

Global COP Guidelines: Implementing regional and national measures

*Online safety and security for
children around the world*



Guest speakers



David Wright

Director of the UK Safer Internet Centre and co-author of the Policy-makers guidelines

- Overview “Guidelines for policy-makers on Child Online Protection”
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Karl Hopwood

Esafety consultant at the European Network of Safer Internet Centres (Insafe) and co-author of the Parents and Educators guidelines

- Overview “Guidelines for parents and educators” and related materials

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Michael Tunks

Policy and Public Affairs Manager at Internet Watch Foundation (IWF)

- Overview “Guidelines for industry on Child Online Protection”
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Aaron Greenberg

Senior Regional Advisor for Europe and Central Asia, Child Protection at UNICEF

- UNICEF & Child Online Protection

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Katalin Baracsi dr.

LL.M lawyer specialized in Family Law and Internet Safety Issues,
Social Media Trainer

- **National Cases Studies and COP Guidelines Roll-Out : Hungary**
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Gulsanna Mamediieva

Director-General of the Directorate for Strategic Planning and European
Integration, Ministry of Digital Transformation of Ukraine

- **National Cases Studies and COP Guidelines Roll-Out : Ukraine**



Our value

- 1. The leading Specialized Agency of the United Nations, responsible for issues, concerning information and communication technologies***
- 2. The COP Initiative is serving as global leadership platform with a multi-stakeholder community***
- 3. A proven expertise and successful technical assistance record of more than 10 years on COP activities worldwide***
- 4. A well-established holistic framework for COP and a strong network of partners for validation & joint implementation***

*We are creating a world
where children can be
connected and fully benefit
from the opportunities of a
trusted and safe online
environment*

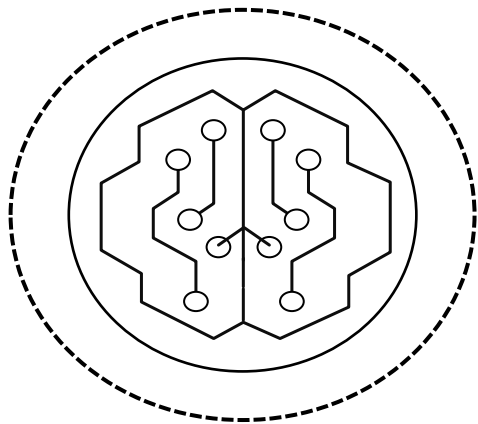


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Global Challenges



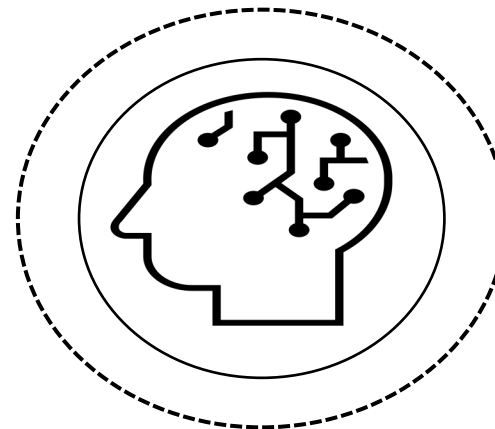
Are we aware of the challenges our kids face in the 21-st century?



Connectivity

1.2 billion children out of school during COVID-19 lockdowns

41% less children in the developing world have access to the Internet



Online Risks

51% of children online have been exposed to various online risks and harms

44% of children exposed to online threats suffer long-term consequences later in their adult life



The pandemic of COVID-19 confirms the urgent need to **act now**.

Children spend more time online and are therefore even more exposed to the challenges related to the online environment.

Let's hear from our children

“Online, I can show my true self, there are no rules ... I have more than 5 000 friends online”.
Girl, aged 13, Japan.

“I play online games and make money from them.”
Boy, aged 17, Ghana.

“Yes, I know how to [hack computers], but do not do it anymore.”
Boy, aged 15, Philippines.

“I know everything you post on the Internet stays forever and it can affect your life in the future”,
Girl, 14 years old, Chile.
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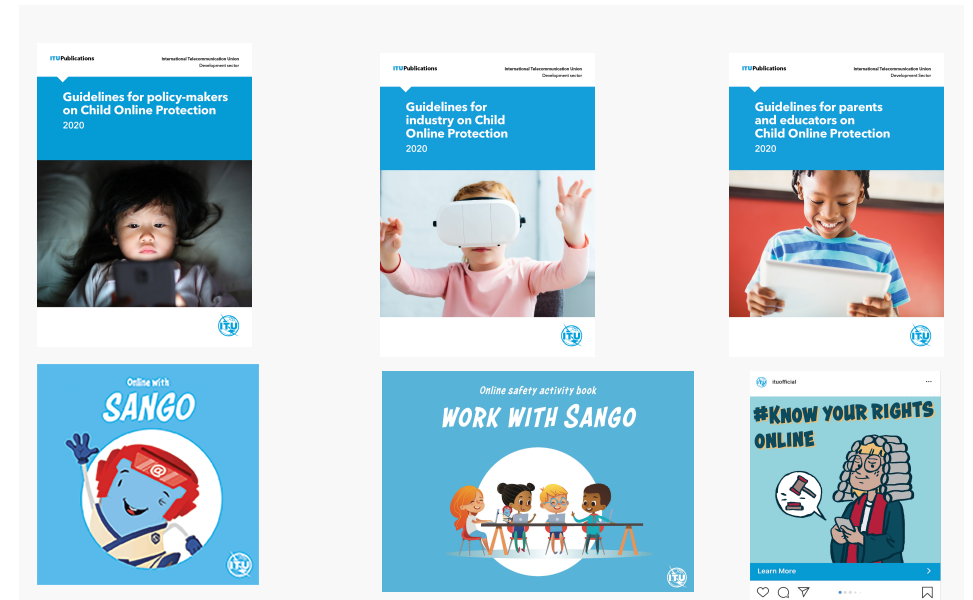
“I was very scared ... I saw a picture of a boy who was shot dead.”
Boy, aged 12, Serbia.



The new 2020 COP Guidelines: Implementation at the Regional Level

Selection of countries rolling-out the guidelines:

**Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Finland,
Georgia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova,
Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Romania,
Serbia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine, The United
Kingdom...**



Testimonials

"Every child everywhere must be protected online. We must make it our global priority and we must act now."

Her Majesty Queen Silvia of Sweden at the launch of the COP 2020 Guidelines, 23 June 2020



"We would like to thank you for the excellent tools and have to say that the Guidelines are needed more than ever.

COP has always been an areas that requires urgent and deliberative action. But right now it has become a matter of emergency.

I can just ask that we all play our role in implementing the 2020 COP Guidelines."

H.E Paula Ingabire, Minister of Information, Communication, Technology and Innovation, Rwanda

"The outstanding Child Online Protection and the work of ITU will make it possible to develop effective COP strategies at the national and regional level."

Mr. Abdelaziz Alzerooni, Chair of the Council Working Group on Child Online Protection, UAE



**Together
we will protect and
empower children**



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