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**Referencing and Applying W3C standard WCAG 2.0 in Different Contexts**

**Abstract**

The UN Convention on Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) and many regional and national policies on accessibility of information technologies have increased people's interest in accessibility of the Web. In turn, many organizations and governments are adopting the W3C/WAI guidelines in accessibility policies for the Web, in order to ensure that people can access the Web regardless of disability. This includes the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG), accessibility guidelines for web browsers and media players (UAAG), and for web authoring tools (ATAG).

This presentation highlights some of the initial outcomes of the W3C Workshop on "Referencing and Applying WCAG 2.0 in Different Contexts"

held on 23 May 2013 in Brussels, Belgium. This workshop provided an opportunity to exchange experiences using WCAG 2.0 and its supporting resources in different policy settings and contexts, and to share strategies on promoting harmonized uptake of WCAG 2.0 internationally.