Online Workshop Agenda

New technologies and the society
New governance, institutions & social cohesion
Sept 22, 2020, 3:45 - 5:15 pm CET

3:45 pm  Welcoming remarks
Dr. Laura Sophie Dornheim, Digital Strategist and Activist (chair)
Dr. Florian Ranft, Head of Economic and Social Transformation, Das Progressive Zentrum

3:50 pm  Opening keynote remarks
Prof. Dr. Beth Simone Noveck, New Jersey’s Chief Innovation Officer, member of Germany’s Digital Council, Director of the Governance Lab and author of “Smart Citizens, Smarter State”

4:00 pm  Political keynote
Dr. Markus Richter, State Secretary at the Federal Ministry of the Interior, Building and Community and Federal Government Commissioner for Information Technology

4:10 pm  Q&A with workshop participants

4:25 pm  Lightning shots: practice-based examples from Spain and Finland
Michael Donaldson, Technology Officer, and CIO, Barcelona City Council and Ossi Korhonen, Consultant, Demos Helsinki

4:35 pm  Breakout-Sessions
I. Which concepts of a modern and digital state can promote trust and social cohesion?
II. What are good (or bad) examples of new technologies in a modern and digital state?
III. What are visions of a modern and digital state that serves the interest of its citizens?

5:05 pm  Presentation of group work results in plenary

5:15 pm  Closure