

India-GPAI Session Proposal for IGF 2023

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 - **Inma Martinez**, Chair of the Multi-Stakeholder Expert Group Plenary at the Global Partnership on AI - Spain
 - **Alan Paic**, Head of the GPAI Secretariat, OECD - France

Proposal

8. **Title:** Global Partnership on AI: A Multistakeholder Initiative on Trustworthy AI
9. **Type of Session:** Open Forum
10. **Theme of the proposal:** Artificial Intelligence & Emerging Technologies
11. **Session Format:** Round Table, 90min
12. **Description of the session:**

Built around a shared commitment to the OECD Recommendation on Artificial Intelligence (AI), the Global Partnership on Artificial Intelligence (GPAI) is an international and multi-stakeholder initiative to guide the responsible development and use of AI, grounded in human rights, inclusion, diversity, innovation, and economic growth. GPAI's unique structure allows over 100 independent experts that take up applied AI research & projects based on the strategic guidance provided by member countries.

This round table discussion will provide the perspective of GPAI Experts, the current and incoming council chairs, and the secretariat on how the GPAI is best positioned to address the contemporary advancements in Artificial Intelligence and its challenges. It will also provide the perspective of two leading Asian economies on how their domestic interventions are harnessing the potential of AI for social good and addressing its challenges.

The discussion will start with Ms. Inma providing an overview of how GPAI's work around data governance, future of work, innovation and commercialisation, and responsible AI is helping catalyse responsible AI innovation. As the chair of the multi-stakeholder experts group plenary of GPAI, Ms. Inma will also provide insights into GPAI's future for ensuring recent AI advances are leveraged for the collective good.

The discussion will then shift to Mr Yoichi to shed light on how GPAI has evolved during Japan's presidency and the role GPAI played in shaping Japan's domestic AI initiatives and the AI related outputs of their G7 presidency.

Finally, Ms. Bhatia, will shed light on India's vision for GPAI during its presidency in 2024 and how the partnership can be made more inclusive and its outputs more relevant for the Global South. Ms. Bhatia

will also elaborate on India's domestic AIForAll approach and how India is democratising AI and ensuring its use for large-scale socio-economic transformation.

The session will be a round table discussion with a moderator. The discussion will be **conducted onsite** with the help of an **online moderator to accommodate the online audiences** to also be engaged.

The discussion will last around 75 minutes and the remaining 15 minutes will be used to invite the audience online and, in the auditorium, to ask questions about the topic.

13. Relation to SDGs

GPAI's work is to promote a global partnership to share values, knowledge and best practices of AI grounded in a human-centric manner. The GPAI would like to use the opportunity of Open Forum to expose its work to stakeholders and potential member states who have the same values of fostering trustworthy AI

SDG 17 (Partnerships for the goals).

Enhance the global partnership for sustainable development, complemented by multi-stakeholder partnerships that mobilize and share knowledge, expertise, technology and financial resources, to support the achievement of the sustainable development goals in all countries, in particular developing countries.

SDG 17 (Partnerships for the goals)

Encourage and promote effective public, public-private and civil society partnerships, building on the experience and resourcing strategies of partnerships.

14. Name(s), Organizational Affiliation(s), Stakeholder and Regional Group of Speakers:

- **Kavita Bhatia**, Group Coordinator, Emerging Technologies Division, Ministry of Electronics and IT, Government of India – India
- **Abhishek Singh**, CEO, Digital India Corporation and India AI, Ministry of Electronics and IT, Government of India - India
- **Yoichi Iida**, Government of Japan, Deputy Director General for G7/G20 Relations, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications – Japan
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15. Session Moderators

- Onsite Moderator: Alan Paic
- Online Moderator: TBD
- Rapporteur: TBD

16. Past IGF Participation - Yes

17. Additional Aspect – Session Interaction and Participation in a Hybrid Meeting

After the roundtable discussion, the onsite and online moderator will open the floor for the audience to ask questions freely about the topics discussed throughout the dialogue.