IGF 2016 Workshop Report Template

Session Title	"WS90: The internet and ESCRs: working from experience to policy"
Date	Day 4 – 9/12
Time	9 – 10:30
Session Organizer	APC
Chair/Moderator	Alan Finlay
Rapporteur/Notetaker	Roxana Bassi
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Key Issues raised (1 sentence per issue):	• Relationship between ESCRs and the internet • Key discoveries of the GW 2016 report

	(http://www.giswatch.org/2016-economic-social-and-cultural-rights-escrs-and-internet) • Case studies of country reports • Reflection on key issues: Trade, Cultural rights, and the technical community and ESCRs.
If there were presentations during the session, please provide a 1-paragraph summary for each Presentation	Alan introduced the session objectives Anriette explained what GISWatch is and why we had selected this theme for this year's GW. She provided a background on the project and presented its key objectives. Alan introduced ESCRs and the Covenant, and described the main findings of the reports and the key related themes like access, gender, and vulnerable populations. He explained why ESCRs are important, and how they are linked to internet. 10 country reports authors (2 participating via Webex) briefly described their reports and main findings.
Please describe the Discussions that took place during the workshop session: (3 paragraphs)	Three thematic authors described in more detailed their areas of interest: • ESCRs and the technical community (i*star organizations) • ESCRs and Trade • Cultural rights and the internet
Please describe any Participant suggestions regarding the way forward/ potential next steps /key takeaways: (3 paragraphs)	None.