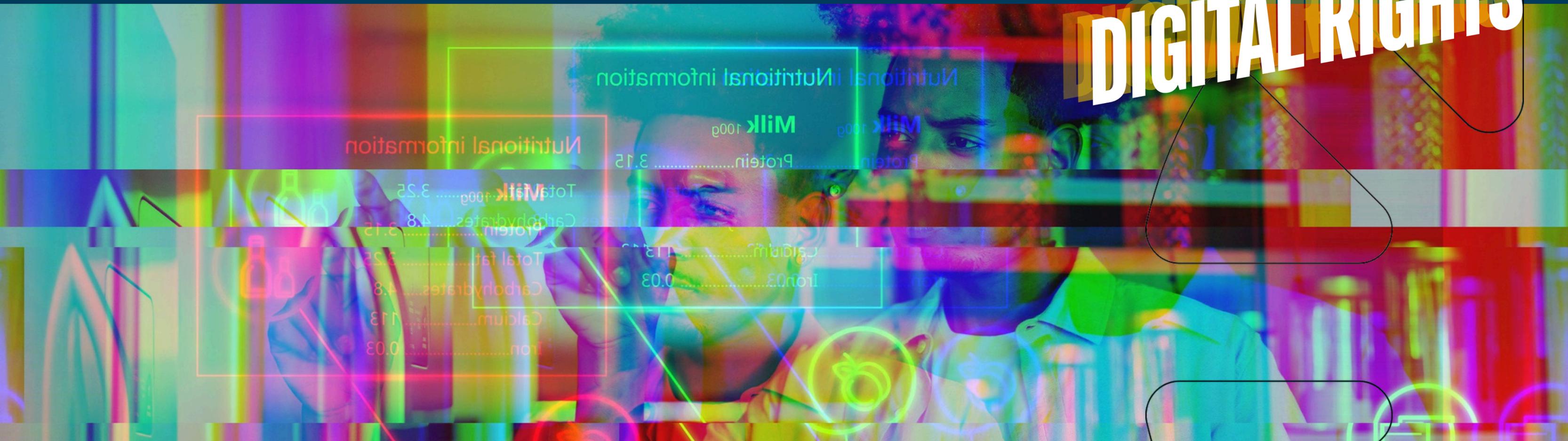


FOR **DIGITAL RIGHTS**



**Thursday, November 27**  
**13:00-14:30 UTC**



This event will be **simultaneously interpreted** in **English, Spanish and French** by the following members of the Forus Interpreters and Translators Pool. Please click on the globe button  to select the language in which you would like to listen to this meeting.

Cet événement sera **interprété simultanément** en **français, anglais et espagnol** par les membres ci-dessous du Pool d'interprètes et de traducteurs de Forus. Veuillez cliquer sur le bouton en forme de globe  pour sélectionner la langue dans laquelle vous souhaitez écouter cette réunion.

Este evento será **interpretado simultáneamente** en **español, francés e inglés** por los siguientes miembros del Pool de Intérpretes y Traductores de Forus. Haga clic en el botón con forma de globo terráqueo  para seleccionar el idioma en el que desea escuchar esta reunión.



**Roberto Sanchez**  
English<>Français  
Mexico City



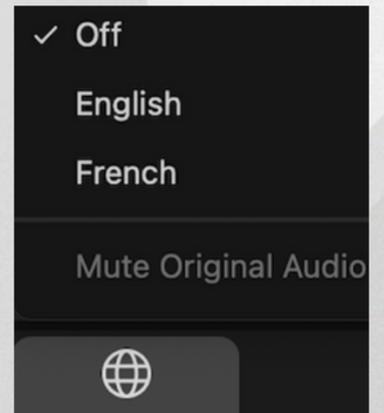
**Carolina Valezzi**  
English<>Français  
Mexico City



**David Helguera**  
English<>Español  
Mexico City



**Guillermo Casillas**  
English<>Español  
Mexico City



## Data Confidentiality

During this Forus event, we will be using artificial intelligence to capture key points and next steps. If there are sensitive topics where you'd prefer to exclude AI capture, please inform the meeting host. Data collected will be exclusively used for creating the event summary and will not be shared with third parties or employed for any other purposes.

## Confidentialité des données

Lors de cet événement, nous utiliserons l'intelligence artificielle pour capturer les points clés et les actions à venir. Si vous souhaitez exclure l'utilisation de l'IA sur des sujets sensibles, veuillez le signaler à l'animateur.ice. Les données collectées seront exclusivement utilisées pour créer le résumé de l'événement et ne seront pas partagées avec des tiers ou utilisées à d'autres fins.

## Confidencialidad de datos

En este evento de Forus, utilizaremos inteligencia artificial para captar los puntos clave y los pasos a seguir. Si desea excluir el uso de inteligencia artificial en temas delicados, por favor, hágaselo saber al moderador/a. Los datos recopilados se utilizarán exclusivamente para crear el resumen del evento y no se compartirán con terceros ni se emplearán para otros fines.

# AGENDA

HIGHLIGHTS:

**MANIFESTO**

**DIGITAL RIGHTS AND INTERNET GOVERNANCE DEEP DIVE**

**YOUR MULTIMEDIA PROJECTS**



**Athavarn  
Srikantharajah**

- Founder, [Nila Facilitation](#) -  
Main Facilitator



**Virginia (Ginger)  
Paque**

Diplo





# youth voices FOR DIGITAL RIGHTS



## CADE Youth Voices for Digital Rights | Forus

Our younger generations of digital natives are the first to have their entire lives encoded in digital data. As the biggest user group on social media platforms, and those feeling the consequences of emerging...

 [forus-international.org](https://forus-international.org)



Fundación **Karisma**



# FOR DIGITAL RIGHTS



**Charlemagne Agbassa**  
Benin



**Huguette Oke**  
Benin



**Francia Andriamanantena**  
Madagascar



**Kasumi Ranasinghe Arachchige**  
Sri Lanka



**Mar Marín**  
Mexico



**Rhoda Julius**  
Tanzania



**Ganga Bahadur Gautam**  
Nepal



**Nancy Borissova**  
Bulgaria



**Aurelio Mofuga**  
Tanzania



**Jonathan Dueñas**  
Ecuador



**Mustapha Lawal**  
Nigeria



**Facundo Rodriguez**  
Argentina



**Himani Singh**  
India



**Ramna Saeed**  
Pakistan



**Roi Vincent M. Merca**  
Philippines

# Commitments

1. There are multiple truths, no one knows everything
2. We might disagree. The goal is not to win, but to stay together.
3. We are all here to learn and grow.
4. We are working across multiple languages, identities, regions. We will be patient to find common understanding.
5. Communication - keeping in touch/aware, across languages
6. Active listening
7. Find common values
8. Respect
9. Get to know each other
10. Honouring time commitment
11. Not making assumptions

# Compromisos

1. Hay múltiples verdades, nadie lo sabe todo.
2. Podemos estar en desacuerdo. El objetivo no es ganar, sino permanecer juntos.
3. Todos estamos aquí para aprender y crecer.
4. Trabajamos con múltiples idiomas, identidades y regiones. Seremos pacientes para encontrar un entendimiento común.
5. Écoute active
6. Trouver des valeurs communes
7. Respect
8. Apprendre à se connaître
9. Respecter ses engagements
10. Éviter les suppositions

# Engagements

1. Il existe plusieurs vérités, personne ne sait tout.
2. Nous pouvons être en désaccord. L'objectif n'est pas de gagner, mais de rester ensemble.
3. Nous sommes tous/toutes ici pour apprendre et grandir.
4. Nous travaillons dans plusieurs langues, avec différentes identités et dans plusieurs régions. Nous ferons preuve de patience pour trouver un terrain d'entente.
5. Écoute active
6. Trouver des valeurs communes
7. Respect
8. Apprendre à se connaître
9. Respecter ses engagements
10. Éviter les suppositions



## Check-in

- Name & Location
- How's your multimedia project coming along?
- Reflecting on your projects, what digital rights / internet governance issues are most important to you?

## Check-in

- Nombre y ubicación
- ¿Cómo va tu proyecto multimedia?
- Reflexionando sobre sus proyectos, ¿qué cuestiones de derechos digitales y gobernanza de Internet son las más importantes para usted?

## Check-in

- Nom et lieu
- Comment avance votre projet multimédia ?
- En repensant à vos projets, quels sont les enjeux liés aux droits numériques et à la gouvernance d'Internet qui vous semblent les plus importants ?

**What is a Youth Manifesto?**  
**¿Qué es un Manifiesto Juvenil?**  
**Qu'est-ce qu'un Manifeste des jeunes?**

# YOUTH MANIFESTO

**\* MOST IMPORTANT ACTION \***

## POWER DYNAMICS

DEMAND  
TRANSPARENT  
GOVERNANCE



## CONFLICT VIOLENCE

REINFORMATION OF THE  
INTERNATIONAL AND  
LOCAL INSTITUTIONS.



## MISINFORMATION AND DIGITAL OPPRESSION

PROMOTE MEDIA LITERACY  
THROUGH MANDATORY &  
CREATIVE EDUCATION



## REPRESSION

EXPOSE &  
CHALLENGE  
COMPLICITY IN  
OPPRESSION WITHIN  
PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS  
& NARRATIVES



## COLLABORATION

ESSENTIAL FOR THESE ACTIONS  
TO HAPPEN

**SUPPORT THROUGH**

- \* REGIONAL CONSULTATION
- \* FINANCIAL/ NON-FINANCIAL

**DRIVE CHANGES**

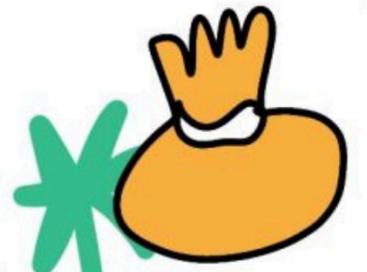
- \* RAISE AWARENESS
- \* ENGAGE IN ACTIVISM
- \* TAKE ACTION

**ENGAGE THE GOV.**

↳ TO ENDORSE THIS MANIFESTO

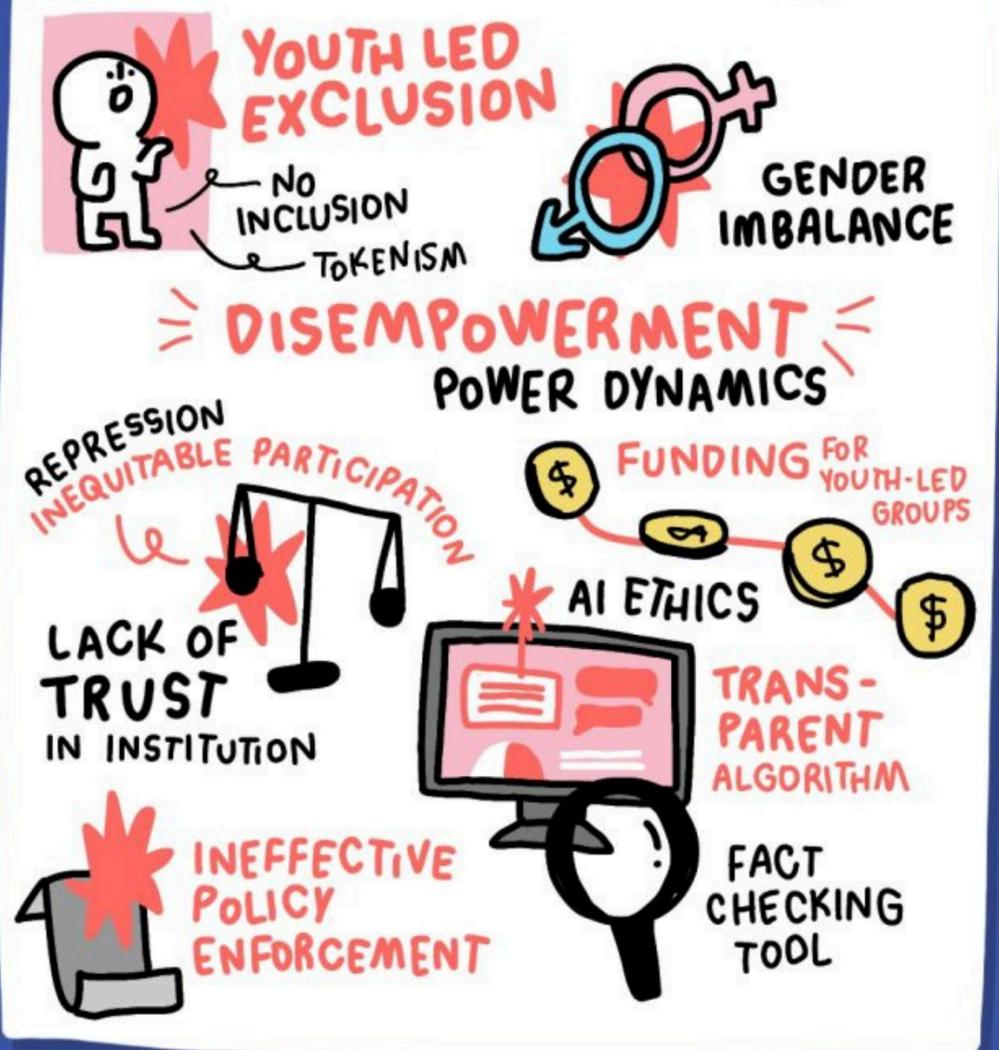
## FUNDING YOUTH-LED GROUPS

STRENGTHEN LOCAL ORGANIZATIONAL  
CAPACITY TO REDUCE RELIANCE ON  
MAJOR DONORS



# “YOUTH MANIFESTO”

## RISKS



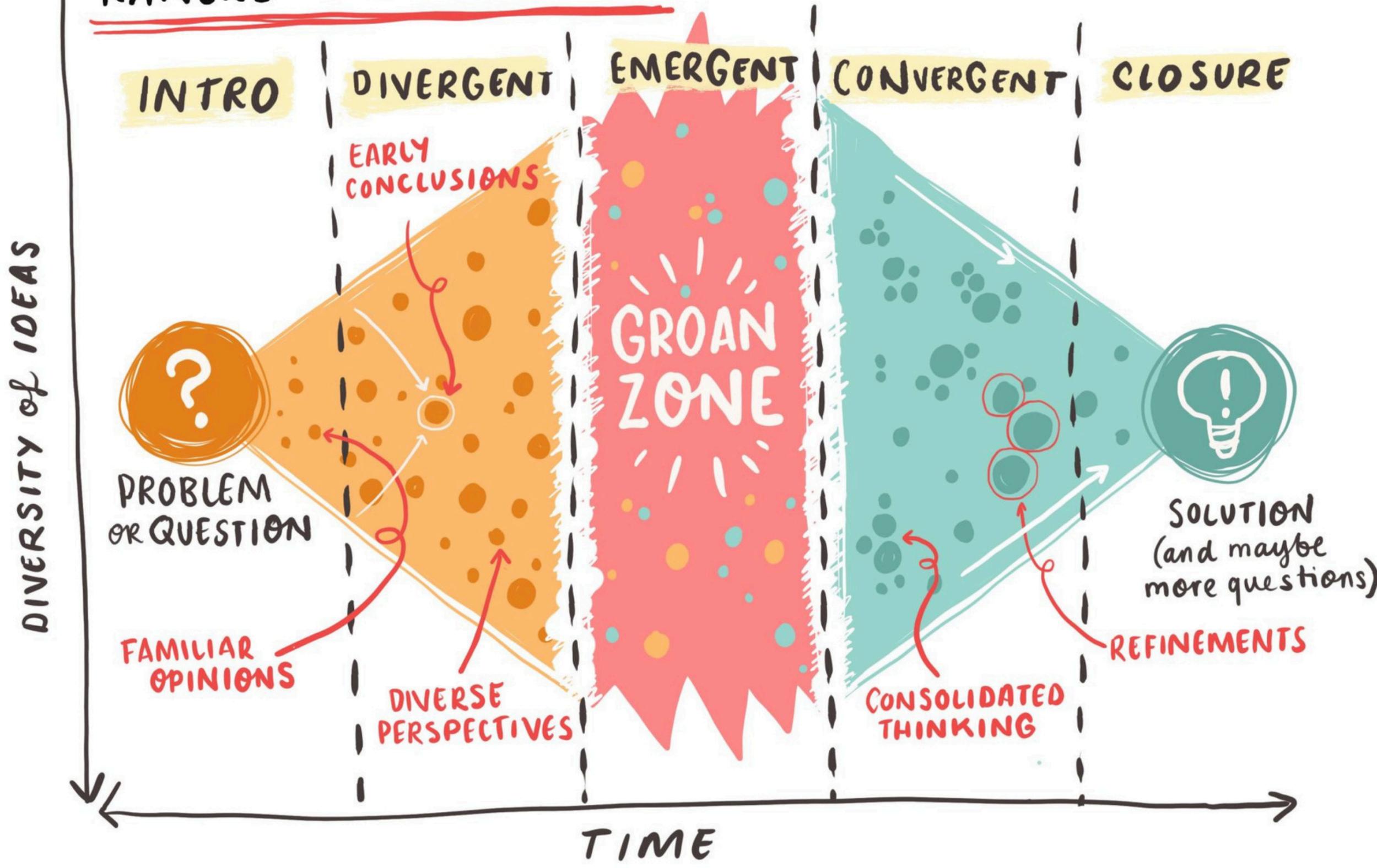
## STRATEGY



## ACTION



# SAM DIAMOND of KANERS PARTICIPATION



## Virginia (Ginger) Paque

- Born (and currently residing) in the United States, Ms Virginia (Ginger) Paque lived in Venezuela for more than 35 years. An educator and administrator by profession, she has 25 years' experience in business and manufacturing systems consulting. As a board member of the United Nations Association of Venezuela, her work as the Venezuelan member of the World Federation of United Nations Associations Task Force on WSIS marked her entry to the world of Internet governance (IG) during the Geneva PrepComs. Active in Civil Society discussions on IG, Ginger served as IG Caucus co-coordinator for two years. She was a member of the UN Internet Governance Forum (IGF) Multistakeholder Advisory Group (MAG) from 2015 to 2017, with a specific focus on moving online 'observation' to online 'participation' for greater inclusion. Having completed a Master in Contemporary Diplomacy with a thesis focusing on the importance of IG as a new diplomatic priority, Ginger currently lectures on IG for Diplo and curates human rights topics for the GIP Digital Watch observatory. Accessibility to support inclusion is a high priority, particularly through support for persons with disabilities and multilingual approaches.



**Virginia (Ginger)  
Paque**

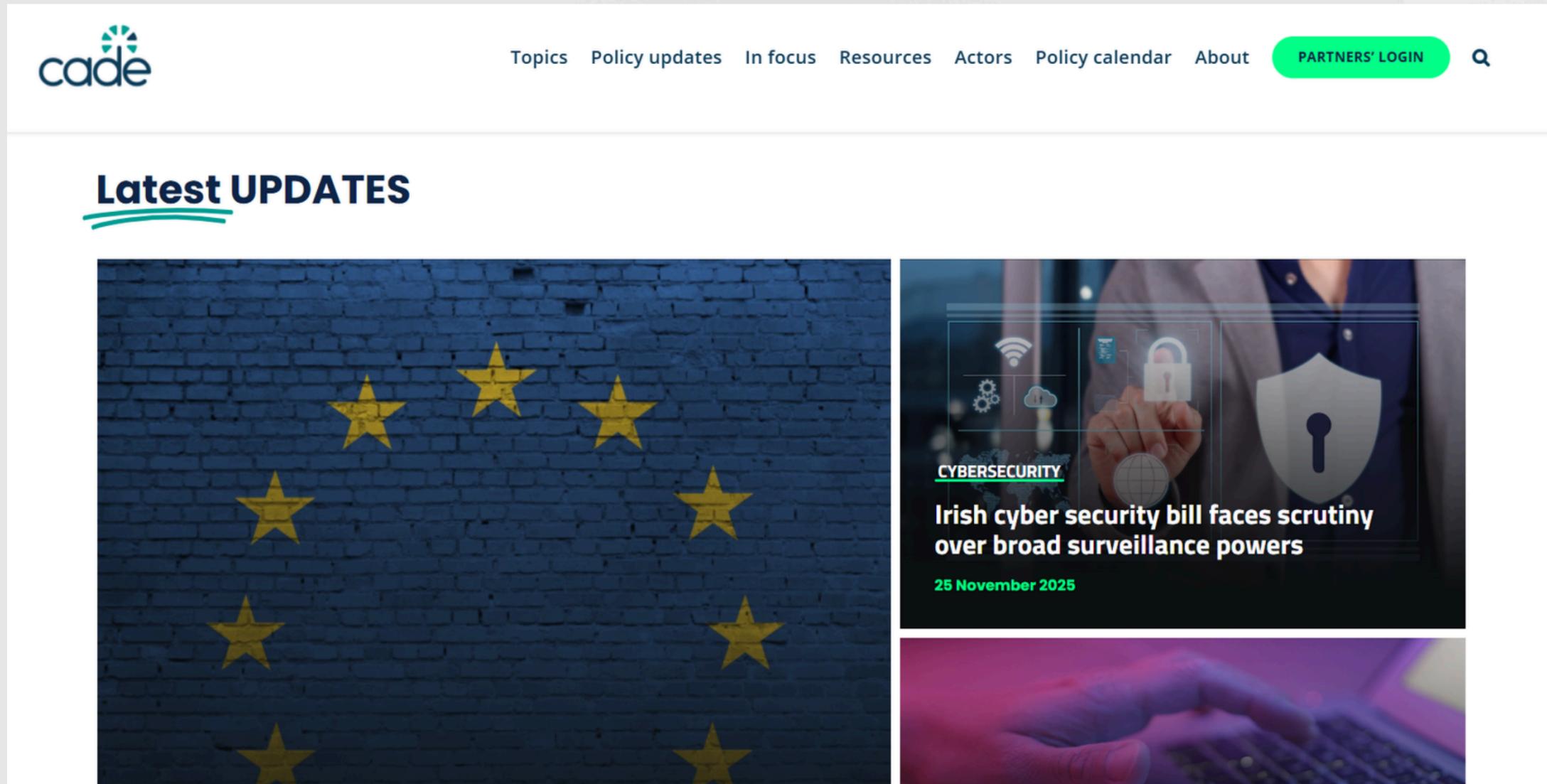
Diplo

Information on the CADE Capacity Development Programme:  
<https://cadeproject.org/in-focus/capacity-development-programme-for-csos-20252026/>



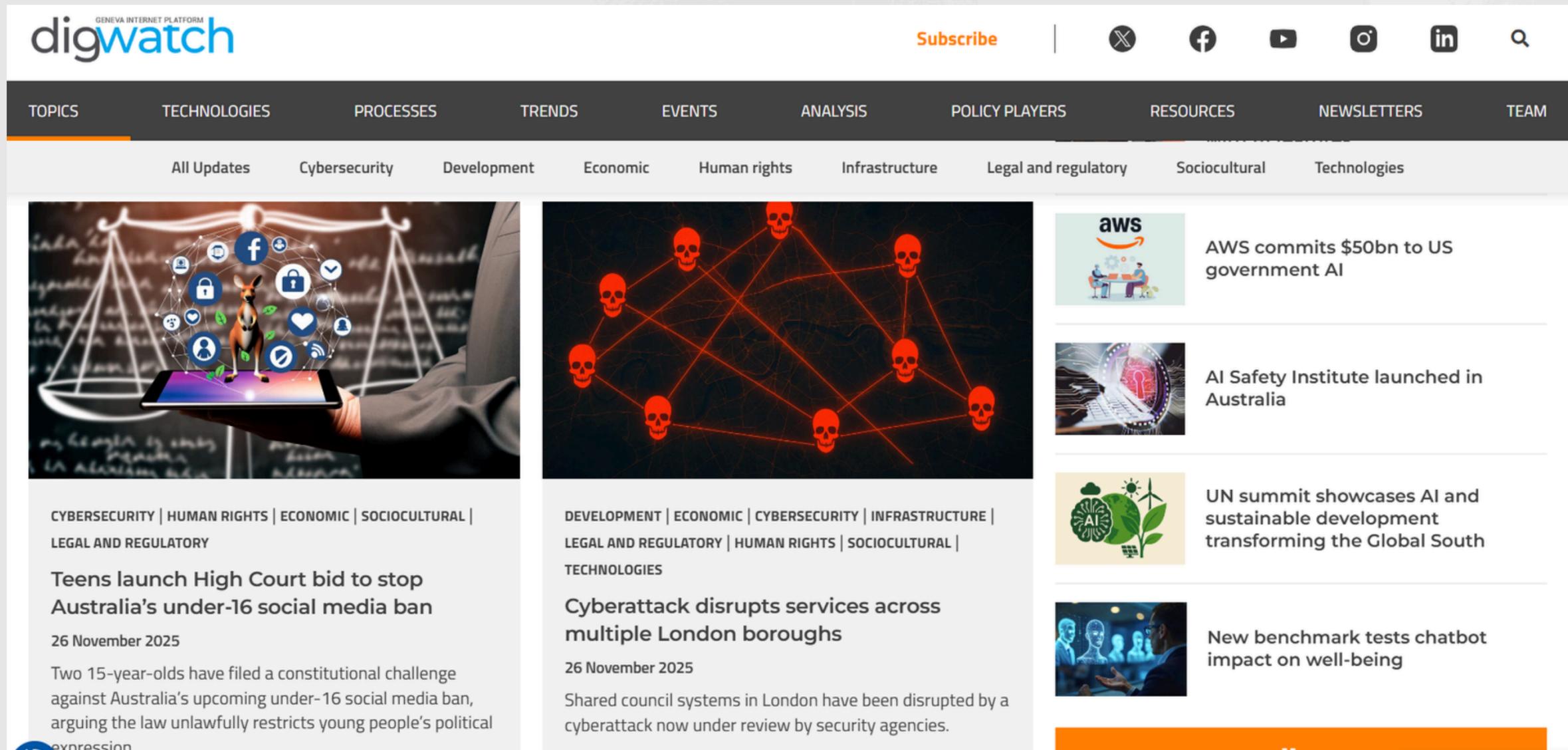
To apply: <https://study.diplomacy.edu/cade2025/>

CADE project website observatory updates: <https://cadeproject.org/>



The screenshot shows the CADE project website observatory updates page. The header includes the CADE logo, navigation links (Topics, Policy updates, In focus, Resources, Actors, Policy calendar, About), a green 'PARTNERS' LOGIN' button, and a search icon. The main content area is titled 'Latest UPDATES' and features a large image of the European Union flag on the left. To the right, there is a news article titled 'Irish cyber security bill faces scrutiny over broad surveillance powers' dated '25 November 2025'. The article includes a 'CYBERSECURITY' tag and a thumbnail image of a person's hand interacting with a digital interface.

## Diplo's Digital Watch Observatory: <https://dig.watch/>



The screenshot shows the homepage of the digwatch website. At the top left is the logo "GENEVA INTERNET PLATFORM digwatch". To the right is a "Subscribe" button and social media icons for X, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, and LinkedIn. Below this is a navigation bar with categories: TOPICS, TECHNOLOGIES, PROCESSES, TRENDS, EVENTS, ANALYSIS, POLICY PLAYERS, RESOURCES, NEWSLETTERS, and TEAM. A secondary navigation bar lists sub-topics: All Updates, Cybersecurity, Development, Economic, Human rights, Infrastructure, Legal and regulatory, Sociocultural, and Technologies. The main content area features three large article cards on the left and a list of smaller article cards on the right.

**Article 1 (Left):** **Teens launch High Court bid to stop Australia's under-16 social media ban**  
 26 November 2025  
 Two 15-year-olds have filed a constitutional challenge against Australia's upcoming under-16 social media ban, arguing the law unlawfully restricts young people's political expression.

**Article 2 (Middle):** **Cyberattack disrupts services across multiple London boroughs**  
 26 November 2025  
 Shared council systems in London have been disrupted by a cyberattack now under review by security agencies.

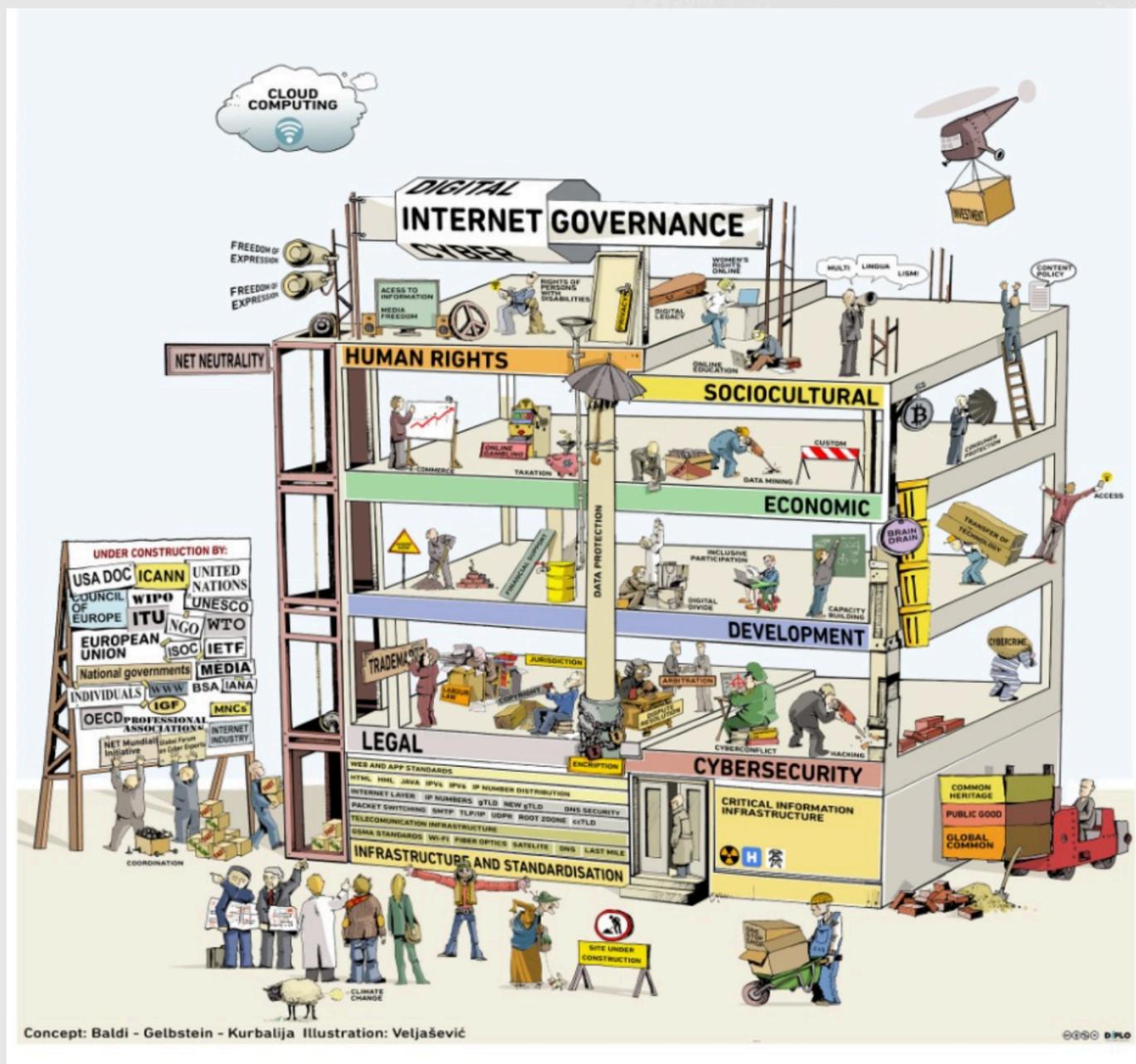
**Article 3 (Right):** **AWS commits \$50bn to US government AI**

**Article 4 (Right):** **AI Safety Institute launched in Australia**

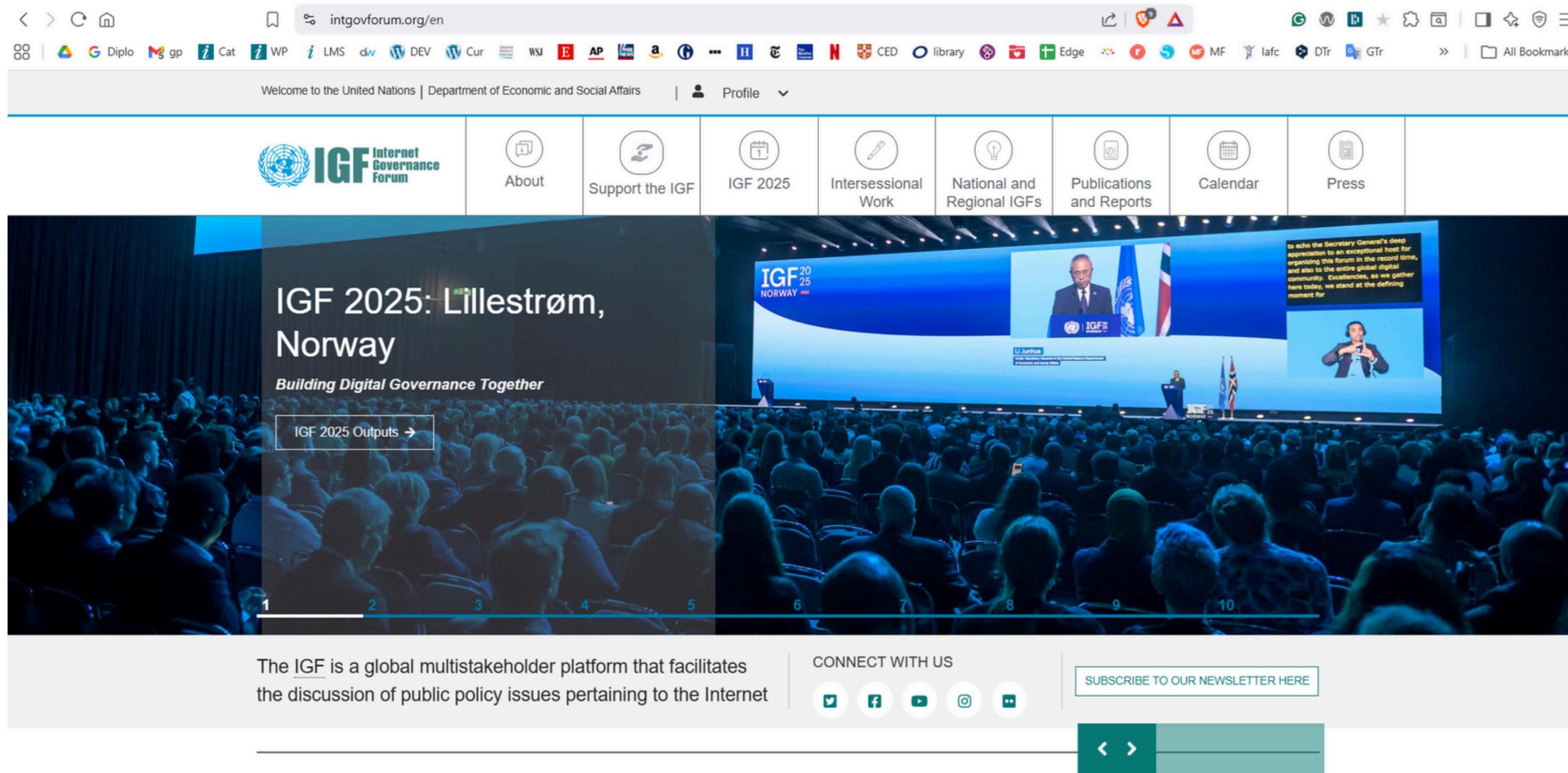
**Article 5 (Right):** **UN summit showcases AI and sustainable development transforming the Global South**

**Article 6 (Right):** **New benchmark tests chatbot impact on well-being**

# Internet Governance



# UN Internet Governance Forum: <https://intgovforum.org/en>



The screenshot shows the website for the UN Internet Governance Forum (IGF). At the top, there is a navigation bar with the UN logo and the text "Welcome to the United Nations | Department of Economic and Social Affairs". Below this is a menu with icons and labels for "About", "Support the IGF", "IGF 2025", "Intersessional Work", "National and Regional IGFs", "Publications and Reports", "Calendar", and "Press". The main content area features a large video player. The video title is "IGF 2025: Lillestrøm, Norway" with the subtitle "Building Digital Governance Together". A button labeled "IGF 2025 Outputs" is visible. The video shows a speaker at a podium on a stage with a large audience. A text overlay on the right side of the video reads: "to echo the Secretary General's deep appreciation for an exceptional host for organizing this forum in the record time, and also to the entire global digital community. Excellencies, as we gather here today, we stand at the defining moment for". Below the video player, there is a text block: "The IGF is a global multistakeholder platform that facilitates the discussion of public policy issues pertaining to the Internet". To the right of this text is a "CONNECT WITH US" section with icons for Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, and LinkedIn. Further right is a "SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER HERE" button. At the bottom right, there are navigation arrows.

## Small Group

1. What's missing?
2. Looking at the list of issues, what are your call(s) to action for internet governance forums?

## Charla en grupos pequeños

1. Que manque-t-il ?
2. Au vu de la liste des problèmes, quelles sont vos recommandations pour les forums de gouvernance d'Internet ?

## Échange en petits groupes

1. ¿Qué falta?
2. Al observar la lista de temas, ¿cuáles son sus llamados a la acción para los foros de gobernanza de internet?

## Check-out

1. What are you **leaving with** after today's session?
2. What's **one question** you still have?

## Check-out

1. ¿Qué te llevas de la sesión de hoy?
2. ¿Qué pregunta te queda?

## Check-out

1. Quels sont les points que vous reprenez de la séance d'aujourd'hui ?
2. Quelle question vous reste-t-il ?



**Your opinion is very important for us!**  
**¡Su opinión es muy importante para nosotros!**  
**Votre avis est très important pour nous !**

Please take **20 seconds** to **tell us how satisfied you are** with today's meeting!  
**Scan the QR code** or **click on the link in the chat box**

Your feedback enables us to continuously plan and adapt our activities in accordance with the opinions of our members and partners, ensuring that they align with their needs and expectations.

Merci de donner votre avis sur la réunion **en 20 secondes !**  
**Scannez le Code QR** ou **cliquez sur le lien dans la chat box**

Vos retours nous permettent de planifier et d'ajuster nos activités en continu, en tenant compte des avis de nos membres et partenaires, afin de répondre à leurs besoins et attentes.

Por favor, ¡tómese **20 segundos** para indicarnos su nivel de satisfacción con la reunión!  
**Escanee el código QR** o **haga clic en el enlace en el cuadro de diálogo**

Su opinión nos permite planificar y adaptar continuamente nuestras actividades de acuerdo con las opiniones de nuestros miembros y socios, asegurándonos de que se ajusten a sus necesidades y expectativas.

