

Dynamic Coalition on Accessibility and Disability (DCAD)
Description of the face-to-face session at IGF2016

DCAD works to facilitate interaction between relevant bodies and to ensure that ICT accessibility for persons with disabilities and those with specific needs is included in the discussions around the Internet Governance. During its session at IGF 2016, DCAD will review the accessibility of IGF 2016, and update DCAD Accessibility Guidelines ([version 2015](#)), and also address other ICT accessibility issues to raise awareness of the importance of inclusive society, and to discuss suggestions on how to move forward.

-Name, stakeholder group, and organizational affiliation of your session's co-organizer(s)

Andrea Saks, Chair person of [ITU-T Joint Coordination Activity on Accessibility and Human Factors \(JCA-AHF\)](#)

Francesca Cesa Bianchi, [The Global Initiative for Inclusive ICTs \(G3ict\)](#)

-Subject matter #tags that describe the session

Tag 1: Enhancing Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities

Tag 2: Human Rights Online

Tag 3: Access and Diversity

-Description of the plan to facilitate discussion amongst speakers, audience members and remote participants (optional *does not need to be more than 3-4 sentences)**

The Chair person will at the beginning take a roll call of all the participants and their affiliations, so that the chair can call on individuals to comment on subject pertaining to their interest. A list of questions will be prepared in advance to ask both the speakers and the audience so that the discussion will be interactive and inclusive.

-Names and affiliations (stakeholder group, organization) of the participants/proposed speakers in the session

Andrea Saks, DCAD coordinator, ITU-T JCA-AHF Chairman

Francesca Cesa Bianchi, G3ict

Gerry Ellis, Feel The Benefit

Gunela Astbrink, Women With Disabilities Australia

Judy Okite, Free Software and Open Source Foundation in Africa (FOSSFA)

-Name of in-person Moderator(s)

Andrea Saks, DCAD Coordinator

-Name of Remote Moderator(s)

(To be confirmed)

-Background paper (*if applicable)

[DCAD Accessibility Guidelines \(version 2015\)](#)

-Agenda

- i. Review the Accessibility of IGF2016

Venue, accommodation, transport, physical accessibility, food, remote participation, registration process, etc.

- ii. Update the [DCAD Accessibility Guidelines 2015](#)

Remote participation

- iii. Other ICT accessibility issues
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