

**INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM
POLICY NETWORK ON MEANINGFUL ACCESS (PNMA)
MULTISTAKEHOLDER WORKING GROUP (MWG)**

- Virtual Meeting V | 4 June 2025 16:00 UTC -

SUMMARY REPORT

Action items and next steps

- The PNMA Main Session is scheduled to happen on Wednesday, 25 June, at 12:00 UTC / 14:00 CEST.
- The speaker line-up is confirmed, pending a government representative.
- A general session flow was added to the [collaborative document](#); details as presentation order and length of intervention will now be decided based on list of confirmed speakers and onsite logistical details.
- Speakers will receive a briefing prior to 25 June; there will also be assistance from onsite production on the day of the event (for both onsite and online panelists).
- The last PNMA meeting before the Annual Event in Norway will take place between 11 - 13 June (to be defined via doodle).

- The fifth meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) Policy Network on Meaningful Access (PNMA) Multistakeholder Working Group (MWG) was hosted online on 4 June 2025 16:00 UTC. The meeting served to finalize the IGF 2025 session planning, with a focus on speaker confirmations, content framing, thematic clustering, and community representation. The session also included rich updates from new speakers and stakeholders on meaningful access practices. A second agenda item was not discussed given time constraints. A complete agenda is found on Annex A1.
- The meeting was hosted by the IGF Consultant Daphnee Iglesias and facilitated by co-chair Mr. Giacomo Mazzone. A list of participants is available on Annex A2.

Discussion Summary

Session Structure and Content Framework

- The session is scheduled to happen on Wednesday, 25 June, at 12:00 UTC / 14:00 CEST.

- The session will be divided into four blocs: introductions; presentations of featured cases and practices; audience interventions; and a final wrap-up identifying common challenges and messages.
- Daphnee Iglesias emphasized the opportunity of using the PNMA session to reinforce its branding and strategic role in the internet governance ecosystem. This includes a short introduction that positions PNMA as a network that drives forward practical, replicable solutions.
- Børre Gaup, Josephine Miliza, and Onica Makwakwa were confirmed speakers present in the call. They introduced their content contributions to the main session.
- Børre Gaup from Divvun / UiT The Arctic University of Norway discussed his work developing digital language tools for the Sami community. His team has built tools such as keyboards, spell checkers, grammar checkers, text-to-speech, and experimental ASR for multiple Sami languages. This initiative was funded by the Sami Parliament and developed with deep community engagement, making it a replicable model for indigenous language inclusion.
- Josephine Miliza from APC discussed her work on community-centered connectivity and policy advocacy. She shared insights from the newly released G20 policy brief on unlocking sustainable financing for community networks, emphasizing their potential to function as MSMEs with both economic and social returns.
- Additionally, Josephine shared that APC is examining financing models to move community networks from grant dependency to sustainable enterprise models. Their approach includes preparing local communities to access financing opportunities and identifying viable instruments from development agencies and impact investors.
- Speaking as an APC board member, Poncelet Ileleji stressed the importance of engaging national regulators and universal access funds to support community networks. He also noted the role NRIs can play in advancing this agenda through local policy advocacy.
- Vint Cerf emphasized the strategic engagement of NRIs and the use of UNESCO's ROAM-X indicators to measure internet access outcomes. He welcomed the integration of metrics and data into the IGF discussions.
- Onika Makwakwa from the Global Digital Inclusion Partnership highlighted their research on gendered digital resilience and device affordability programs, including a pilot in Uganda where smartphones and data subsidies were provided to rural households.
- Daphnee Iglesias confirmed participation of several key speakers, including Guilherme Canela from UNESCO – speaking on digital inclusion -, Fabio Senne from CETIC.br presenting ROAM-X indicators applied to Brazilian reality, and Joyce Dogniez from the ISOC Foundation, who will present on capacity building policies.

- Judith Hellerstein proposed including a speaker from Papua New Guinea to highlight arts-based cultural storytelling, pending final confirmation.
- Lillian Chamorro from Colnodo proposed the inclusion of Julián Casasbuenas to present on long-term community network deployments in Colombia, supported by EU, APC, and Google.
- The PNMA Leadership discussed finalizing the panel in up to 8–9 speakers, balancing gender, geographies, and stakeholder diversity.
- The session will also leverage floor interventions to ensure broader community contributions.
- Roles of session chairs, rapporteurs, and moderators were assigned. Roberto Zambrana and Nyambura Ndung'u will assist as onsite moderators, while Jenna Fung is to be confirmed as online moderator. Judith Hellerstein and Dikchya Raut (IGF Youth Nepal) will provide reporting support.
- Daphnee Iglesias and Giacomo Mazzone emphasized the value of every contribution and committed to provide continued coordination to ensure a dynamic and inclusive session at IGF 2025.
- As per other meetings, the [collaborative document](#) contains information on the session concept and run of show.

Planning and Next Steps

- The list of speakers for the PNMA Main Session is confirmed. Judith Hellerstein will mediate the invitation made to the Papua New Guinea representative as a substitute to the Ukrainian government.
- Daphnee Iglesias will confirm attendance of IGF Youth in supporting roles.
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- As a gentle reminder from the IGF Secretariat, attendees can register for the WSIS+20 virtual Stakeholder Consultations until 05 June, at 11:59 p.m. EST. There will be two sessions to accommodate different geographic regions.
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ANNEX A1

Agenda

1. PNMA Plenary Session: updates on logistics, concept note, identification of the speakers and cases/studies (proof of concept)
2. PNMA Roadmap towards WSIS+20 High-Level Meeting
 - Defining MVP (Minimum Viable Product) or MVB (Minimum Viable Brand)
 - Key Messages from the Plenary to the High-Level Meeting
3. AOB

ANNEX A2

Attendance List

1. Ayobangira Safari
2. Børre Gaup
3. Daphnee Iglesias
4. Giacomo Mazzone
5. Josephine Miliza
6. Judith Hellerstein
7. Kossi Amessinou
8. Lilian Chamorro
9. Maarten Botterman
10. Margaret Nyambura Ndung'u
11. Maria De Brasdefer
12. Martin Schaaper
13. Omor Faruque
14. Onica N. Makwakwa
15. Peterking Quaye
16. Poncelet Ileleji
17. Roberto Gaetano
18. Roberto Zambrana
19. Vint Cerf