IT for Change 2024

From WSIS to Now: What Next for Digital Justice? Civil Society Strategy Meeting

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Global Digital Justice Forum, IT for Change, Third World Network and Association for Progressive Communications 3-5 March 2024

Penang, Malaysia

Agenda

| 03/03/2024 | | |
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| Time | Session | Resource Persons |
| 17.00-18.00 | Registrations | |
| 18.00-18.45 | Welcome and introductions | Malavika Rajkumar, IT for Change Deepti Bharthur, IT for Change |
| 18.45-18.55 | House rules/optimizing participation | Deepti Bharthur, IT for Change |
| 18.55-19.10 | Context setting for the meeting | Chee Yoke Ling, Third World Network Valeria Betancourt, APC Anita Gurumurthy, IT for Change |
| 19.10- 19.25 | Agenda walk-through | Anita Gurumurthy, IT for Change |
| 19.25-19.50 | Reflections and expectations | Chee Yoke Ling, Third World Network |
| 20.00-21.00 | Welcome Dinner | |
| 04/03/2024 | | |
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| 9.00-10.50 | From WSIS to now promise and pitfalls Moderator: Sean O' Siochru, Nexus Research | Anriette Esterhuysen, APC Emilia Reyes, Equidad de Género Chenai Chair, Mozilla Foundation Jamila Venturini, Derechos Digitales Kate Lappin, Public Services International Neth Dano, ETC Group Burcu Kilic, Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI) |
| 10.50-11.20 | Break | |

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| 11.20-12.30 | The digital status quo and multilateral rules Moderator: Chee Yoke Ling, Third World Network | Vahini Naidu, South Centre Cedric Leterme, CETRI-GRESEA Barbara Adams, Global Policy Watch Ana María Suárez, FoodFirst Information and Action Network (FIAN International) Camila Leite Contri, Instituto Brasileiro de Defesa do Consumidor (IDEC) |
| 12.30-13.30 | Lunch | |
| 13.30-15.00 | Recovering the South: What do sovereignty, decoloniality, and self-determination really mean? Moderator: Valeria Betancourt, APC | Alison Gillwald, Research ICT Africa Paulo José Lara, Article 19 Anita Gurumurthy, IT for Change Roberto Bissio, Social Watch Sanya Reid Smith, Third World Network Jai Vipra, IT for Change |
| 15.00-15.30 | Break | |
| 15.30-17.00 | Towards a civil society digital justice agenda (short plenary followed by small group discussion) | Break-out groups |
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| 9.30-10.30 | Finding the convergences -Report back from Day 2 break-out groups, followed by creation of process and thematic action clusters | Chee Yoke Ling, Third World Network Gurumurthy Kasinathan, IT for Change |
| 10.30-10.50 | Break | |
| 10.50-12.30 | Group work in action clusters -Mapping and bridging advocacy interventions for coordinated multiscalar action | Break-out groups facilitated by cluster champions |
| 12.30-13.30 | Lunch | |
| 13.30-15.00 | Closing plenary -Report back from cluster champions -Collaboration process discussion | Anita Gurumurthy, IT for Change Valeria Betancourt, APC Chee Yoke Ling, Third World Network |
| | and decisions -Mapping collaboration moments and spaces | |