

A map for a journey through Internet governance

Key issues and their inter-relationships
40+ issues on 7 lines

-  Infrastructure Line
-  Legal Line
-  Sociocultural Line
-  Economic Line
-  Development Line
-  Human Rights Line
-  Security Line

This taxonomy was first developed in 1997 by DiploFoundation director Dr Jovan Kurbalija, and then introduced in the book *An Introduction to Internet Governance* (www.diplomacy.edu/IGbook) and in Diplo's Internet governance courses (www.diplomacy.edu/IG). It is also adopted by the *GIP Digital Watch* observatory (<https://dig.watch/>) as the underlying structure of issues. The taxonomy is under regular development to account for emerging trends and new developments in this vibrant process.

