



5th East African Internet Governance Forum

Kenya Report



Introduction

- The Kenya IGF was held on 6th July 2012
- The meeting was convened by the Kenya ICT Action Network (KICTANET) and sponsored by the Kenya Network Information Centre with the support of The Internet Society Kenya Chapter, Africa Telecommunications Union and Telecommunication Service Providers of Kenya TESPOK
- The meeting was preceded by an online discussion between 14th and 22nd June 2012
- 50 participants attended the Face to Face meeting , 37 participants joined remotely on the webcasting platform

Face to Face Presentations

- Government – Dr. Bitange Ndemo Permanent Secretary Ministry of Information and Communications, Esther Wanjau Directorate of e-government
- Intergovernmental Organisations Jaco du Toit, UNESCO Communications and Information Adviser for Eastern Africa and the Indian Ocean Islands, Alice Koech Africa Telecommunications Union
- Civil Society - Grace Githaiga KICTANET, Jane Ngima Network for non Formal Educational Institutions Victor Kapiyo, Article 19
- Industry Michuki Mwangi, Internet Society , Ali Hussein 3 MICE Interactive Media, Churchill Otieno, Managing Editor, Digital and Convergence, Nation Newspapers.
- Grace Bomu and Barrack Otieno Internet Society Kenya Chapter

Focus of Online Discussions

- International Telecommunication Regulations
- Intermediary Liability
- Technology and Violence against Women
- Open Data and e-government
- Infrastructure
- Data Protection and Freedom of Information

Focus of the Face to Face meeting

- International Telecommunication Regulations, Why should Kenya Participate, How Should Kenya Participate , Who should participate?
- E-government and Infrastructure issues
- New gTLDs, Kenya's Participation and Contribution in ICANN.
- Intermediary Liability
- Future of Kenya IGF

Conclusion

- Future of the Kenya IGF – The Internet Society Kenya Chapter to convene Kenya IGF as from 2013

