

Q	Subject & Ranked Topics	Important	Neutral	Not Important	Weighted-Avg 2-1-0	Weighted-Avg 3-2-1	Response Count
<b>Government Surveillance and Internet Traffic Control</b>							
1	Maintaining an open Internet in an era of rising nationalism	76	14	2	1.80	2.80	92
1	Government power to shut-down Internet traffic in emergencies	63	23	5	1.64	2.64	91
1	Are minority rights an issue for Internet governance?	35	36	20	1.16	2.16	91
1	Privacy implications of the transition to IPv6	28	50	13	1.16	2.16	91
<b>Trends in Internet Technology and Transmission</b>							
2	Government regulation via data localization and connectivity	70	16	4	1.73	2.73	90
2	Technologies to make the Internet smarter than just "dumb pipes"	50	34	7	1.47	2.47	91
2	How will Blockchain technologies affect Internet governance?	38	42	10	1.31	2.31	90
2	5G technology and alleviating the WiFi spectrum crunch	39	35	15	1.27	2.27	89
2	Role of peering/interconnect agreements and private and public peering	33	47	10	1.26	2.26	90
2	Should senders pay to deliver Internet content requested by users?	38	36	16	1.24	2.24	90
<b>Free Expression, Disinformation, Government Censorship, and Algorithms</b>							
3	How to protect free expression online in an era of growing concerns about "hate speech", "fake news", "extremism", and government censorship	68	16	5	1.71	2.71	89
3	How government proposals are challenging the open democratic Internet	68	16	5	1.71	2.71	89
3	Freedom of association online amid surveillance and increased restrictions on protest	60	25	4	1.63	2.63	89
3	Protecting the rights of protest, resistance, and dissent in Internet governance choices	59	22	9	1.56	2.56	90
3	Do we need ethical standards and/or government regulation for algorithms such as search engines, news feeds, and advertising placement?	52	26	11	1.46	2.46	89
3	Can "fake news" be detected and should it be suppressed by news feed algorithms?	47	33	10	1.41	2.41	90
<b>Assessing and Preventing Cybersecurity Threats</b>							
4	Critical infrastructure threats (energy, transportation, health care, finance)	63	23	5	1.64	2.64	91
4	Multistakeholder initiatives for global policy coherence on security and stability of cyberspace	60	26	5	1.60	2.60	91
4	Threat of botnets exploiting devices in an Internet of Things	59	29	5	1.58	2.58	93
4	Can market-based solutions address cybersecurity threats?	47	35	9	1.42	2.42	91
4	Should industries and governments share their threat intelligence?	42	45	4	1.42	2.42	91
4	Are autonomous vehicles vulnerable to hostile hijacking?	32	39	20	1.13	2.13	91
<b>Promoting a more inclusive Internet to generate Digital Dividends</b>							
5	Improving Internet infrastructure availability and affordability in underserved communities	60	24	7	1.58	2.58	91
5	Promoting an inclusive Internet via affordability, address availability, relevance, and readiness	52	32	7	1.49	2.49	91
5	How Internet access generates digital dividends (literacy, skills, holding institutions accountable)	52	30	8	1.49	2.49	90
5	Connecting indigenous populations and other under-served communities	47	34	10	1.41	2.41	91
5	Zero rating, subsidized Internet access, and promotion of local content	41	38	9	1.36	2.36	88
5	The role of IXPs in connecting underserved populations	34	46	9	1.28	2.28	89
5	Leapfrogging communications and infrastructure in the developing world	36	39	15	1.23	2.23	90
<b>Digital Economy</b>							
6	Global frameworks to securely enable the Internet of Things	54	28	11	1.46	2.46	93
6	Avoiding fragmentation of the Internet experience	50	34	8	1.46	2.46	92
6	Digital Game Changers - positive and negative consequences for the Internet and society from artificial intelligence, VR, and facial recognition	50	32	11	1.42	2.42	93
6	Are protectionism and trade restrictions suppressing the digital economy?	45	40	8	1.40	2.40	93
6	How peer-to-peer platforms enable personal economic opportunity (gig, goods, and sharing)	42	36	15	1.29	2.29	93
<b>Internet Governance</b>							
7	The implications of nationalism on Internet governance	62	22	7	1.60	2.60	91
7	Role of governments in Internet governance: multi-lateral vs. multi-stakeholder	57	27	7	1.55	2.55	91
7	New regulatory directions at the FCC	47	36	8	1.43	2.43	91
7	Bringing the Internet governance discussion beyond the Beltway	45	32	14	1.34	2.34	91
7	Domain name registrant identification versus domestic data protection laws	37	42	11	1.29	2.29	90
7	Building bridges between IGF-USA and other national & regional IGFs	41	34	17	1.26	2.26	92
7	Risks/benefits with changing ICANN's location and jurisdictions	33	33	24	1.10	2.10	90
7	Assessing progress toward the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development	29	36	22	1.08	2.08	87