

Capacity Development and Consultation Workshop on  
**Ethiopia National Data Governance Framework**  
**11 - 12 January 2024**  
Agenda

Day 1 - Senior Officials	
10:00 AM - 10:15 AM	<p><b><u>Opening Session</u></b></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Juwang Zhu</b>, Director, Division for Public Institutions and Digital Government (DPIDG), UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)</p> <p><b>Dr. Ramiz Alakbaro</b>, UN Resident and Humanitarian Coordinator in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa (tbc)</p> <p><b>Dr. Belete Molla</b>, Minister, Ministry of Innovation and Technology (MinT)</p> <p><b>Session Lead: Dr. Yeshurun Alemayehu</b>, State Minister, ICT and Digital Transformation Sector</p>
10.15 AM – 11.00 AM	<p><b><u>Session: Setting the Scene &amp; Previous achievements</u></b></p> <p>Explain the agenda, define the workshop thematic areas and expected outcomes</p> <p><b>1) “the role of data governance in transforming e-government ”</b> By: <b>Dr. Abiyot Bayou</b>, Advisor to the Minister (15 Minutes)</p> <p><b>2) “E-government initiatives and a way forward”</b> By: <b>Dr. Eng. Abiot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development (15 Minutes)</p> <p><b>3) Moving Towards a Coordinated and Structured National Digital Data Governance</b> By: <b>Wai Min Kwok</b>, Senior Governance and Public Administration Officer, DPIDG, UN DESA and <b>Dr. Mesfin Kifle</b> (15 minutes)</p> <p>Moderator: <b>Dr. Eng. Abiyot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development</p>

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11:00 AM – 11:45AM	<p><b><u>Session: Discussion</u></b></p> <p>Initiate open discourse</p> <p><i>Facilitator: <b>Dr. Yeshurun Alemayehu</b>, State Minister ICT and Digital Transformation Sector</i></p>
11:45 AM – 12:00PM	<p><b><u>Closing and Next Steps</u></b></p> <p>Closing Remark by <i><b>Dr. Belete Molla</b>, Minister, Ministry of Innovation and Technology (MinT)</i></p> <p><i>Moderators: <b>Dr. Abyot Bayou</b>, Advisor to the Minister</i></p>
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	<p><b>Lunch</b></p>

<b>Day 2 - Technical Experts</b>	
09:00 AM - 09:30 AM	<b>Registration, Morning tea and networking</b>
09:30 AM - 10:45 AM	<p><b><u>Session 1: Opening Session</u></b></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Juwang Zhu</b>, Director, Division for Public Institutions and Digital Government (DPIDG), UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)</p> <p><b>Dr. Mactar Seck</b>, UNECA, Innovation and Technology Section Head, Addis Ababa</p> <p><b>Dr. Yeshurun Alemayehu</b>, ICT and Digital Transformation Sector, State Minister</p> <p><b>Session Lead: Dr. Eng. Abiyot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development</p>
11:45 AM - 12:00 PM	<p><b><u>Session 2: Setting the Scene &amp; Past Results</u></b></p> <p>Explain the agenda, define the workshop thematic areas and expected outcomes</p> <p><b>1) “E-government initiatives and a way forward”</b></p> <p>By: <b>Dr. Eng. Abiyot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development (20 Minutes)</p> <p><b>2) Moving Towards a Coordinated and Structured National Digital Data Governance</b></p> <p>By: <b>Wai Min Kwok</b>, Senior Governance and Public Administration Officer, DPIDG, UN DESA and <b>Dr. Mesfin Kifle</b> (15 minutes)</p> <p><b>3) Recommendations in Improving Data Governance in e-Government Services</b> (10 minutes)</p> <p>By: <b>Meshingo Jack</b>, Digital and Tech Transformation Advisor</p> <p>Moderator: <b>Dr. Eng. Abiyot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development</p>
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<b>Lunch</b>

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1:30 PM - 3:15 PM	<p><b><u>Session 3: Discussion</u></b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Dr. Fekade Getahun</b></p>
3:15 PM - 3:45	<p><b>Afternoon tea</b></p>
3:45 PM - 4.30 PM	<p><b><u>Closing session (the way forward)</u></b></p> <p><b>Closing Speech</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Dr. Eng. Abyot Sinamo</b>, CEO, Electronic Government Development</li><li>- <b>Wai Min Kwok</b>, Senior Governance and Public Administration Officer, DPIDG, UN DESA</li></ul> <p>Moderator: <b>TBC</b></p>