

## ANNEX 2



## Caribbean Telecommunications Union

### Internet Governance Forum Programme Overview

<b>Date</b>	September 5 – 6, 2005
<b>Venue</b>	Georgetown, Guyana
<b>Objectives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To apprise policy makers, regulators, practitioners and other stakeholders of key issues relating to Internet Governance (IG).</li><li>• To agree an appropriate scope of works and resource priorities for the Caribbean stakeholders in the area of IG</li><li>• To formulate Caribbean positions on relevant IG issues to be pursued at the regional and international levels.</li><li>• To identify means of developing expertise in IG in the region.</li></ul>
<b>Approach</b>	<p>The objectives will be pursued in the course of a two-day Forum to be addressed by regional and international authorities in matters of IG. There will be two workshop sessions facilitated by experts and regional practitioners in the field.</p> <p><b>Workshop 1:</b> Determining appropriate IG definition, focus areas and resource priorities for Caribbean stakeholders and the CTU in particular</p> <p><b>Workshop 2:</b> Initiating and planning formulation of Caribbean positions on relevant IG issues as appropriate on an ongoing basis</p>
<b>Target Audience</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Caribbean Government Officials responsible for Information and Communications Policy</li><li>• Internet Service and Content Providers</li><li>• Caribbean Regulators</li><li>• Telecommunications Service Providers</li><li>• End Users including Consumer Groups</li><li>• Legal practitioners</li><li>• NGOs</li></ul>
<b>Deliverables</b>	<p>A report for submission to Caribbean ICT Ministers documenting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Caribbean positions on the key issues of Internet Governance</li><li>• Recommendations on how the region should proceed on the issues</li></ul>



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**05 September 2005**

<b>Date/Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Speaker / Presenter</b>
9.00 a.m.	Opening Prayer	
9.05 a.m.	<b>Welcome / Introductions</b>	<b>Mr. Nigel Cassimire</b>
9.10 a.m.	<b>Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Ms. Bernadette Lewis</b> Secretary General – CTU
	<b>Brief Address</b>	<b>Ambassador Lolita Applewhaite</b> Secretary General – CARICOM
9.20 a.m.	<b>Keynote Address</b> Internet Governance (IG) and Regional Perspective	<b>Ambassador Trevor Clarke</b> Permanent Representative of Barbados to the United Nations in Geneva
10.00 a.m.	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
10.30 a.m.	<b>The Internet, Addressing and DNS Administration</b>	<b>Mr. John Crain, CTO of ICANN</b>
11.15 a.m.	<b>ISP perspectives</b>	<b>Mr. Brian Jahra</b> Association of Independent ISPs of Trinidad & Tobago
11.45 a.m.	<b>Challenges of the Internet – An Incumbent Operator’s Perspective</b>	<b>Mr. Russell Davis</b> Director, Systems Engineering GT&T
12.15 p.m.	<b>Lunch    <i>Sponsored by GT&amp;T</i></b>	
1.30 p.m.	<b>Workshop</b> Discussion and formulation of appropriate IG definition, focus areas and resource priorities for Caribbean stakeholders and the CTU.	<b>Facilitator</b> Ambassador Trevor Clarke
3.00 p.m.	<b>Break</b>	
3:30 p.m.	<b>Workshop Continues</b> Report Drafting Session	



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<i>9.00 a.m.</i>	<b>Industry Specific Presentations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• IG and economic and social development</li></ul>	<b>Ms. Jacqueline Morris</b> Project Manager Media 21
<i>9.30 a.m.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• IG and e-Commerce development</li></ul>	<b>Mr. Lance Hinds</b> CEO, Brainstreet Technologies
<i>10.00 a.m.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Legal Issues (Intellectual property, patents, digital signatures etc.)</li></ul>	<b>Mr. Teni Housty</b> Attorney-at-Law Guyana
<i>10.30 a.m.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Coffee Break</li></ul>	
<i>11.00 a.m.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Security challenges – cyber crimes, security of information systems</li></ul>	<b>Mr. James Corbin</b> ICT Adviser U.W.I.
<b>12:15</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<i>1.15 p.m.</i>	<b>Workshop</b> Initiating and planning the formulation of Caribbean positions on relevant IG issues as appropriate on an ongoing basis.	<b>Facilitator</b> Mr. Teni Housty
<i>3.00 p.m.</i>	<b>Break</b>	
<i>3.30 p.m.</i>	<b>Workshop Continues</b>	
<i>4.15 p.m.</i>	<b>Plenary Session/Reports of Workshops</b>	Ambassador Trevor Clarke
<i>5.00 p.m.</i>	<b>Closing</b>	<b>Ms. Bernadette Lewis</b> Secretary General – CTU