

AGENDA v.2

**Technical Consultation on Strengthening UNESCO IPDC's Mechanism to Monitor and Report
on SDG 16.10.2 (Access to Information)**

Paris, 3 September 2018

UNESCO (Salle VII, Level -1), 7 Place de Fontenoy, 75007 Paris

09:30 – 09:40	Welcome remarks – UNESCO ADG/CI Moez Chakchouk
09:40 – 10:45	<p>Session 1: SDG 16</p> <p>Monitoring and Reporting on SDGs: current situation – opportunities and actors</p> <p>Moderator: Guy Berger, UNESCO Director for Freedom of Expression and Media Development, IPDC secretary.</p> <p>a) Introduction, background, aims of the workshop</p> <p>b) Presentations on the big picture (5 minutes maximum per person):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clare Stark, Strategic Planning Specialist, Bureau of Strategic Planning, UNESCO • Beatriz Valdez Melgar, Statistical Assistant, Communication, UNESCO Institute for Statistics • Alexandra Wilde, Oslo Governance, UNDP (by Skype) • Alessandro Bellantoni, Deputy Head of Division and Head of the Open Government Unit, OECD • David Banisar, Senior Legal Counsel, Article 19 • Maarten Visser, Policy & Advocacy Officer, Free Press Unlimited <p>c) Q&A</p>
10:45 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:30	<p>Session 2: Collecting Data for Global Reporting through the IPDC</p> <p>Moderator: UNESCO Rosa M. Gonzalez, IPDC deputy secretary.</p> <p>a) Presentations/comments on draft template (5 minutes each person):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lotte Geunis, Program Officer, Open Government Partnership • Helen Darbshire, Executive Director, Access Info Europe, and member of the OGP Steering Committee <p>b) Discussion</p>
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break
14:00 – 15:45	<p>Session 3: Survey for In-depth Case Studies, Research and National Assessments</p> <p>Moderator: UNESCO Sylvie Coudray, Chief of Section for Freedom of Expression.</p> <p>a) Presentations/comments (5 minutes each person):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toby Mendel, Executive Director, Centre for Law and Democracy • Beatriz Valdez Melgar, Statistical Assistant, Communication, UNESCO Institute for Statistics • Marcos Mendiburu, The Carter Center • Elizabeth Andersen, Executive Director, World Justice Project • Marcel Haessler, Support to Local Governance (LoGo), Team Leader State-Citizen Dialogue, GIZ • Representative of the World Bank <p>b) Discussion</p>
15:45– 16:00	Coffee break
16:00– 17:30	<p>Session 4: Ways forward to use data collected for 16.10.2, including linkages to other SDGs.</p> <p>Moderator: Albana Shala, UNESCO IPDC Chair</p> <p>Presentations (5 minutes each person) by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sarah Faguet, Africa Freedom of Information Centre and FOIANet • Anne Marie Hammer, Programmes and Policy Manager, Global Forum for Media Development • Caroline Giraud, Media4Democracy • Marthe Rubio, Global Investigative Journalists Network • Silvia Chocarro, International Freedom of Expression Exchange • Marius Lukosiunas, UNESCO
17:30– 17:45	Final remarks and closing (moderator Guy Berger)