

Internet and Climate Change

First meeting of the Dynamic Coalition on Internet and Climate Change at
The Internet Governance Forum 2008, Hyderabad, India

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Organized by the Dynamic Coalition on Internet and Climate Change (DCICC)

Introduction

The Dynamic Coalition on Internet and Climate Change (DCICC) is an open body committed to moderating the environmental impact of the Internet and to seeking new ways to embrace the power of the Internet for reducing greenhouse gas emissions worldwide and to enable transformation in line with the objectives set and to be set under the UNFCCC.

Objectives

The first meeting of the DCICC is to consider the objectives and activities of the Coalition and to consider key issues concerning the relation between the Internet and the climate change, indicating the Internet's impact on Climate Change and pointing out its potential for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions.

The meeting will allow members of the Dynamic Coalition to briefly present ongoing work in the field of the Internet and Climate Change and to identify areas where more needs to be done. The meeting will discuss the objectives and future steps for the Coalition, as well as its working methods and other logistical matters.

Draft Agenda

Presentation of ongoing work

- ITU activities on ICTs and Climate Change (Arthur Levin, ITU*)
- Measuring the Impact of ICTs on Climate Change (Japan)
- ICTs as a Tool to combat Global Warming (GeSI)

DCICC Objectives and Activities

- Key messages
- Schedule
- Working methods

* Confirmed, as of 29 October 2008

Membership

Membership in the DCICC is open; current members include UN agencies, standards development organizations, researchers, vendors, network operators and other bodies. Founder members of the Dynamic Coalition on Climate Change are: International Telecommunication Union ([ITU](#)), Global e-Sustainability Initiative ([GeSI](#)), Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications ([MIC Japan](#)), [BT](#) (UK), [Deutsche Telekom](#) (Germany).

General Information and Registration

- Venue: Room 7, [Hyderabad International Conference Center](#), Hyderabad, India
- Time: 16:30 - 18:00
- [On-line registration](#) to the 3rd Internet Governance Forum

Related Topics

- [Internet Governance Forum](#)
- [ITU Internet Policy and Governance activities](#)
- [ITU and Climate Change](#)
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