

**Consultation convened by the MAG Chair supported by the Government of Switzerland  
on the follow-up on the UN SG's High-Level Panel on Digital Cooperation  
14 January 2020, 15:00 - 18:00, room XVII, UNOG, Geneva, Switzerland**

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Time	Agenda Item
15:00 - 15:05	Opening and Welcome by the MAG Chair / USG Hochschild / Switzerland <i>- including overview of agenda and expected outcomes</i>
15:05 - 15:45	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Briefing on IGF 2019 innovations and outcomes and plans for 2020 (IGF Secretariat)</li> <li>2. Open discussion and input from participants on their priorities for IGF 2020 (MAG Chair / IGF Secretariat)</li> </ol>
<b>Consultation on Recommendation 5<sup>i</sup> of the UN SG's High-Level Panel on Digital Cooperation</b>	
15:45 - 16:00	3. Background and update on the HLPDC process and Recommendation 5 roadmap (Champions)
16:00 - 16:10	4. The "IGF+" model and how it can respond to gaps identified in the current IGF model (MAG Chair)
16:10 - 16:20	5. Summary of discussions at IGF 2019 in Berlin on Recommendation 5 (MAG Chair)
16:20 - 17:00	6. Open discussion on a detailed implementation plan of IGF+ model and elements that could be considered from other models described in Chapter 4 of the HLPDC Report
17:00 - 17:05	7. Preliminary remarks and conclusions from MAG Chair on general discussion
17:05 - 17:55	8. Open discussion on <u>specific digital cooperation gaps</u> identified by the HLPDC that an "IGF+" model could fill in, whether this is being already tackled, and how this could be further addressed and achieved

<sup>1</sup><https://rtceunog.webex.com/webappng/sites/rtceunog/meeting/info/d8b7744a08f54af8b025e442dd35fd1a?siteurl=rtce-unog&MTID=mbfeaeb62b245de44b9af78dfa4a956bb>

17:55 - 18:00	9. Concluding remarks including next steps from MAG Chair / Switzerland / Germany
<b>18:30 - 20:00 - Reception at the <a href="#">World Meteorological Organization (WMO - OMM)</a>, <a href="#">Mello room</a> (hosted by Switzerland)</b>	

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i 5A. We recommend that, as a matter of urgency, the UN Secretary- General facilitate an agile and open consultation process to develop updated mechanisms for global digital cooperation, with the options discussed in Chapter 4 as a starting point. We suggest an initial goal of marking the UN's 75th anniversary in 2020 with a “Global Commitment for Digital Cooperation” to enshrine shared values, principles, understandings and objectives for an improved global digital cooperation architecture. As part of this process, we understand that the UN Secretary-General may appoint a Technology Envoy.

5B. We support a multi-stakeholder “systems” approach for cooperation and regulation that is adaptive, agile, inclusive and fit for purpose for the fast-changing digital age.

<https://digitalcooperation.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/DigitalCooperation-report-web-FINAL-1.pdf>