

## SEEDIG 6 – Overview of proposals

Category	Topics and clusters	Comments
Access & literacy	<b>Digital inclusion &amp; digital literacy</b> Digital skills as part of educational systems (#3); secure digital literacy for all (#4); digital competences for all (#6); digital inclusion and resilience (#17); transparency and accountability for youth IGFs and NRIs (#18);	
	<b>Access and connectivity</b> Community (BB) networks (#1, #7)	
	<b>Access for people with disabilities</b> (#2)	
Development of IG ecosystem	<b>Strengthening IG processes</b> Lessons learned from European MSH experiences (#14cc); how to engage less represented stakeholders (e.g. private sector) in IG processes (#16); identifying and empowering silent stakeholders (#19); strengthening the IGF as a follow-up to the UN High-level Panel on Digital Cooperation (#20); better governance for humanity (#21); youth and IG (#81)	
	<b>Legal status for NRIs:</b> Should NRIs have a uniform legal status/form or should it be left to national/regional circumstances (#12)	
Human rights and data protection	<b>Privacy and data protection</b> Best practices on data protection in SEE+ countries (including compliance with CoE Convention 108+, GDPR, potential threats and challenges from digital technologies) (#23); common legislation on data protection in SEE+ - an opportunity for better data security (#82); the challenges of protecting personal data (#24cc); privacy and data protection literacy (#27); challenges of data protection legislation in SEE+ countries (#30); GDPR implementation in Moldova (#31); transparent, responsible and lawful data processing by companies (including no forced consent) (#27, #28); adequate governmental enforcement bodies (#28); balancing the rights and interests of individuals, companies and LEAs when it comes to access to data and data protection (#29); digital ads as a privacy concern (#34); data protection and cross-border data transfers - challenges for researchers? (#76)	Most proposals are about legal and regulatory frameworks in SEE+
	<b>Human rights in the digital era</b> Human rights protection as a responsibility of the business sector (#33cc); fostering dialogue between AI developers and human rights advocates (#35cc); guarantees for pluralism and equality in the convergent environment (#37)	
Innovation & economic issues	<b>Digitalisation and digital transformation</b> Digital transformation (#10); maturity and readiness of SEE countries for digital transformation (#14cc); <b>digital entrepreneurship in SEE+</b> (#41); IT solutions and developments for public sector (#44); digital transformation: security and privacy implications (#70)	Here we have two tracks: digital transformation in the public sector and digital transformation in the private sector. If we go with this topic, we could split it into two different sessions.
	<b>IoT and smart cities</b> Promoting smart cities and digital transportation in SEE+ (#13); IoT market development (#45); securing smart cities (#46);	

	<b>AI</b> AI as a promising tech (#42); SEE+ region's readiness (national AI strategies, skills, etc) (#8); AI as a threat or opportunity for human life (#26); fostering dialogue between AI developers and human rights advocates (#35cc); sustainable AI (#40); AI algorithms and Internet behaviour (#60cc)	AI readiness could be a good topic
	<b>Environmental issues</b> Environmental sustainability and the digital economy (#59); emission-neutral Internet (#61); the energy and resource consumption of digitalisation (#61);	
	<b>Digital identities</b> (#25)	
	<b>Digital taxation:</b> state of affairs in SEE+ countries, impact of global discussions on the SEE+ region (states and companies) (#38)	
	<b>Fostering competition in the digital economy</b> Legally mandated interoperability to open up the big platforms (#39)	
	<b>Digital currencies:</b> regulatory framework for the tokenised economy (#43); harmonisation of cryptocurrencies and blockchain-issues digital assets across the region (#43);	
	<b>Women and innovation</b> (#47)	
	<b>Emerging tech in the healthcare sector</b> (#9)	
<b>Media &amp; content</b>	<b>Content policy (1)</b> Copyright regulation and practices (#24cc); implementation of the EU Copyright Directive (#56)	
	<b>Content policy (2)</b> Online child abuse and content management in online platforms (#48, #62); child safety online and international cooperation (#65)	
	<b>Content policy (3)</b> Radicalisation and violent extremism online - approaches (#50); online hate speech (#72)	
	<b>Disinformation</b> Fake news and online FoE (#49); disinformation vs fake news (#51); should disinformation/fake news be regulated; if so, how and by whom? (#51); how are people 50+ aged protected from fake news (#52);	
	<b>Media sustainability and diversity</b> (#36)	
	<b>Internet and diaspora communities</b> (#54)	
	<b>AI algorithms and their impact on people's behaviour online</b> (#60cc)	
	<b>Social media - general</b> Online social networks and sustainable content (#55); social media and convergence (#57/58)	
<b>Security &amp; crime</b>	<b>Cybercrime</b> Cooperation between LEAs and CSIRTs (#67);	
	<b>DNS abuse</b> (#64)	
	<b>DoH/DoT technology:</b> implications for security, human rights, and Internet infrastructure (#63)	
	<b>Encryption:</b> the implications of policies and laws that undermine encryption and digital security (#71); national security certificates (?) (#32)	This one is a bit vague; not sure what it actually refers to
	<b>Measuring the efficiency of EU assistance in cybersecurity to non-EU countries</b> (#69)	

<b>Technical &amp; operational issues</b>	<b>IDNs and universal acceptance (UA)</b> UA (#11, #77); Does UA bring fragmentation? (#5); IDNs and UA as key elements in ensuring full Internet accessibility in all languages and scripts + interoperability challenges (#73); do we need incentives for UA? (#79)	Maybe it deserves a full session this time?
	<b>5G</b> 5G and its impact in health and sovereign identity (#22); the challenges of 5G networks from a cybersecurity perspective (#66); how 5G can improve cybersecurity on networks/infrastructures (#68); are we ready for 5G (#75)	Would be a continuation of last year's discussion
	<b>Cloud computing readiness</b> (#78, #83)	
	<b>Open access to technology and infrastructure (hardware openness)</b> (#80)	
<b>Other</b>	<b>Regulatory issues</b> Fragmentation of Internet regulation (#15); online portals regulation (#33cc); regulatory policies and their impact on the media landscape in the SEE+ region (#53); Internet legislation - unintended consequences and impact on the Internet core technical functioning (#74)	These are not really connected with one another
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