

A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding a large, round, woven basket. The basket is covered in intricate beadwork, featuring a central panel with a rainbow-like pattern of horizontal bands in red, orange, yellow, green, and blue. The rest of the basket is woven with a dense, repeating geometric pattern in yellow, red, green, and black. The person's hands are visible at the bottom and sides, holding the basket. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting an outdoor setting.

READOUT – ICANN80 – KIGALI, Rwanda

Some comments about Nextgen participation and DNS Women session



NextGen group – ICANN80

Their presentation reflected their preoccupation with their local culture and economic strength but also they are aware of how the emergency technology would impact their countries.

- **AFRICAN COUNTRIES**

- Benin,
- Kenia,
- Nigeria,
- Congo
- Gambia,
- Chad
- Rwanda

- **EDUCATION STATUS**

Computer Science,
Engineer,
Law,
Business,
Economics



Instant photos during the presentations

Note:

AMONG 9 Men, only 3 Girls participated in NEXTGEN in Africa



Memories of NEXTGEN
presentation

Nextgen and Fellows Coordination

Deborah Escalera,
NextGen Program

Siranush
Vardanyan,
Fellowship
Program

Ergys Ramaj,
General Manager

*Only for transition :
From NextGen to
DNSW*

**Pics that include:
NextGEN, DNSW leader and Staff**



This session was moderated by Hadia Elminiawi who together with Vanda, designed the questions that were addressed to the following ladies :

- **Catherine Ayala, board member from Kenya,**
- **Bukola Oronti, ALAC member from Nigeria,**
- **Arinola Akinyemi, Business Constituency from Nigeria,**
- **Amina Rramallan, Nigeria,**
- **Wafa Dahmani, ccNSO from Tunisia ,**
- **Maud Ashong Elliot from Ghana**
- **Sara Ali from Suldam**

Challenges and Success

DNS Women, ICANN80

KIGALI, Rwanda

*Board
members
that
addressed
to the
audience*

Tripti Sinha

Leon Sanches

Maarten Botterman

Steve Crocker

***Board members at the
audience:***

Sally Costerton

Becky Burr

Edmon Chung

Sajid Rahman

Patricio Poblete

Katrina Sataki



DNS Women



Hadia Elminiawi, moderator, and some of her and guests

*Instant pictures
from the
attendance and
panelists*









from
Maarten Botterman

- Brief greeting that can be accessed at [DNSW Website](#)





DNS Women

• 75 people attended

NEXT Steps :

Before the ICANN81 in Istanbul, Vanda Sartezi is providing a new database with actualization of all women registered as DNS Women members.



They will receive sooner the survey which will give a better register about the DNS future to pass a survey in all regions with all dates listed there.



Note :



ICANN 81 will be in the Asia Pacific Region, we are accounting with the collaboration with our team: Amrita, India Cheryl, Australia, and Maureen, Cook Island, intending to follow with the same program, successful and relevant ladies in the challenges and rewards.





The End