



IGF 2018
Best Local Content
Virtual meeting 2 October 2018, 3pm UTC

Meeting Summary

1. The BPF Local Content held a Virtual meeting on 2 October 2018. The recording of the meeting can be found [here](#). Information on the BPF Local Content is available on the [BPF Local Content webpage](#). All interested in the BPF's topics are encouraged to join the mailing list ([subscribe here](#)) and participate in the BPF's work.
2. As an introduction the call participants were reminded of the draft structure for the BPF output which reflects the three main areas for which the BPF is seeking best practice examples (see 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 in the structure)

Draft structure BPF Local content activities and output document:

1. Introduction
 - 1.1. Internet Governance Forum
 - 1.2. Local Content
 - 1.3. Best Practice Forum on Local Content
2. Developing a Local Content industry / value chain
 - 2.1. Introduction and focus
 - 2.2. "New models" and initiatives
 - 2.3. Creating an enabling environment, creating opportunities
 - 2.4. Policy initiatives to promote and support the local creation of local online content
3. Conclusions & next steps

The draft structure is available in a google work document:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bwuHEFB6TkMEW_aqSP4J0ztJpAPQJQ8HrFWXRakMvrg/edit?usp=sharing .

3. The aim of the BPF is to collect concrete examples rather than compiling an academic text. A draft BPF document will be out for comment ahead of the IGF meeting, but the BPF output document will only be finalised after the meeting, taking into account additional input received and discussions at the IGF meeting.

4. It was suggested that the BPF could organise one or more webinars where individual projects or initiatives are given the opportunity to present, and feed into the BPF output. While considered very useful to attract and involve parties that normally not attend IGF meetings, it was a concern that there might not be sufficient time left until the IGF to successfully organise such webinars.
5. The BPF had an exchange on the preparations of the BPF Local Content workshop at the IGF meeting in Paris. The workshop is scheduled for Tuesday 13 Nov (day2), 15.00-16.30 local time (CET) (2pm-3pm UTC). This brainstorming lead to the creation of a matrix with potential topics and presenters for the session.
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jrzwldGbZlYYhEd9wxBYo58KlaJMahcAC3R5UN7ec2c/edit?usp=sharing>
6. BPF participants are invited submit additional suggestions in the matrix by the next virtual meeting which is scheduled for Monday 15 October 2018 at 16.00 UTC.

List of participants

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