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United Nations Internet Governance Forum 2021 (IGF 2021)

6-10 December, KATOWICE

11-12 December IGF AFTER PARTY

IGF 2021 Second Open Consultations 22 June 2021

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IGF 2021 Venue:

Katowice, International Congress Centre (ICC)



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Internet Governance Forum 2021 (IGF 2021) in Poland

Our goal:

Poland as a digital pioneer, presentation of the Polish achievements and know-how to recipients from all over the world.

- **6 – 10 December:** Katowice, International Congress Center (hybrid event formula)
- **11 – 12 December:** Katowice, Spodek – IGF 2021 After Party, organized by GovTech (Chancellery of the Prime Minister)
- Overarching theme:
Internet United (free, open, indivisible internet).
- **Formula:** hybrid onsite and online at the same time

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➤ 6 December

Day Zero – host-country pre-events

Youth Summit

Evening reception followed by music concert

VVIP dinner (by invitation only)

➤ 7 December

Opening ceremony

Main phase agenda starts and continues until 10 December

➤ 10 December

Main phase agenda ends

Closing ceremony

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High-level and parliamentary track (6 and 7 December)

PARTICIPATION: the Secretary General of the United Nations, the President of the Republic of Poland, the Marshal of the Sejm of the Republic of Poland, the Prime Minister, EU commissioners, ministers for digital affairs from UN countries, representatives of national parliaments and others.

PROPOSED HL TOPICS:

- investments in digital development after the COVID-19 pandemic;
- new reality for business after the pandemic, taking into account the labour market and social responsibility;
- digital environmental issues;
- content moderation on the Internet;
- building digital competences.

PROPOSED PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE TOPIC: Regulatory approaches for a user-centric digital space;
This track is jointly organised by the IPU, the UN and the Polish Parliament (the Sejm).

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DURING THE EVENT:

- Exhibition of awarded works of the competition for young people;
- Performance by the pianist Ingolf Wunder with TEDx Talk;
- Music Night;
- Dedicated scientific publication of the Virtual Chair of Ethics and Law: *The Future of the Law of Internet and New Technologies*;
- Concert at the NOSPR with a banquet and HL dinner;
- Silesian Museum: tickets for a single Polish Zloty (PLN);
- Regional cuisine specialties;
- Free tours (Katowice + surroundings);
- Possibility to organize bilateral meetings and other HL events.

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Internet Governance Forum 2021 (IGF 2021) in Poland:

YOUTH

Before the IGF 2021

- *Road to IGF*: online events (May meeting - over 8,500 !!! registered young people from all over the world);
- International competition "My Internet of the Future";

At the IGF 2021

- Game Jam (GOV TECH) – IGF 2021 After Party in Spodek – involvement of programmers and players (STAY LONGER WITH US!);
- YIGF Cafe meeting point – place in the centre of Katowice;
- YIGF Summit connected with programming workshops for young people from Poland.

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Road to IGF

Invitations: Ministers Responsible for Digital Affairs and Parliamentarians in UN Member States, High-Level guests from all sectors;

Webinars: Monthly online events for young people : April – October (3 held already);

My Internet of the Future: international competition for young people to be announced by Poland (3 categories: graphic visualization, video, verbal utterance in English).

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Explore the official webpage for dedicated information

www.igf2021.pl

- News
- Agenda
- Registration
- Practical information (getting to, hotels, visas)



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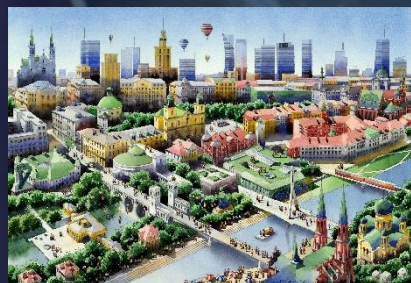
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