

### Multistakeholder model in action: Lessons & Advice for Gen XYZ in leadership for digital policymaking



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# **NetMission.Asia** is a network of passionate young Asians dedicated to engage and empower youth on Internet governance discourse with the aim to enhance youth mobility and create impact in Asia.

Supported by DotAsia Organisation, NetMission. Asia was established in 2009 where students from top tertiary institutes or universities are recruited every year and will be provided with a series of training workshops.

NetMission. Asia has been actively participating in various Internet conferences both regionally and globally, including ICANN meetings, IGF, APrIGF, Asia Pacific Internet Governance Academy (APIGA) and the Asia Pacific Next Generation Camp (APNG Camp), etc.

he NetMission Ambassadors organize the annual Youth Internet Governance Forum (yIGF) around Asia Pacific since 2010 to support and encourage youth participation on Internet governance, the ambassadors have been organising the yIGF in the Asia-Pacific regions, including Singapore, Tokyo, Seoul, Delhi, Macao, Taipei, Bangkok and Port Vila since 2010.



Provide a youth perspective in a meaningful way

**Capacity Building** 



Policy Advocacy

Make policymaking more accessible



## We need youth empowerment if we want youth engagement.

#### Make policymaking more accessible for the younger generation

- NetMission Academy Train the youth in Asia Pacific with understanding on different Internet governance topics.
- Asia Pacific Youth IGF Engage interested individuals and empower them with the capacity to contribute to Internet governance discourse.
- IG101 Introduce Internet governance to general public online



## Constructive contributions for meaningful youth participation

#### Create tangible outputs to communicate the youth perspective

- Case Study Series Approach different issues with cases and examples from or related to Asia Pacific
- Asia Pacific Policy Observatory Create a youth report on the study of different emerging policies in the Asia Pacific



Transferable skills and experiences



**Career Development** 

Support and resources

#### Path to Grow



#### From regional to global

#### Strategic planning among youth to pave a path for growth

- Asia Pacific Youth Leaders Dialogue Exchange experiences and insights. Coordinate to plan strategically for youth development.
- NetMission Advisory Board Youth expert to review and consult the work created and initiated by youth.
- Leadership & Influential Roles in regional & global community –
  Step up for roles in different initiatives as committee members.
  - IGF 2023 Youth Track organizing team: Jenna Fung, Stella Teoh, Phyo Thiri Lwin
  - APrIGF MSG: Bea Guevarra
  - Youth Coalition on Internet Governance: Phyo Thiri Lwin



## Equip for future of work and career development

#### Get ready for job opportunities by gaining transferable skills

- Digital Content & Research Committee Prepare digital content for NetMission. Get familiar with content writing and digital marketing.
- NetMission Academy Organizing Committee Plan and organize the Academy. Nurture communication, leadership and management skills.
- Governance & Policy Committee Develop policies and guidelines for initiatives organized by NetMission. Build policy writing skills.





#### Support on all aspects at all levels

- Financial and Operational Support from Organizations Funding and sponsorships to the event enables the execution of planned activities and a more diverse group of fellows
- Support on Outreach Outreach to potential partners, participants and speakers.
- Inclusion & Diversity Access to resources and technical support to ensure an inclusive experience for all participants.
- Support Your Local Youth Delegates & Community Adopt a decentralized model to support the voices of your community.



