

Anriette Esterhuysen is the outgoing chairperson of the Multistakeholder Advisory Committee of the Internet Governance Forum having served in this role from December 2019 to December 2021. Previously she was the executive director of the Association for Progressive Communications (APC) - the largest ICT-focused civil society network in the world and continues to work with APC as a senior advisor on Internet governance. She has served as a member of the CSTD Working Group on IGF Improvements and as a member of the IGF MAG. Anriette is the convenor of the African School on Internet Governance (AfriSIG) a joint initiative of APC, the African Union Commission and Research ICT Africa. Anriette was inducted into the Internet Hall of Fame as a Global Connector in 2013 for her work in extending internet connectivity in Africa. Ms. Esterhuysen currently serves as a Commissioner on the Global Commission on the Stability of Cyberspace and on the boards of Connect Humanity and of the .ZA (South Africa) domain name authority, ZADNA. She is also a member of the executive committee of the IGF Support Association.