FORUM ON INTERNET FREEDOMS IN EAST AFRICA
DATE: MAY 23, 2014
VENUE: Golf Course Hotel, Kampala, Uganda

TIME	ACTIVITY
09:00am – 9:30am	Arrival and Registration of participants
09:30am – 9:45am	Welcome remarks - CIPESA
09:45am – 10:00am	**Keynote address:** Hon. Vincent Waiswa Bagiire – Vice Chairman ICT committee, Parliament of Uganda
10:00am – 10:30am	**Presentation:** State of Online Freedoms in East Africa – presented by CIPESA
10.30am - 11:15am	*Panel 1: Security and privacy on the internet, where do we draw the line?* **Panellists**; • Neil Blazevic - Pan African Human Rights Defenders Network • Mangeni R. Arnold – Data Centre Manager, NITA U • Patrick Mutahi – Senior Programme Officer - Article 19 • Mr. Nabor Assey – Director for Legal Sectoral Reform - Commission for Human Rights and Good Governance (CHRAGG), Tanzania • Lydia Namubiru – Programme Officer - African Centre for Media Excellence (ACME) Uganda **Moderator:** Wire James Lunghabo
11:15am - 11.30am	**Tea break**
11:30 – 12:15	*Panel 2: Online safety, whose responsibility?* **Panelists:** • Hon. Vincent Waiswa Bagiire – Vice Chairman ICT committee, Parliament of Uganda • Ronald Bakakimpa - Representative from CERT –U (TBC) • Sarah Kiden – Secretary General ISOC – Uganda • Jimmy Haguma – Ag. Commissioner for Electronic and Counterfeit Measures, Uganda Police Force • Joseph Kasozi – Programme Officer - Human Rights Center Uganda **Moderator:** Paul Kimumwe - ActionAid International Kenya
12:15pm – 12.45pm	**Q&A session –** lead by Wire James Lunghabo
12:45pm – 01.45pm	**Lunch break**
01.45pm – 2:30pm	*Panel 3: Need for a regional internet freedoms strategy – sharing experiences from the region.* **Panelists:** • Beryl Aidi – Programme Officer - Kenya Human Rights Commission (KHRC) • Olufemi Abikoye – Policy Officer, Paradigm Initiative Nigeria, • Abubaker Karsan – President - Union Press of Tanzania • Jean Paul Nkukurinza – President - ISOC Burundi • Carlota Estabella – Africa Freedom of Information Center (AFIC) **Moderator:** Mr. Ali Hussein – KICTANet, Kenya
2:30 – 3:15pm	*Panel 4: Digital rights and online safety for citizen journalists – strategies for safe navigation of the internet* **Panelists: -** • Wokulira Ssebbagala, Executive Directort - Unwanted Witness Uganda, • Paul Kimumwe – Inspirator - ActionAid International Kenya • Daniel Kigonya - iFreedom Uganda • Moses Magoola – Capacity Building Officer - Human Rights Network for Journalists-Uganda (HRNJ-U) • Robert Mugabe – Editor – Great Lakes Voices, Rwanda **Moderator:** Juliet Nanfuka - CIPESA
3:15pm – 3:30pm	**Q &A session –** lead by Wire James Lunghabo
3:30pm – 3:45pm	**Tea break**
3.45pm – 4:45pm	**The Next Quarter of the Internet – Open Discussions** **Moderator: CIPESA**
4:45PM – 5:00PM	**Closing remarks**