

# GLOBAL COMMUNITY OUTREACH, AWARENESS & RELATED RESOURCES UPDATE FOR IGF 2017

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## IGF 2017 Registration

Registration is now open for participation in the 12th annual meeting of the Internet Governance Forum which will take place 18 -- 21 December 2017 at the United Nations Office at Geneva, (Palais des Nations, Avenue de la Paix 14, CH-1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland). **Registration closes on 20 November 2017, 12:00 p.m. UTC.**

## 4 Simple Steps to Getting Registered for IGF 2017

Follow these 4 simple steps to a successful registration.

### Step One:

Visit the host country website <https://igf2017.swiss/> to get complete information about the IGF 2017 or download IGF Flyer [here](#). Go to the **Registration** menu.

### Step Two:

To help us treat like you a VIP, you need to use or create your **personal IGF community profile** to allow fast registration and enjoy other privileges. Do this right now by clicking [here](#) and follow the instructions.

### Step Three:

Now go to the IGF registration portal by clicking [here](#) to register either as online or onsite participant or both.

### Step Four:

**When you get your confirmation of registration, use it as an invitation letter for the purposes of your visa application.**

## What Should You Do Next?

- Get to know about past IGF events [here](#) since its inception.
- Learn more about the evolution of IGF and the power of the multistakeholder model, its mandates, and its values to your world, and how it's shaping and impacting your digital presence as well as the faces and the team behind the IGF. Download the IGF brochure [here](#).
- Click [here](#) to find out more about the roles of United Nations in IGF and the IGF 2017
- Learn about the source of funding for the IGF [here](#)
- Find possibilities for funding to attend IGF 2017 [here](#)
- Are you a youth? There is a space for you at IGF 2017. Find out what other youth are doing at the IGF [here](#).
- Are you a member of a stakeholder group working on specific areas of Internet policy? Let the world know about it. Get to know about your peers in the **IGF dynamic coalitions** [here](#). The coalitions are informal, issue-specific groups comprising members from various stakeholder communities. They welcome collaboration with anyone interested in contributing to their discussions.

## Now that you know about the IGF, take action...

- **Join the IGF community** [here](#), shape your digital future and let your voice be heard @ IGF 2017.
- **Access IGF publications and useful resources** [here](#) to aid your decision making, fact finding, and your research in the areas of Internet Governance and Digital Development.
- If you are looking for IGF tools, concepts, and initiatives to aid your Internet projects for development, policy issues, and to find best practices guidance on

specific Internet policy matters such as cybersecurity, local content, gender, and access, click [here](#).

## Find your space at IGF...

- **If you would like to serve as a volunteer** during the IGF 2017, for workshop sessions, main sessions, working groups. and any other related activities, send your request to the [official IGF mailing list](#) , or official mailing list of [IGF communication and outreach](#). Consider joining the list of resource people on the IGF website.
- **If you are newcomer to the IGF**, find tips and orientation [here](#), and if you would like to join a regional or national IGF near you, click [here](#) to join other IGF initiatives.
- **If you are a member of the IGF community**, help promote the values and the initiatives of IGF in your community by visiting [here](#) and getting the latest updates.
- **If you want to organize a national, regional, or Youth IGF**, there is a special space for you. Click [here](#) for useful startup toolkits
- **If you would like to hear from other coordinators about their experiences** and receive updates about the latest IGF initiatives' activities, contact the IGF Secretariat's Focal Point for National and Regional Initiatives' engagement, at: [agengo@unog.ch](mailto:agengo@unog.ch) for further assistance.
- **If you would like to know how the IGF is being funded** through a Multi-donor trust fund and how you could support it, **please click** [here](#)
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