

# **AGENDA FOR THE 4TH NIGERIAN SCHOOL ON INTERNET GOVERNANCE**

## **PRE-EVENT TO THE NIGERIA INTERNET GOVERNANCE**

### **FORUM (2023 NIGF)**

<b>Day 0</b> <b>03:00PM</b>	<b>September 10, 2023   Webinar</b>	
	<b>Topic:</b> Internet Governance 101 and preparatory briefing	<b>Caleb Ogundele / Kunle Olorundare</b>

**04:00PM**

**Session 1:** Getting to know one another, overview of the school and introduction to the practicum and introduction to Policy Brief.

***Practicum Topics: For 6 Groups***

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**Speakers: Caleb Ogundele / Akinbo Adebunmi**

**Moderator: Kunle Olorundare**

Day 1	<b>September 11, 2023   Theme : Fundamentals of Internet Governance</b>	
08:30AM - 09:10AM	<p><b>Session 2:</b> History Overview of the Internet and Internet Governance (Global, Regional and National)</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> A brief story about the Internet and Internet Governance. How it got to Nigeria, How the Internet works, who develops Internet Protocols and standards, and a general overview of Internet architecture. Who are the key players?</p>	<b>Prof. Wale Adedokun</b>

<p><b>09:10AM</b> - <b>09:50AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 3:</b> Broader mapping of IG and the institutional Ecosystem: who does what, where? What IG issues are dealt with by which institutions or forums at regional, national and global level.</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> Overview of the Internet governance ecosystem and of key institutions and role players in Internet Governance at the national, subregional, regional and global level. The presentation will look at the role of government, and or other stakeholders, and where the multi-stakeholder approach fits in.</p>	<p><b>Caleb Ogundele</b></p>
<p><b>09:50AM</b> - <b>10:10AM</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>~Tea Break~</b></p>	
<p><b>10:10AM</b> - <b>10:50AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 4:</b> The Internet Number Systems <b>Scope:</b> An overview of Internet numbers and how they are managed at global and regional level together with policy issues.</p>	<p><b>AFRINIC - Brice Abba</b></p>
<p><b>10:50AM</b> - <b>11:30AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 5:</b> Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) - ICANN <b>Scope:</b> An overview of Internationalized Domain Name (IDN) and how they are managed globally by ICANN as well as policy participation.</p>	<p><b>ICANN - Yaovi Atohoun</b></p>

	Format: Presentation followed by an interactive discussion.	
11:30AM - 12:10PM	<p><b>Session 6:</b> The Internet addressing system: Numbers and names</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> Overview of Internet names and numbers and how they are managed globally, regionally and nationally with a focus on the roles of ICANN, AFRINIC and NIRA.</p> <p><b>Format:</b> Presentation followed by an interactive discussion.</p>	<b>Shola Akinsanya (President, NIRA)</b>

<p><b>12:10PM</b> - <b>12:50PM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 7:</b> Diplomacy and Multi-stakeholder approaches to internet governance at the international / regional level: achievements and challenges</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> What is Diplomacy and the multi-stakeholder approach? Who are the internet's stakeholders? How to understand Geopolitics. Perspectives from industry and from government and civil society. Power, inclusion and exclusion in decision making that impacts on the Internet. stories and analysis of national experiences.</p>	<p><b>Olawale Lawrence</b></p>
<p><b>12:50PM</b> - <b>01:30PM</b></p>	<p><b>~Lunch Break~</b></p>	

<p><b>01:30PM</b> - <b>01:50PM</b></p> <p><b>01:50PM</b> - <b>02:25PM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 8.1:</b> What is Internet Governance and How does it relate to international and national cybersecurity? Answering this question should include Telecommunications Policy and the Internet ecosystem in Nigeria.</p> <p><b>Session 8.2:</b> The state of Internet access and infrastructure in Nigeria</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> Overview of availability and affordability of internet access and how policy and regulation Impacts on this. This session will also look at different solutions to the access divide, including the role of the regulator</p>	<p><b>Elizabeth Yisa</b></p> <p><b>Mistura Aruna</b></p>
<p><b>02:25PM</b> - <b>03:05PM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 9:</b> Economic and Development Aspect of Internet Governance in Africa. Internet Shutdown + Net Calculator</p>	<p><b>Amersham Phooker (ISOC Rep)</b></p>



<p><b>03:05PM</b> - <b>04:25PM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 10: Practicum 1</b></p> <p>Participants' experience of Internet Governance in Nigeria: Issues, processes, institutions. What works well, what does not? Why not?</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> Participants will break out into groups and talk about all the processes/ institutions they are aware of and have been part of sharing experiences and assessing what they feel works well, and what does not work well, and why not?</p>	<p><b>All faculty members</b></p>
<p><b>04:30PM</b></p>	<p><b>End of Day 1 Lectures</b></p>	

Day 2	<b>September 12, 2023   Theme: Legal, Privacy and Emerging issues</b>	
08:30AM - 08:45AM	<i>Review of Day One: Questions and Answers</i>	
08:45AM - 09:35AM	<p><b>Session 11: Legal Aspects of Internet Governance</b></p> <p><b>Scope:</b> This section will interrogate the regulatory issues around the Nigerian Internet governance space. This will cover current issues and regulatory proclamations / initiatives in Nigerian.</p>	<b>Kemabonta Inye</b>
10:30AM - 10:40AM	<b>~Tea Break~</b>	

<p><b>10:40AM</b> - <b>11:35AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 12:</b> Data protection and privacy challenges in Nigeria. (Legal Issues)</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> An overview of the data protection and privacy landscape in Nigeria including the implementation of recently signed data protection legislation in Nigeria. Issues around the “right to be forgotten”, and global discussion on the GDPR.</p>	<p><b>Babalola Olumide</b></p>
<p><b>11:35AM</b> - <b>12:30PM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 13:</b> Global Digital Compact and Cooperation</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> The Global Digital Compact and Cooperation fosters international collaboration to address digital challenges. This session will speak to how responsibilities among government, private sector, civil society, academia, and technical experts can be shared. By establishing common standards and ethical guidelines, Nigeria can harness digital technologies, including AI, while addressing cyber threats, misinformation, data privacy, and digital exclusion among others.</p>	<p><b>IGF Secretariat - Anja Gengo</b></p>

<p>12:30PM - 01:30PM</p>	<p><b>~Lunch Break~</b></p>	
<p>01:30PM - 02:30PM</p>	<p><b>Session 14:</b> Digital Rights, Advocacy and Digital Sovereignty</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> This section will examine the intersection of Digital Rights, Advocacy and Digital Sovereignty in Nigeria.</p>	<p><b>Gbenga Sesan / Paradigm Initiative Rep ( Adeboye)</b></p>
<p>02:30PM - 04:30PM</p>	<p><b>Session 15: Practicum 2</b></p>	<p><b>All Faculty members and ISOC-NG ExCo</b> will work with group of scholars for the practicum session.</p>
<p>04:30PM</p>	<p><b>End of Day 2 Lectures</b></p>	

Day 3	<b>September 13, 2023   Emerging Technologies</b>	
08:30AM - 08:40AM	<i>Review of Day One and Two: Questions and Answers</i>	
08:40AM - 09:20AM	<p><b>Session 16.1:</b> Open and Responsible Innovation-- Artificial Intelligence (Part 1), Metaverse, and Emerging Technologies</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> This session hopes to speak to emerging technology issues like artificial intelligence, metaverse, and the open and responsible development and use of such innovations.</p>	<b>Adaora Ikenze and Sade Dada (Meta Platforms, Inc.)</b>

<p><b>9:25AM</b> - <b>10:20AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 16.2:</b> The State of Nigerian Information Technology Policy, Regulatory Standards and Guidelines.</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> Overview of Nigeria's ICT Policies and how it affects the IG processes.</p>	<p><b>Emmanuel Edet &amp; Rev. Segun Folayan</b></p>
<p><b>10:20AM</b> - <b>10:50AM</b></p>	<p><b>Session 17:</b> Addressing Internet Governance Issues in Nigeria.</p> <p>Subset: Youth Initiatives in Multi-stakeholderism</p> <p><b>Format:</b> Panel Session</p> <p><b>Scope:</b> This will be a general interaction with specific industry and next-generation leaders which will interrogate youth related issues on Internet Governance</p>	<p><b>Dewole Ajao / Morisola Alaba / Gabriel Odunsi / Joshua Joshua</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Kunle Olorundare</b></p>
<p><b>10:50AM</b> - <b>11:00AM</b></p>	<p><b>~Tea Break~ (Group Photograph)</b></p>	

11:00AM - 12:00PM	<b>Session 18:</b> Practicum 3	<b>All faculty members and ISOC-NG Executive Committee members</b>
12:00PM - 02:15PM	<b>~Lunch Break~</b>	
02:15PM - 05:00PM	<b>Session 19:</b> Group Presentation	<b>All faculty members</b> will support groups they worked with during the practicum session.
05:00PM	<b>Closing Ceremony:</b> Evaluation, Wrap up, and Handover of certificates	

Please note that all time is given in WAT

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**Day 3. Assistant Moderator:** Priscilia Igba - online

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