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Global Dialogue on the Future of e-Government

Government 2.0 and Beyond: The Next Generation of Government Transformation



Tuesday, July 29, 2008
08:30 am - 11:30 a.m. ET
Videoconference & Live Webcast

Event Agenda

Time (AM)	Duration (Minutes)	Panelist	Subject Matter
Part 1: Opening Session			
08:30-08:45	15	R Chandrashekhar, Oleg Petrov & Ravi Gupta	Welcome & Introductions
08:45-08:55	10	R Chandrashekhar	Keynote/Opening Remarks
08:55-09:15	20	Randeep Sudan	Presentation
09:15-09:30	15		Q&A
09:30-09:45	15	Anthony Williams	Presentation
09:45-10:00	15		Q&A
10:00-10:15	15	Andrea DiMaio	Presentation
10:15-10:30	15		Q&A
10:30-10:35	5		Break
Part 2: Country Perspectives			
10:35-10:45	10	Jaijit Bhattacharya and others	India
10:45-10:50	5	Jonas Amoapim	Ghana
10:50-10:55	5	Victor Kyalo (TBC)	Kenya
10:55-11:00	5	Wilson Muyenzi	Rwanda

11:00-11:05	5	David Sawe	Tanzania
11:05-11:30	25	Various	Closing remarks

Program Description

Transforming governments is not easy. While technology alone cannot transform governments, governments today cannot transform without technology. In the fast paced world of technology, new approaches constantly extend the boundaries of what is possible. The pace of change is evidenced by the fact that terms like SOA, WOA, community sourcing, cloud computing, software-as-a-service, and Web 2.0 that seem almost common place today, were not in the lexicon only a few years ago. It would be good to step back and take a dispassionate view of where the practice of government is heading. Some interesting questions, in a 5-10 years time perspective include:

- What is the future of government? Is technology facilitating a movement towards minimalist government?
- What is likely to be the next frontier in moving from e-government to i-government to u-government*?
- How will government services be delivered in the future? What technologies are likely to be most relevant?
- What should governments do to leverage existing and emerging technologies to achieve transformation?
- What are the major challenges in moving towards Government 2.0 and beyond?

* Note: "i" stands for integrated government (Singapore) and "u" is for ubiquitous government (Korea)

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