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Jun 8, 2015 - Jun 7, 2016

Mon Aug 3   All day - Fri Aug 7   **Regional Internet Governance Forum (LACIGF) 8**   - Morelos A-D, 1st floor Convention Center, Mexican Foreign Affairs Secretariat. Plaza Juárez 20, Colonia Centro, Mexico City

http://www.lacigf.org/en/lacigf8/index.html

Wed Aug 26   All day - Fri Aug 28   **Caribbean Internet Governance Forum (CIGF)**   - Port of Spain, Trinidad & Tobago (http://www.ctu.int/event/11th-caribbean-governance-forum/)

The Caribbean Internet Governance Forum (CIGF) is a regional, multi-stakeholder forum initiated by the CTU and the Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Secretariat in 2005 to coordinate a regional approach to Internet Governance. The forum has since met annually and has delivered significant and pioneering benefits to the region and as well as to the global Internet community. Highlights of its work include formulation of a Caribbean Internet Governance Policy Framework (first issued in 2009with Issue 2.0 in 2013);the proliferation of Internet exchange points(IXPs);and capacity building in IG Principlesand best practicesacross the Caribbean.

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The 11th CIGF will focus onrealising a new thrust,announced at the 10thCIGF in The Bahamas,to enhance Internet governance expertiseand capacity at the national level in the Caribbean through the development of local multi-stakeholder structures. The 11th CIGF will also address areas of high priority for further regional policy development and continuethe work ofidentifyingappropriateamendments for incorporation into the Issue 3.0 ofthe Caribbean Internet Governance Policy Framework.

Tue Nov 10   All day - Fri Nov 13   **Internet Governance Forum meeting**   - João Pessoa, Brazil (http://www.igf2015.br/)

Internet Governance Forum (IGF) is a multistakeholder, democratic and transparent forum which facilitates discussions on public policy issues related to key elements of Internet governance. IGF provides enabling platform for discussions among all stakeholders in the Internet governance ecosystem, including all entities accredited by the World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS), as well as other institutions and individuals with proven expertise and experience in all matters related to Internet governance.

The main IGF website for this event is http://www.igf2015.br/

After consulting the wider Internet community and discussing the overarching theme of the 2015 IGF meeting, the Multistakeholder Advisory Group decided to retain the title "**Evolution of Internet Governance: Empowering Sustainable Development**". This theme will be supported by eight sub-themes that will frame the discussions at the João Pessoa meeting:

- Cybersecurity and trust
- The Internet economy
- Inclusiveness and diversity
- Openness
- Enhancing multistakeholder cooperation
- The Internet and human rights
- Critical Internet resources
- Emerging issues