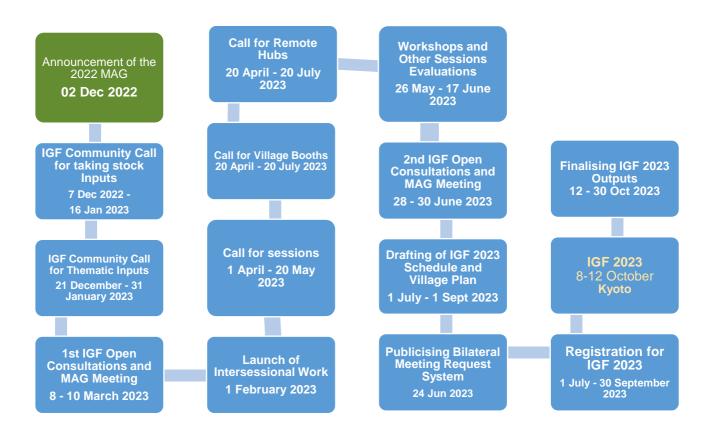
IGF 2023 Timeline (Draft)1

(updated: 27 December 2022)



1. Announcement of the MAG for 2023: <u>02 December</u> 2022

- Announcement of the Multistakeholder Advisory Group for 2023.
 - Renewal of the Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG) for 2023: 02 Dec 2022
 - Virtual MAG Meeting I: 1) Feedback to IGF 2022: 2) Discussion on call for 2023 themes, 3) Initial discussion on 2023 intersessional work and MAG working groups - 17 Jan 2023

2. IGF 2023 Community Call for Inputs: Taking Stock of IGF 2022: 7 December 2022 - 16 January 2023

All IGF stakeholders are invited to submit inputs to the IGF Secretariat related to the following questions. All inputs will be posted on the IGF website. MAG Members should periodically review these comments.

¹ This is a draft and is subject to change as circumstances make themselves known.

3. Call for Thematic Inputs for IGF 2023: 21 December 2022 - 31 January 2023

All IGF stakeholders are invited to submit inputs to the IGF Secretariat related to the <u>following questions</u>. All inputs will be posted on the IGF website and will be analysed to help define the thematic focus for IGF 2023. MAG Members should periodically review these comments.

4. First IGF 2023 Open Consultations and Face-to-Face MAG Meeting: 08 - 10 March 2023

UNOV, Vienna

Draft agenda points:

- IGF 2022 Stocktaking & Looking Ahead to 2023
- · Discussion on IGF 2023 main thematic tracks
- IGF 2023 programme shaping & agreement (types and number of sessions, themes, parallel tracks, etc.)

5. Launch of IGF Intersessional Work – 1 February 2023

This will be done in the MAG virtual calls in January: setting thematic focus for the PNs and BPFs, and MAG working groups. DCs and NRIs are ongoing.

6. IGF 2023 Call for Remote Hubs: 20 April – 20 July 2023

Invitation to all stakeholders interested in organizing a remote hub. Hubs are local meetings that take place in parallel with the IGF. People can watch the webcast of IGF sessions together and send interventions (via text, audio or video) that can be answered by panellists in IGF.

7. IGF 2023 Call for Village Exhibition Booths: <u>20 April – 20</u> July 2023

During the annual IGF meeting, interested stakeholders can display or distribute relevant information about their IGF-related activities at the IGF Village. The booths are non-commercial in nature, free of charge, and allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, respecting a balance of stakeholder and regional diversity. Booths are of limited availability.

8. IGF 2023 Call for Session Proposals: 1 April – 20 May 2023

- All stakeholders were invited to submit proposals to hold workshops at the forthcoming IGF, as well as other session types: town halls, open forums, networking sessions, lightning talks, individual sessions by IGF Dynamic Coalitions (DCs), collaborative sessions by National, Regional and Youth Initiatives (NRIs), proposals for 'pre-events' on Day 0.
 - Submission of proposals: 1 April 20 May 2023
- Secretariat analysis of proposals: 20 25 May 2023

- Submission of workshop proposals to the MAG for evaluation: 26 May 2023
 - 9. Evaluation of Workshops and Other Session Proposals: 26 May -17 June 2023
- The MAG will evaluate all workshop proposals on the basis of pre-determined <u>criteria</u>.
 - Evaluation of Workshop proposals by the MAG: 26 May 17 June 2023
 - Selection of other sessions by the IGF Secretariat: 26 May 17 June 2023

10. Second IGF 2023 Open Consultations and Face-to-Face MAG Meeting: 28 – 30 June 2023

Second 3-day MAG Meeting to be at the UN office at Geneva, Switzerland

Agenda:

- · Selection of workshops
- · Review of the other IGF 2023 sessions
- Review of Day 0 sessions
- Discussion on developing 2023 programme in line with strategic priorities
- Discussion on main sessions

11. Drafting of IGF 2023 Schedule and IGF Village plan: 1 July - 1 September 2023

Undertaken by IGF Secretariat in consultation with MAG; takes into account all agreed-on themes, possible tracks and session types. .

12. Opening of Bilateral Meeting Request System: 1 July

An online system maintained by the IGF Secretariat, based on demand/availability of rooms.

13. Opening of Registration for IGF 2023: 1 July

Online registration for onsite and remote participants through IGF website/UN accreditation system with live/public participants list.

14.IGF 2023: Kyoto, Japan - <u>08 - 12 October 2023</u>

- The Eighteenth Annual Meeting of the Internet Governance Forum (IGF) from 8 to 12 October 2023. The main theme of the meeting to be decided.
- 18th IGF Meeting: 8-12 October 2023, Kyoto, Japan.

15. Finalising IGF 2023 Outputs: <u>12–30 Oct 2023</u>

After the 18th annual IGF meeting concludes, the produced outputs will be finalized.

• Kyoto IGF Messages: messages due on the last day of IGF (12 Oct)

• Session Final Reports: 30 Oct 2023

• Kyoto IGF Messages (final): 30 Oct 2023

• IGF 2023 summary report: **30 Oct 2023** (final version 15 Dec 2023)

• Intersessional work outputs: **30 Oct 2023** (final versions 15 Dec 2023)