific language, or be built around a theme of interest to your community. We are open to your ideas as well.

sponsor/donate

ICW relies on the generous support of our community to keep our project running. Every dollar we get is dedicated to improving an already great resource on Internet governance and make it more accessible to all. We believe that we offer a lot of value to our sponsors, with special opportunities to sponsor digital materials and giveaways at ICANN meetings. Our sponsored items are some of the most recognized in the IG community.

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INTERNET GOVERNANCE ON THE HORIZON



After 20 years and 60+ meetings, ICANN has demonstrated the value of multistakeholder governance and facilitated the evolution of the Internet. However, as Internet-related issues become a larger focal point for governments on national and international levels, it is increasingly evident that ICANN is not immune to the events outside of its walls. A perfect example is the impact of the GDPR on WHOIS. In November alone we'll see ICANN63, the ITU Plenipotentiary, the IGF, IETF 103, and the G20 Leaders' Summit.

ITU PLENIPOTENTIARY 2018 PP-18

The Plenipotentiary is a quadrennial conference where Member States negotiate the mission, scope, structure and procedures in its Constitution and Convention (CS/CV). While no changes are expected to CS/CV itself at PP-18, the next four years of the ITU's work will be shaped by new and updated Resolutions, Decisions and Recommendations. The issues on the docket include Internet governance, cybersecurity, access, infrastructure, IoT, AI and OTT Services. Additionally, there will be discussion on the path forward on the International Telecommunication Regulations (ITRs), which were most recently negotiated at World Conference on International Telecommunications (WCIT-12), but were only signed by 89 of the 151 member states.

Resolutions to Watch

Cybersecurity	
130	Strengthening the role of the ITU in building confidence and security in the use of information and communications technologies
181	Definitions and terminology relating to building confidence and security in the use of information and communication technologies

Access and Infrastructure	
137	Next-generation network deployment and connectivity to broadband networks in developing countries
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Internet Governance	
101	Internet Protocol-based Networks
102	ITU's role with regard to international public policy issues pertaining to the Internet and the management of Internet resources, including domain names and addresses
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13TH IGF INTERNET OF TRUST

The agenda in Paris is filled with workshops, open forums, and sessions for intersessional work, including best practice forums, dynamic coalitions and the work on Connecting and Enabling the Next Billion(s).

THEMES AND SESSIONS

Development, Innovation & Economic Issues

11 Workshops | 5 Open Forums

0 BPF | 2 DC | 1 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 369 A BRIC hit the Web: Finding patterns in digital policymaking

Evolution of IG

7 Workshops | 4 Open Forums

0 BPF | 1 DC | NRI Main Session

Session to Watch:
WS 388 Making National Laws Good for Internet Governance

Technical & Operational Topics

7 Workshops | 2 Open Forums

0 BPF | 0 DC | 0 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 408 DNS enhancements and alternatives for the Future Internet

Human Rights, Gender & Youth

12 Workshops | 2 Open Forums

1 BPF | 4 DC | 0 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 349 A Multistakeholder Approach to HRIAs: Lessons from ICANN



Emerging Technologies

6 Workshops | 1 Open Forums

1 BPF | 1 DC | 1 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 423 AI and the future of diplomacy: What's in store

Digital Inclusion & Accessibility

10 Workshops | 2 Open Forums

0 BPF | 5 DC | 1 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 262 The challenges of capacity development: practical approach

Cybersecurity, Trust & Privacy

13 Workshops | 6 Open Forums

1 BPF | 1 DC | 1 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 50: Whois collected, disclosed and protected: CERTs viewpoint

Media & Content

3 Workshops | 5 Open Forums

1 BPF | 0 DC | 1 NRI

Session to Watch:
WS 452 Community governance in an age of platform responsibility

Internet Governance

ABC's

AI Artificial Intelligence	CN Community Networks	ETSI European Telecommunications Standards Institute	IETF Internet Engineering Task Force	IXP Internet Exchange Point	UN United Nations
APT Asia-Pacific Telecommunity	CS/CV Constitution and Convention (ITU)	EU European Union	IG Internet Governance	LACNIC Latin American and Caribbean Internet Addresses Registry	UN DESA United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs
AFNIC African Network Information Center	CSIRT Computer Security Incident Response Team	GDPR General Data Protection Regulation	IGF Internet Governance Forum	MAG Multistakeholder Advisory Group	UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
APC Association for Progressive Communications	CSTD UN Commission on Science and Technology for Development	GFCE Global Forum on Cyber Expertise	IGFSA Internet Governance Forum Support Association	NOG Internet Network Operators' Group	UNESCO United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
APNIC Asia Pacific Network Information Centre	DC Dynamic Coalition	GIGANET Global Internet Governance Academic Network	IGO International Governmental Organization	NRI National and Regional Initiatives (IGF)	UNGA UN General Assembly
ARIN American Registry for Internet Numbers	DC3 Dynamic Coalition on Community Connectivity	GIP Geneva Internet Platform	INGO International Non-Governmental Organization	NRO Number Resources Organization	W3C World Wide Web Consortium
ASN Autonomous System Number	DCAD Dynamic Coalition on Accessibility and Disability	GRULAC Group of Latin America and the Caribbean	IoT Internet of Things	OAS Organization of American States	WCIT World Conference on International Telecommunications
ATU African Telecommunication Union	DCCG Dynamic Coalition Coordination Group	gTLD Generic Top-Level Domain	ISOC Internet Society	OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	WEF World Economic Forum
AU African Union	DCNN Dynamic Coalition on Network Neutrality	HLPDC UN Secretary-General High Level Panel on Digital Cooperation	IP Intellectual Property or Internet Protocol	OF Open Forum	WEOG Western Europe and Others Group
AWID Association for Women's Rights in Development	DCPR Dynamic Coalition on Platform Responsibility	HRIA Human Rights Impact Assessment	IPv4 Internet Protocol Version 4	OTT Over the Top	WGIG Working Group on Internet Governance
BPF Best Practice Forum	DDoS Distributed Denial of Service	IAB Internet Architecture Board	IPv6 Internet Protocol Version 6	PP-18 ITU Plenipotentiary Conference 2018	WIPO World Intellectual Property Organization
ccNSO Country Code Names Supporting Organization	DPA Data Protection Authority	IANA Internet Assigned Numbers Authority	ISO International Organization for Standardization	PTI Public Technical Identifier	WSIS World Summit on the Information Society
ccTLD Country Code Top-Level Domain	DNS Domain Name System	ICANN Internet Corporation of Assigned Names and Numbers	ISP Internet Service Provider	RA Registry Agreement	WTDC World Telecommunication Development Conferences
CDN Content Delivery Network	DNSSEC Domain Name System Security Extensions	ICT Information and Communication Technology	IRSG Internet Research Steering Group	RCC Regional Commonwealth in the Field of Communications	WTSA World Telecommunication Standardization Assembly
CENB Connecting and Enabling the Next Billion(s)	DPO Data Protection Officer	IDI ICT Development Index	IRTF Internet Research Task Force	RFC Request for Comment	WTO World Trade Organization
CEPT European Conference of Postal and Telecommunication Administrations	ECOSOC United Nations Economic and Social Council	IDN Internationalized Domain Name	ITRs International Telecommunications Regulations	RIPE NCC Réseaux IP Européens Network Coordination Centre	WTPF World Telecommunication/ICT Policy Forum
CERT Computer Emergency Readiness Team	EC European Commission	IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers	ITU International Telecommunications Union	RIR Regional Internet Registry	
CITEL Inter-American Telecommunication Commission	EPDP Expedited Policy Development Process		ITU-D Telecommunication Development Sector (ITU)	SDGs Sustainable Development Goals	
	EDPB European Data Protection Board		ITU-T Telecommunication Standardization Sector (ITU)	SIDS Small Island Developing States	
			IX-F Internet Exchange Federation	SIG School on Internet Governance or Special Interest Group	
				TLD Top-Level Domain	

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