THE 10th ASIA PACIFIC REGIONAL INTERNET GOVERNANCE FORUM

July 16-19 2019 Vladivostok RUSSIA
APrIGF 2019 Vladivostok

Date: 16-19 July 2019

Venue:
Far East Federal University

Transportation:
- Direct flights from Korea, Japan, Hong Kong, China, Vietnam, Philippines, etc.
- Airport is 30-45 minutes away from city center and about 1 hour to the venue.
- Shuttles were arranged.

Accommodation: Hotels ranged from USD30-45 per room night
2019 Themes

Overarching Theme
Enabling a Safe, Secure and Universal Internet for All in Asia Pacific

Sub-Themes
• Safer Internet, Cybersecurity & Regulation
• Access & Universality
• Emerging Technologies & Society
• Human Rights Online
• Evolving Role of Internet Governance & Multi-Stakeholder Participation
• Digital Economy
Program 2019

Number of workshop proposal evaluated: 60
Number of sessions: 22 workshops & 3 plenaries
Number of on-site participants: 186
Fellowship Program 2019

Total application received:
145 (Male: 94 / Female: 51)

Final round of selected fellows:
20 (Male: 5 / Female: 15)
Youth IGF

Number of participants: 17
(+ 4 Organizing Committee members)
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1. Safer Internet, Cybersecurity and Regulation

The growing concerns on issues such as misinformation, fake news, hate speech and harassment, online violence and terrorism, organized cybercrimes, data breaches result in a decrease of trust as well as a wave of state regulations to mitigate the cybersecurity risks. To maintain cyber hygiene, what kind of policies and governance model shall be adopted to tackle these issues and achieve a safer Internet? What should be the key considerations for states when creating these regulations? How shall we maintain legal interoperability of laws and extraterritorial data protection on the Internet? Should the Internet be regulated by the states solely and what is the impact of these existing regulations on the Internet? How should the balance be drawn between state interference on Internet infrastructure and a free and open Internet?
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