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Abstract

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1. Full respect for human rights.

2. Respect for freedom of expression.

3. Respect for the privacy of individuals and the protection of personal data, avoiding surveillance and collection of personal data in an arbitrarily way and / or contrary to the law, avoiding also supervision by corporations or governments that do not comply with due process.

4. Respect the rights of consumers and users, promoting a comprehensive framework to enhance consumer protection online.

5. Internet governance should be based on democratic and multistakeholder processes, where all stakeholders have relevant representation and their views can be taken in consideration, with special attention given to the role of governments, and the need to increase their participation in decision-making processes and in the debates and discussions.

6. Promote greater transparency in Internet governance.

7. Promote an information society based on knowledge sharing, preserving the security, stability and continuity of the Internet.

8. Promote the right to Internet as a techno-cultural tool to enhance personal and social development at the national, regional and global level.

9. Promote fair and equitable universal access for all, with special emphasis on vulnerable people, girls and women, seniors and people with special needs.

10. Respect the culture and language diversity, where the Internet should be the platform for creating and sharing content in the preferred language.

11. Promote the development of a neutral network, avoiding filtering and traffic restrictions.

12. Promote a responsible use of the Internet, based on education and awareness for the prevention of vulnerabilities and attacks.

13. Promote balanced geographic representation of all regions in organizations of the ecosystem of Internet Governance, where special attention must be given to gender balance.

14. Promote cooperation to improve the collection and dissemination of information related to security, promoting also the exchange good practices among all stakeholders.