SEEDIG 2017 - Overview of proposals

Category	Topics and clusters	Specific issues (projects, initiatives, organisations)
Access and literacy (11 proposals)	Access and digital divide (DD) - infrastucture issues: national/rural broadband development initiatives (#6); community connectivity (#73*); telecentres (#1); affordability - cheaper/free Internet (#3, #4); right to infrastructure (#74*); localisation and multilingualism (#8)	
	Access and DD - capacity development issues: Internet/digital literacy for individuals and companies (#1, #2, #3, #5cc, #41*); safe use of the Internet (#3, #4); challenges and opportunities for digital transformation in the public/private sector (#16*)	
Development of IG ecosystem (7 proposals)	IG ecosystem in SEE - status and perspectives: multistakeholder processes and stakeholder engagement (#9, #12); national, sub-regional, youth IGF initiatives (#12); IG capacity development, including for youth (#7*, #9, #13); further development of the ecosystem (#9, #13); contribution to global processes (#15)	ICANN accountability and Post Transition IANA (#10)
		IG and digital policy observatories (#43*)
Future challenges & opportunities (11 proposals)	Internet of Things : opportunities and threats/challenges (#21, #23); privacy, safety, and (cyber)security implications (#17, #21, #55*, #66*)	IoT hackathons as regional community building activities (#46*)
	Intermediary liability (#20, #26*)	Algorithms accountability and ethics (#19, #33*)
	Cybersafety education for different age groups (#25)	
Human rights (11 proposals)	Censorship, surveillance, and human rights: why increased censorship? how does it affect trust? (#27); enforcement of legal framework to protect human rights and limit surveillance (#30); shutdowns, media control, propaganda and their impact on freedom of expression and association (#48*)	
	Human rights and/versus cybersecurity (#29, #51*, #63*)	
	Privacy and data protection : right to be forgotten (#28); cookies (#57*); implementation and impact of the EU General Data Protection Regulation (#31); data protection, freedom of expression, and online fraud (#58*)	
	Child safety online (#22*)	

Innovation and economic issues (12 proposals)	Net neutrality and zero rating (#5*cc, #36, #37, #40)	Social innovation labs as instruments for social change (#42)
	Trade and trade agreements : international trade agreements and Internet freedoms (#35); trade and its intersection with ICT and data (#47*)	
	Telco regulation and market practices : harmonisation of competition regulations (#14*); ITU ITRs review and European input (#11*); carriers business models based on (PSTN) termination fees - can these be changed? (#38)	
	Open data : availability and use of open (government) data for economic and social development (#24*); open data initiatives in SEE (#39)	
Media & content (3 proposals)	Online news reliability: trustworthy/reliable online information; which approaches for tackling fake news - media literacy, code of conducts, self-regulation, government regulation? (#18*, #44, #45)	
Security & crime (15 proposals)	Cybersecurity at national level : development of strategies and policies (#49); best practices in the region (#61); legal frameworks for critical infrastructure protection (#56)	
	Multistakeholder approaches towards cybersecurity : stakeholders awareness (#52); identifying the stakeholders and aligning their interests (#32*, #67); role of stakeholders in tackling Internet threats (#50); implications of public-private partnerships (#59)	
	Cybersecurity cooperation at regional and international level: strengthening SEE cooperation to increase confidence and avoid misunderstandings in case of cyber incidents (#62); cooperation in the framework of the NATO Cooperative Cyber Defence Centre of Excellence (#60); implications of the EU Cybersecurity strategy (#64)	
	Emerging issues : (cyber)security and refugees (#53); cyber-terrorism (#54, #68); cyber war (#54).	
	Mobile security and pen testing (#65)	
Technical & operational issues (5 proposals)	The Domain Name System (DNS) in SEE - challenges and opportunities: new gTLDs (#34*); ccTLD cooperation (#70); DNSSEC implementation (#71); IDNs (#72)	
	Cooperation between network operator groups (NOGs) in the SEE region (#69)	

Legend

cc (cross cutting) Proposal included into more than one cluster

^{*} Proposal submitted under a different category