Afghanistan School on Internet Governance (AfSIG 2017)

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MEAC-SIG, 2017
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- A Home Grown Community, that relies on volunteer collaboration of its members.

- ICANN’s At-Large Structure (ALS) under APRALO

- Organizer of the First AfSIG
NITPAA in IG

Events:
- Webinar on Internet governance
- ICANN Middle East team
- Remote Participation Hub - IGF 2015
- Internet Fundamentals - APNIC online Training
- Seminar on Internet of Things (IoT) – NITPAA
- Introduction to Security Incident Response Teams - APNIC Online Training

Capacity:
- 13 dedicated members attended national, Regional and International IG related Events.
- inSIG, pkSIG, APSIG, MEAC-SIG, AprIGF, APNIC, SANOG, ICANN 55, 57, 58, 59
- 3/6 ICANN Fellow
- 6/9 ICANN meeting participants

Future Plans
- First Afghanistan Network Operators Group (AfNOG 2017)
- 2nd Afghanistan School on Internet Governance (AfSIG 2018)
- Youth-IGF – Pending
- Cyber Security Clinic
- Blogging Events (Local Content Support)
The Idea was first Discussed during AprIGF 2016
3 Participant at inSIG 2016

4 Participant at ICANN 57

2 Participant at APNIC 42

5 Participant at pkSIG

1 Participant at MEAC-SIG 2016
AfSIG 2017

**Venue**
Karwan University, a Private University in the west of Kabul City

**Format**
- Lectures (9)
- Remote Sessions (5)
- Panel Discussions (2)

**Participants**
- Applications (166)
- Participants (38)
- Female (11)

**Duration & Date**
- 2 Days Long Event
- 26 – 27 April
- Application Round Remain Open (20 days)

**Sponsors**
- Venue, Internet, Refreshments, Remote Software (apTLD), Financial support

**AUDIENCE**
- Students, Journalists, Economists, Government, Private Sector, Civil society, Technical community
5 Remote Speakers
ICANN, APNIC, apTLD, Digital Right Foundation

Panel
Government
Academia
Civil Society
Private Sector

Other on Site Speakers
Challenges

- Financial problems
- Less applications
- Lack of International faculty on site
- No one to come to Afghanistan
- A lot of cameramans
- Technical problem
- Sound and speaker + Video Recordings

Things to be noted

- Flat structure not heraricy
- A team work
- Start earlier
- Blog posts and ICANN wiki page.

Things to fix for AfSIG 2018

- 3 days instead of 2
- 30 participant instead of 38
- Accomodating applicants from the provinces
- Re-considering on the formate and adding technical, role plays along the panel and sessions
Links and Success Stories

Website : sig.afi.eg.af
ICANN wiki Page:  https://goo.gl/8xacfi
all SIG Group @ APSIG :  https://goo.gl/3fP177
APNIC blog :  https://goo.gl/hwZwDm
APNIC blog 2 :  https://goo.gl/yWU7EE
AfIG.af :  https://goo.gl/QheGky
AfIG.af :  https://goo.gl/xLHg7v
Zazai.ca :  https://goo.gl/ZNUWah
AfSIG 2017 youtube channel :  https://goo.gl/zZivzS
Thanks!

Any questions?

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