



*I spent one incredible week in this beautiful cloister in Meissen with some of the most renowned experts in the field of Internet Governance (IG) and with enthusiastic students from all over the world. We were living, breathing and discussing the hottest and latest IG topics with some of the key practitioners, players and academics in the field.*

Emily M. Weitzenboeck, Norwegian Research Center for Computers and Law Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, EuroSSIG fellow in 2011



*As a graduate from Science Po in Paris and active programme manager in the gTLD industry, I have been impressed by the breadth of coverage, depth of discussion, quality of speakers and diversity of participants at the EuroSSIG. This is a unique and truly exceptional opportunity for advancing one's knowledge on such a cutting edge issue of international affairs.*

Fabien Betremieux, AFNIC, EuroSSIG fellow in 2011



*EuroSSIG is a unique opportunity to learn, share and test arguments with exceptional people from all over the world. The programme and the venue create an atmosphere of permanent talks around Internet Governance challenges, a truly learning environment.*

Freddy Linares-Torres, ISOC Peru, EuroSSIG fellow in 2012



*Attending the EuroSSIG was an extremely valuable experience both professionally and socially. The program offers the most widespread education on Internet governance issues, giving room for reflections on the future based on knowledge of the internet of today and also the history of the internet. The beautiful surrounding in the monastery was the perfect frame for both professional and social interaction.*

Ann-Cathrin Marcussen, UNINETT Norid AS, EuroSSIG fellow in 2012



*I have found EuroSSIG to be an invaluable opportunity to learn about Internet governance, both as a fellow and a member of faculty. The people that I've met through the Summer School and the discussions I've taken part in have helped me to participate more effectively in global and regional Internet governance processes on behalf of the RIPE NCC.*

Chris Buckridge, RIPE NCC, EuroSSIG fellow in 2008



*EuroSSIG is organized without any compromises on what it takes to create a truly multistakeholder environment to learn Internet governance. Participants and teachers are carefully selected from across stakeholder groups from different geographic regions, for a balanced diversity of views and approaches. I have developed enormous faith in the multistakeholder process and have gained a clear understanding of the Internet governance process, issues and challenges.*

Sivasubramanian M., Internet Society India Chennai, EuroSSIG fellow in 2009



*More than an intensive academic program to introduce IG, EUSSIG was an opportunity to meet people, lecturers and students, involved in many IG fora, with whom I am cooperating currently within ICANN and who are among my best friends and mentors.*

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Rafik Dammak, GNSO / NCSG, EuroSSIG fellow in 2007

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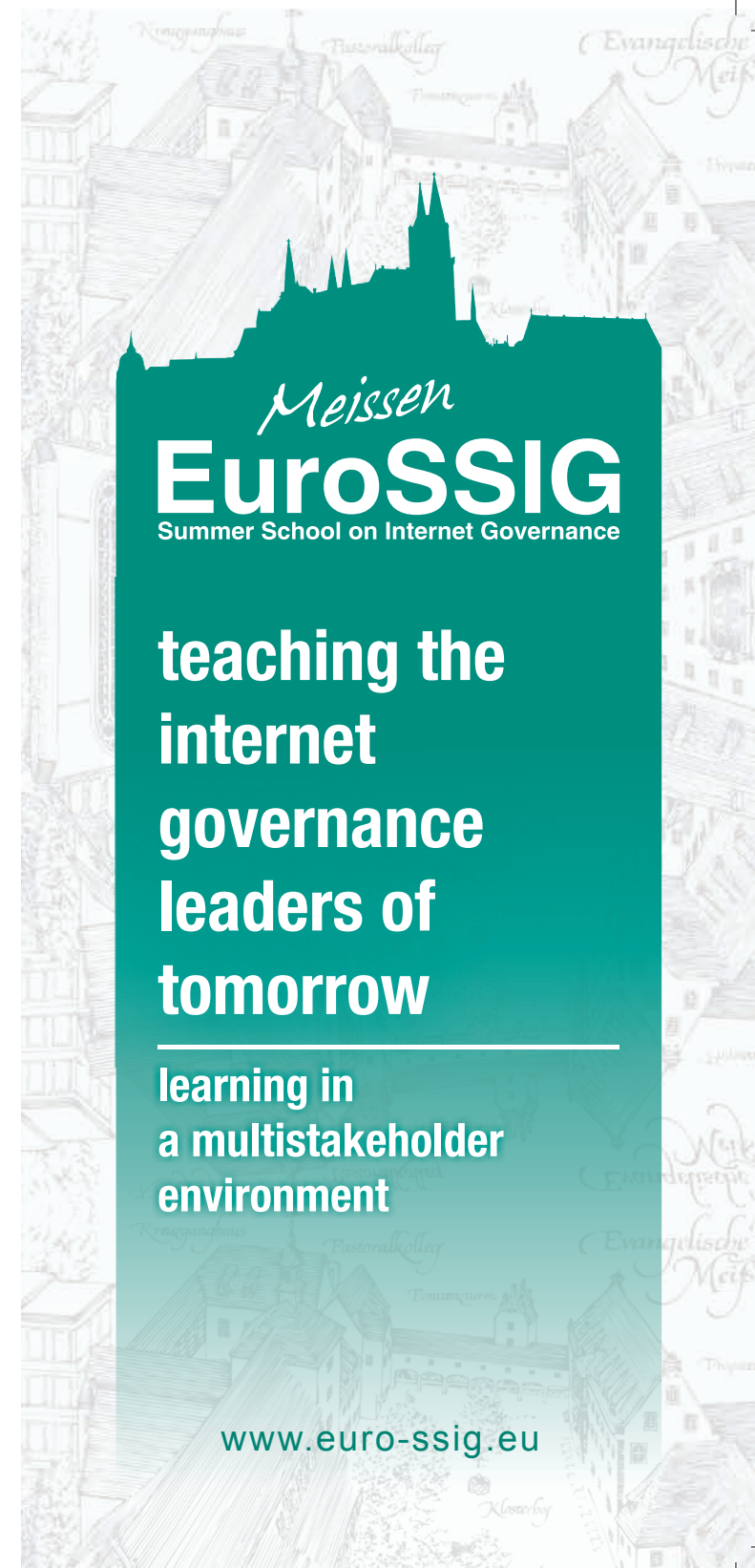

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## The Background

The Internet, with more than 2 billion users worldwide, is the most important infrastructure in the information age. It influences policies, economics and cultures globally and locally. Internet governance issues like management of critical Internet resources (domain names, IP addresses, root servers, protocols), security, stability and resilience of the net, freedom of expression, privacy, intellectual property, eCommerce, new market opportunities, cybercrime, infrastructure development, digital divide, network neutrality, Internet of things etc. make its way into national and international political agendas. For some experts Internet governance will become as important as climate change or energy today. Insofar it is only natural that the way how and by whom the Internet is governed, is a highly controversial issue in the diplomacy of the 21st century.

## The Invitation

Do you want to understand the multilayer multiplayer mechanisms of Internet governance? Do you want to know what the political, economic, social and legal implications of Internet governance are? Do you want to learn what is behind cryptic acronyms like ICANN, RIR, DNS, ccTLD, gTLD, iDN, IPv6, DNSSEC, ISP, IETF, W3C, IAB, WHOIS, GAC, IGF, WGIG and WSIS? Do you want to get more detailed information about technical Internet standards, protocols, codes, domain names, IP addresses, registries and registrars? Are you interested to look deeper into the opportunities and risks of the emerging global Internet economy? Do you want to become an Internet governance leader of tomorrow? You should apply for the "European Summer School on Internet Governance" (EuroSSIG)!

## The Concept

The Summer School offers a unique multidisciplinary high level 50 hours academic programme, both for graduate students and young academics as well as for junior professionals from private sector, government and civil society. The programme is a well balanced mixture of theoretical lectures with world leading academics as well as practical presentations from well known experts working directly in the technical community, the market or in policy. It offers unique opportunities for learning in a multistakeholder environment, which includes also intense and individual interactive communication with faculty members and fellows from all over the world.

## Faculty Chair and SSIG Founder

Wolfgang Kleinwächter, University of Aarhus

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