
China IGF Main Events

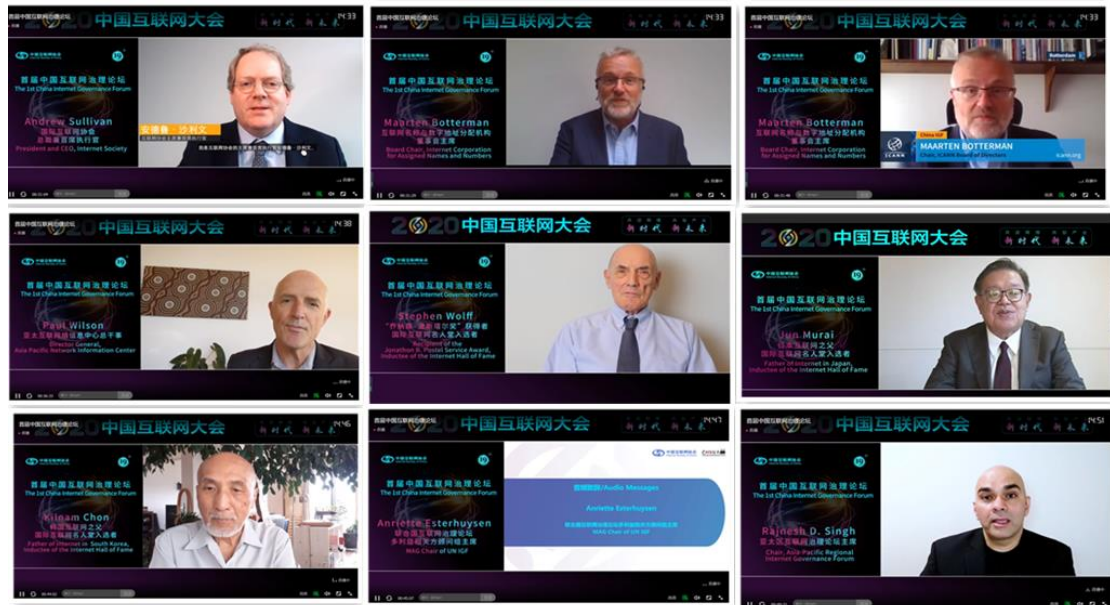
July 11, 2019--The "China Internet Governance Forum (China IGF) Initiative" was launched at the 18th China Internet Conference. According to the Initiative, the China IGF is expected to promote China's Internet industry and community better participating in the global Internet governance process, with its main missions to foster a bottom-up, participatory, open, transparent, and inclusive platform where government, business, tech-community, civil society, and all stakeholders can exert their respective roles in enhancing internet security, accelerating industry development, advancing good internet governance, and promoting digital economy. The Initiative started the establishment of China IGF Secretariat, and called on multi-stakeholders to join the process.

May 28, 2020--The inaugural meeting of the China IGF was held online. Based on multi-stakeholder principle, the 27 founding organizations including well-known domestic research institutions (China Academy of Information and Communications Technology, Fuxi Institute) and universities (Tsinghua University, Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications), industry associations (Internet Society of China, CyberSecurity Association of China), technology communities (Computer Network Information Center of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, China Future Internet Engineering Center), Internet and digital technology companies (Tencent, Alibaba, Baidu, JD.com, Huawei), and telecom operators (China Telecom, China Mobile, China Unicom). The Multi-stakeholder Advisory Committee of China IGF was set up with 32 members. Meanwhile, the official website of China IGF (<http://igfchina.caict.ac.cn>) was approved by the UN IGF Secretariat and was added into the National IGF Initiatives family list.

July 24, 2020--With the theme of "Inclusive Governance, Digital Inclusion", the 1st China Internet Governance Forum was successfully held online during the 2020 China Internet Conference. Over 8.06 million audience from home and abroad participated in and visited the real-time online event via remote access. Shang Bing, President of the Internet Society of China, Liu Zhenmin, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and officials from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA), Ministry of Industry and Information Technology (MIIT), Cyberspace Administration of China (CAC) delivered remarks for the forum. Leaderships of key Internet organizations and renowned international experts sent congratulatory and special remarks videos for the event, included ISOC President and CEO Andrew Sullivan, ICANN Board Chair Maarten Botterman, APNIC Director General Paul Wilson, IGF MAG Chair Anriette Esterhuysen, APriIGF Chair Rajnesh D. Singh, and three inductees of the Internet Hall of Fame, Stephen Wolff, Jun Murai, and Kilnam Chon. Experts and representatives from enterprises, research institutions, universities, students were invited to give speech and join the panel discussions.



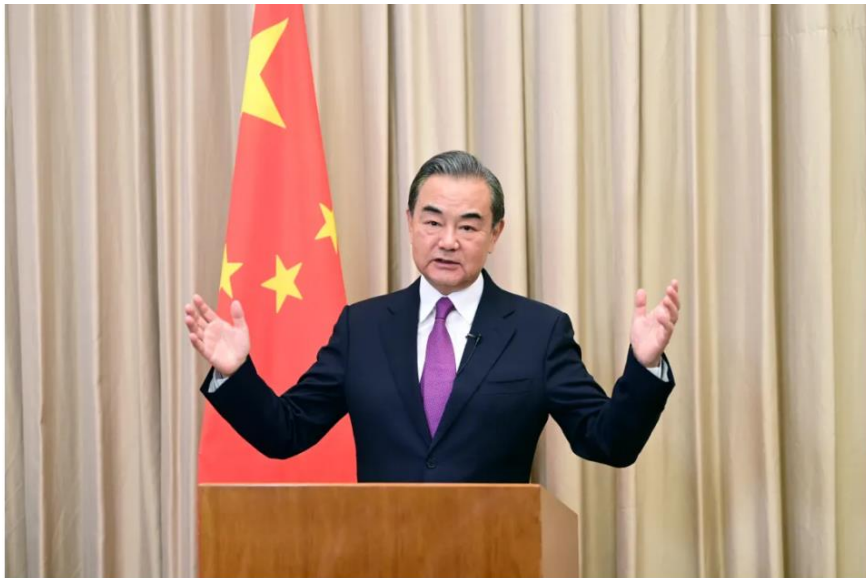
Liu Zhenmin, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations



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September 8, 2020--The International Seminar themed with "Seizing Digital Opportunities for Cooperation and Development" was held by China IGF. State Councilor and Foreign Minister Wang Yi delivered a keynote speech titled Upholding Multilateralism, Fairness and Justice and Promoting Mutually Beneficial Cooperation at the high-level meeting of the Seminar and proposed a Global Initiative on Data Security. Former Prime Minister Shaukat Aziz of Pakistan, former Prime Minister Djomart Otorbaev of Kyrgyzstan and Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations Liu Zhenmin delivered speeches. Experts, scholars, and representatives from internet enterprises from home and abroad were present, such as Wu Hequan (CAE), Zhang Li (CICIR), Li Xiaodong (Fuxi Institution), Bruce W. McConnell (EastWest Institute), Wolfgang

Kleinwachter (University of Aarhus), Marielza Oliveira (UNESCO). The Seminar was moderated by Shang Bing, President of the Internet Society of China, and Gao Xinmin, Chairman of the China IGF Multi-stakeholder Advisory Committee, delivered the closing remark.



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