



Washington DC Telecommunications and Media Forum (Online)

Date: 8th - 9th December 2021

Location: Online meeting

Agenda: Wednesday 8 December 2021

09.55: Welcome

Chris Chapman, President, International Institute of Communications

10.00: Protecting and connecting citizens

Ian Scott, Chairperson and CEO, Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC)

10.15: New rules for content on the Internet / Section 230 reforms - what might 'well-crafted' regulation look like? How to reach consensus on preserving the Internet as a forum for open discourse?

Chair

Logan Finucan, Senior Manager, US, Access Partnership

Speakers

David Sullivan, Executive Director, Digital Trust & Safety Partnership, DTSP

Kate Tummarello, Executive Director, Engine

Danielle A Davis, Tech and Telecom Policy Counsel, Multicultural Media, Telecom and Internet

Kate Sheerin, Global IP and Content Regulation Public Policy Lead, Google

11.30: Competition dynamics in digital markets - is reform needed?

Chair

Gordon Moir, Partner, Wiggin LLP

Speakers

Danielle Coffey, Senior Vice President & General Counsel, News Media Alliance

Maureen K. Ohlhausen, Partner & Section Chair - Antitrust & Competition Law, Baker Botts LLP

Nievia Ramsundar, Executive Director, CARICOM Competition Commission

Dr Tobias Schmid, Chairman, European Regulators Group for Audiovisual Media Services (ERGA); Director, Media Authority of North Rhine-Westphalia

Ramiro Camacho Castillo, Commissioner, Federal Telecommunications Institute (IFT),

Mexico

Dwayne R. Winseck, Professor, School of Journalism and Communication and Director of the Canadian Media Concentration Research Project and the Global Media & Internet Concentration Project, Carleton University

13.00: Close of day one

Agenda: Thursday 9 December 2021

08.10: Welcome

Lynn Robinson, Director General, International Institute of Communications

08.15: National and international policy objectives and priorities

Chair

Ambassador David A. Gross, Partner, Wiley Rein LLP

Speakers

Evelyn Remaley, Acting Assistant Secretary, National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA), US Department of Commerce

Peter Fatelnig, Minister-Counsellor, Digital Economy Policy, Delegation of the European Union to the USA

09.00: Infrastructure legislation and implications of broadband 'everywhere' rollout - supply and demand perspectives

Moderator

Dileep Srihari, Senior Policy Counsel, Access Partnership

Speakers

Jeffrey A. Marks, Vice President Regulatory Affairs, Nokia

Christopher Mitchell, Director, Community Broadband Networks, Institute for Local Self-Reliance

Ernesto Falcon, Senior Legislative Counsel, Electronic Frontier Foundation (EFF)

Jennifer Manner, Senior Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, EchoStar Corporation

Giuseppina Curreli, Director of Political Relations, Millicom

10.30: Policy frameworks for 5G and beyond - vendor diversity, use cases, spectrum management

Chair

Adam Krinsky, Partner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP

Speakers

Jared Carlson, Vice President, Government Affairs and Public Policy, North America, Ericsson

Philip Marnick, Group Director for Spectrum, Ofcom

Chantal Davis, Senior Director, Regulatory Policy, Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada

Michael O'Rielly, President, MPORielly Consulting, LLC

12.00: Privacy, security, data protection and trust - from cookies to metadata to AI to data localization - how to enable innovation and competition whilst protecting consumers?

Session Chair

Alan L Friel, Partner and Co-Chair, Global Data Privacy, Cybersecurity & Digital Assets Practice, Squire Patton Boggs (US) LLP

Opening Speakers

Suzan DelBene, Congresswoman, U.S. House of Representatives

Alastair Mactaggart, Board member, California Privacy Protection Agency

Moderator

Ann LaFrance, Senior Partner, Squire Patton Boggs (US) LLP and Vice President, International Institute of Communications

Speakers

Maureen Mahoney, Senior Policy Analyst, Consumer Reports

Sam Schofield, Policy Advisor, Office of Digital Services Industries (ITA-ODSI), U.S. Department of Commerce - International Trade Administration

Vitelio Ruiz Bernal, General Director of Investigation and Verification of the Private Sector, National Institute of Transparency, Access to Information and Protection of Personal Data (INAI), Mexico

Christopher Calabrese, Senior Director Privacy Policy, Microsoft

13.45: Close of Forum