



Internet for democratic participation of vulnerable people in public life

Best practices exchange

Workshop 126

**Wednesday 28 September, 09:00–10:30
Conference Room #13**

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The present workshop is based on the conclusions of the workshop n° 109 that was held during the IGF 2010. One of the key points was to continue discussions concerning the use of ICT by people with migrant background and vulnerable people but also to propose concrete actions in cooperation with different actors.

The Internet could be a catalyst for change; it is also a perfect tool that allows people with a migrant background and vulnerable people to learn more about their citizenship and the citizenship of residence. These people constitute a fragile group due to their particular vulnerability.

Using ICTs and the Internet they can then more easily participate in public life at different levels. Internet can offer them the possibility and the motivation to fully discover and enjoy their rights of citizens. Accordingly the Internet can be a catalyst for change that will include and motivate active citizenship and the participation of all in the Building Process of Information Society.

The purpose of this workshop is to share the best of worldwide existing models of ICT use by vulnerable people (people with migrant background and those socially excluded) for a better integration into the Building Process of Information Society and more participation in public life.

The message of the First French Youth&Teenagers' IGF will be presented during the Workshop.

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