Theme: Walking the Talk with the Internet, Community & Networks
Overview:

Community Network Xchange (CNX) enters its sixth year in 2022. CNX Asia Pacific was first organised in 2017, focusing on bringing together community network practitioners and enthusiasts of community-driven Internet connectivity to exchange ideas and serve as catalysts for the grassroots connectivity movement. Conceived and organised by DEF and the ISOC CNX has been actively supported through the years by organisations such as APC, APNIC, A4AI, and many others. The series of events we are organising in 2022 will highlight stories of network builders on the ground foregrounding how their labour of love and passion contributes to bringing the Internet to their communities. Further, CNX 2022 will also bring out the stories, challenges, and successes of diverse community networks from different parts of the world. Through these events, we intend to share our collective knowledge and learnings and empower a movement of large-scale implementation of community networks for Internet access. This year, keeping in mind the evolving nature of the pandemic, associated travel challenges and online event fatigue, CNX will be spread across five sessions between June and October.

**Dates:**

- **June 29;** 1000 hrs - 1200 hrs IST / 1230-1430 SGT / 0430-0630 UTC
- **July 29;** 1000 hrs - 1200 hrs IST / 1230-1430 SGT / 0430-0630 UTC
- **August 29;** 1000 hrs - 1200 hrs IST / 1230-1430 SGT / 0430-0630 UTC
- **September 29;** 1000 hrs - 1200 hrs IST / 1230-1430 SGT / 0430-0630 UTC
- **October 29;** 1000 hrs - 1200 hrs IST / 1230-1430 SGT / 0430-0630 UTC

**Session Structure:**

In each session, one or more practitioners from a Community Network (CN) site will be reporting from the ground. While they are reporting, they will engage people from the local community who would be giving a context of their locality, network infrastructure, their local usage needs and the impact. It will be the local community’s story told by the locals themselves.

Each session would be 90 minutes long. There will be three parts to each session: A 10-minute long introduction that will introduce the topic and the case study / walk-the-talk story; the second session would be a 20-minute report from the ground. A representative would report from the CN site on camera while simultaneously engaging the community members, prompting them to respond to specific questions on the details of the particular CN. The last session would be a discussion and Q&A with two subject matter experts. They would connect virtually and engage in a discussion with the representatives on the ground similar to live news reporting with a panel discussion.

There will be a total of 10 walk-the-talk stories covered in five sessions from June to October 2022. We will have ten cases from ten locations for ten CNs.
JUNE 29, 2022 - CNX 2022 SERIES I
Walking the Talk with Internet, Community and Networks

Session details:
(Total Time Allocated 90 Minutes)

Introduction by the narrator - 5 minutes [5min]

Opening movie of CNX 2022 - 2-3 minutes [8th min]

Introduction to CN case one, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [13th min]

Showing CN case movie one (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [23rd min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [38th min]

Short Break - 5 minutes [43 min]

Introduction to CN case two, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [48th min]

Showing CN case movie two (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [58th min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [73rd min]

Consolidation and wrap-up - 10 minutes [83rd min]
July 29, 2022 - CNX 2022 Series II
Walking the Talk with Internet, Community and Networks

Session details:
(Total Time Allocated 90 Minutes)

Introduction by the narrator - 5 minutes [5min]

Opening movie of CNX 2022 - 2-3 minutes [8th min]

Introduction to CN case three, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [13th min]

Showing CN case movie three (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [23rd min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [38th min]

Short Break - 5 minutes [43 min]

Introduction to CN case four, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [48th min]

Showing CN case movie four (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [58th min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [73rd min]

Consolidation and wrap-up - 10 minutes [83rd min]
AUGUST 29, 2022 - CNX 2022 SERIES III
Walking the Talk with Internet, Community and Networks

Session details:
(Total Time Allocated 90 Minutes)

Introduction by the narrator - 5 minutes [5th min]
Opening movie of CNX 2022 - 2-3 minutes [8th min]
Introduction to CN case five, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [13th min]
Showing CN case movie five (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [23rd min]
Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [38th min]

Short Break - 5 minutes [43 min]

Introduction to CN case six, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [48th min]
Showing CN case movie six (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [58th min]
Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [73rd min]
Consolidation and wrap-up - 10 minutes [83rd min]
Session details:
(Total Time Allocated 90 Minutes)

Introduction - 5 minutes [5th min]

Opening movie of CNX 2022 - 2-3 minutes [8th min]

Introduction to CN case seven, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [13th min]

Showing CN case movie seven (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [23rd min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [38th min]

Short Break - 5 minutes [43 min]

Introduction to CN case eight, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [48th min]

Showing CN case movie eight (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [58th min]

Interaction with the community and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [73rd min]

Consolidation and wrap-up - 10 minutes [83rd min]
**Session details:**

*(Total Time Allocated 90 Minutes)*

**Introduction** - 5 minutes [5th min]

**Opening movie of CNX 2022** - 2-3 minutes [8th min]

**Introduction to CN case nine** its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [13th min]

**Showing CN case movie nine** (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [23rd min]

**Interaction with the community** and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [38th min]

**Short Break** - 5 minutes [43 min]

**Introduction to CN case ten**, its background and people on the ground connecting live - 5 minutes [48th min]

**Showing CN case movie ten** (Live/Recorded) - 10 minutes [58th min]

**Interaction with the community** and discussion with a panel of experts - 15 minutes [73rd min]

**Consolidation and wrap-up** - 10 minutes [83rd min]

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