Bernhard Welschke is the Secretary General of BIAC since April 2013. He is responsible for the strategic orientation of BIAC on economic policy and governance, overseeing the operations of BIAC committees, and for maintaining a productive partnership with the OECD.

Mr Welschke joined BIAC after an extended career in the Federation of German Industries (BDI). In previous positions with the BDI, he was responsible for business relations with Asia and the Pacific, for European Affairs, International Trade, and for Global Economic Governance. As Representative for German Industry and Trade in Washington D.C. from 2006 to 2010, he was responsible for the promotion of transatlantic trade and investment.

From 2002 to 2005, he was a member of the European Economic and Social Committee.

Bernhard Welschke holds a degree in Economics from the Johann-Wolfgang-Goethe University, Frankfurt am Main (Diplom-Volkswirt), focusing on monetary policy, international trade, and development.
Mr. César Amín Anchondo Álvarez

National President of the Commission of Young Entrepreneurs

COPARMEX

Amin Anchondo is the National President of the COPARMEX Commission of Young Entrepreneurs since January 2016. He represents more than 4,000 Mexican young entrepreneurs. This commission is the biggest and oldest (more than 30 years) organization in the country; It represents, defends and investigates every topic related to entrepreneurship, public policy and young generations issues. The young entrepreneurs commission has more than 45 headquarters around Mexico.

Amin, is the owner and CEO of Logistical Services San Marcos, this company provides all the outsourced services such as Mechanical Services, Towing, Road Assistance, among other services offered by car insurance companies.

Amin became a national reference in young issues around the country. He has a Radio program dedicated to provide news and up to date information to young generations promoting their participation in public decisions. He collaborates in different newspapers and magazines.

He has participated in different organizations such as the G20 Young Entrepreneurs Allianz, B20, World bank, FMI, OCDE and BIAC.

Amin studied a Bachelor’s Degree in Creation and Development of enterprises in Tec de Monterrey, he has a Diploma in Entrepreneurial Social Training from UNIAPAC-USEM.
Javier Asensio is head of IFPI Latin America and Caribbean. He coordinates the activities of IFPI’s affiliated industry associations across Latin America, working to develop the digital marketplace in the region, bringing a wide range of digital music services to the market.

Javier has helped to create a complete network of organizations in as much as 20 countries in the region to represent and develop business for the recording industry, including a wide set of services for IFPI member record companies, from content protection and enforcement, to educational campaigns and many other initiatives to explain the key role of music in the development of the digital economy.

Javier assumed the role in 2011 after previously serving as IFPI Latin America’s Director of Performance Rights, when he oversaw a seven-fold increase in performance rights revenues over the previous decade.
Ms. Monica Aspe

Undersecretary of Communications

Mexican Ministry of Communications and Transportation (SCT)

Appointed in April 2015, Monica Aspe is the Undersecretary of Communications at the Mexican Ministry of Communications and Transportation (SCT). She is the executive branch’s official in charge of implementing the public policies related to the Constitutional Telecommunications Reform.

Ms. Aspe lead the effort of the Mexican transition from analogue to digital television, which has been widely recognized as one of the fastest in the world and the first one in Latin America. Currently, Ms. Aspe is leading several strategic projects including Red Compartida, which will be the largest PPP project in the Mexican history and is expected to transform the wireless market worldwide. Prior to her appointment as Undersecretary of Communications, Ms. Aspe chaired the Office of the Information and Knowledge Society in the SCT; in this position, she launched the most important Internet connectivity project in Mexico.

Ms. Aspe also has served as the General Director of the Radio and Television National Chamber and ran a public policy consultancy firm in infrastructure, telecommunications and broadcasting.
Ms. Dorothy Attwood
Senior Vice President, Global Public Policy
Walt Disney

Dorothy Attwood was named Senior Vice President of Global Public Policy for The Walt Disney Company in September 2010. Attwood is responsible for the development of Disney’s strategic global public policy initiatives. She also manages the company’s privacy legal department across all its business segments.

Prior to joining Disney, Attwood was Senior Vice President for Public Policy and Chief Privacy Officer for AT&T, where she led AT&T’s public policy strategy and enterprise-wide policies governing the privacy of customer information.

Prior to joining AT&T in November of 2002, Attwood spent six years at the Federal Communications Commission in a variety of senior policy-making positions. Attwood was the Senior Legal Advisor to Chairman William Kennard on all common carrier, enforcement and consumer matters, and served as chief of the Federal Communications Commission’s Wireline Competition Bureau under both Chairman Kennard and Chairman Michael Powell. She also served as chief of the Enforcement Division of the Common Carrier Bureau.

Before joining the FCC, Attwood was a partner in the Philadelphia law firm Cozen & O’Conner, specializing in commercial litigation. She clerked for the Honorable Walter K. Stapleton of the Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

Attwood received her bachelor’s degree from Brown University, a Master’s Degree from The Wharton School and her J.D. from the University of Pennsylvania Law School.

Attwood resides in Los Angeles, California and has two grown children.
Mr. Juan Carlos Archila Cabal
Executive Vice President of International Relations
America Movil

Juan Carlos Archila, a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering from Universidad de los Andes in Bogota, Colombia and Master in International Business from University of South Carolina, holds the position of Executive Vice President of International Relations of America Móvil since April of 2016.

With more than 20 years of experience in the ICT sector, Juan Carlos worked for Motorola Inc. from 1994 to 2007 in different capacities and businesses in Colombia, the United States and in Mexico where he was appointed Vice President of Latin America Mobile Devices.

Juan Carlos also worked for the ICT services sector from 2007 to 2009 as President of Brightstar Latin America after which he was appointed as CEO of Comcel in Colombia, one of America Movil’s main operations. Since 2012 he led the integration of the two America Movil properties in Colombia, Comcel and Telmex, thereby consolidating the Claro operation in the country becoming the CEO of Claro in Colombia, until his recent appointment as EVP of International Relations in America Movil.
Ms. Anne Carblanc

Head of Division, Digital Economy Policy

OECD Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation

Ms. Anne Carblanc is Head of the Digital Economy Policy Division (DEP) in the OECD Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation (STI). Her division develops a better evidence-base and a more effective policy framework to promote the growth of the digital economy and its contribution across society.

Ms Carblanc joined the OECD in 1997, working on information privacy and security issues. From 2009 to early 2012, she has assisted the STI Directors as Special Counsellor, with responsibility for strategic planning, organisation and co-ordination, in particular in relation to global relations. Prior to joining the OECD, she held the position of Secretary General, Director of Services in the French Commission Nationale de l’informatique et des libertés (CNIL). She has also served ten years in the French judicial system.

Anne Carblanc, a French national, holds a Bachelor’s degree in modern languages and literature, a Master’s degree in Civil Law from University Paris 1, and qualified as a “magistrat” at the "École nationale de la magistrature" (Promotion 1981).
Bob Danna serves as a Managing Director in the Human Capital practice at Deloitte. He has more than 40 years of experience in learning & development, leadership development, HR and learning transformation, workforce analytics and associated management consulting, providing these services world-wide for both commercial and government clients. Bob joined Deloitte as part of the acquisition of Bersin & Associates, where he served as EVP and COO. Prior to Bersin he held senior executive management positions at several consulting firms, served as a naval officer and completed master’s degrees in physics and engineering. Bob routinely presents at domestic and international conferences and forums on a variety of HR, talent and learning topics. He currently provides expert advisory support to Deloitte’s Human Capital practice’s prospective and current clients, leveraging the full spectrum of Bersin by Deloitte’s research insights and benchmarking.
Mr. Peter Davidson

Senior Vice President,

Federal and International Government Relations

Verizon

Peter Davidson is Senior Vice President - Federal and International Government Relations for Verizon. Since April 2003, Davidson has been responsible for federal government advocacy including the company's relations with Congress and state and local organizations. He also is responsible for government relations and public policy matters related to Verizon’s international interests.

Before joining Verizon, Davidson served as General Counsel at the office of the United States Trade Representative supporting negotiation and implementation of trade agreements and supervising litigation at the World Trade Organization.

Prior to becoming General Counsel to the USTR in February 2001, Davidson was Vice President for Congressional Affairs at USWest, and then Qwest, coordinating all federal legislative activities for that company.

From January 1995 until June 1999, Davidson served as the General Counsel and Policy Director to the Majority Leader of the U.S. House of Representatives, as General Counsel and Policy Director for the House Republican Conference and as Attorney-Advisor in the Department of Justice’s Office of Legal Counsel. He also served as law clerk to Judge John Porfilio on the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals in Denver, CO.

Davidson is a graduate of Carleton College in Northfield, Minn., and received his J.D. degree from the University of Virginia, where he served on the Virginia Law Review. Davidson is a native of Minnesota and now resides in Virginia with his wife, Kari. They have three children, Madeleine, Sophie and Björn.
Mr. John Edwards
Privacy Commissioner
(NZ)

John Edwards was appointed to the position of Privacy Commissioner of New Zealand in February 2014 after a more than 20 year career practicing law. He has degrees in law (LLB) and public policy (MPP) from Victoria University of Wellington and has advised and represented a wide range of clients from the public and private sector. In addition to a practice specialty in the field of information and privacy law, he held warrants as a district inspector for mental health, and as district inspector for intellectual disability services.

In October 2014 John was elected as Chair of the Executive Committee of the International Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners, a position he still holds.
Mr. Charles Fadel
Founder
Center for Curriculum Redesign

Charles Fadel is a global education thought leader and expert, futurist and inventor; founder and chairman of the Center for Curriculum Redesign; visiting scholar at Harvard GSE; Chair of the education committee at BIAC/OECD; co-author of recently published “Four-Dimensional Education” and best-selling “21st Century Skills”; founder and president of the Fondation Helvetica Educatio (Geneva, Switzerland); senior fellow, human capital at The Conference Board. He has worked with education systems and institutions in more than thirty countries. He was formerly Global Education Lead at Cisco Systems, visiting scholar at MIT ESG, and angel investor with Beacon Angels. He holds a BSEE, an MBA, and six patents. Full Bio at: http://curriculumredesign.org/about/team/#charles
Mr. David Fares
Senior Vice President, Government Relations
21st Century Fox

As Senior Vice President, Government Relations at 21st Century Fox, David Fares is responsible for coordinating 21st Century Fox’ positions on international media, intellectual property and e-commerce policy and regulatory issues and advocating those positions to the U.S. and foreign governments and international organizations.

Prior to joining 21st Century Fox, David served as Vice President of E-commerce and Telecommunications at the United States Council for International Business (USCIB), where he managed USCIB’s electronic commerce and telecommunications policy program and services. USCIB is the U.S. affiliate of the International Chamber of Commerce, the Business and Industry Advisory Committee to the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development and the International Organization of Employers.

David is a graduate of the European Union Today and Tomorrow Programme at the Institut d’Etudes Politique de Paris, the School of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University (MIA), Capital University Law School (cum laude, J.D.) and the University of Notre Dame (B.A.).
Ronnie Goldberg advises USCIB’s president and CEO on strategic matters and represents American business at several high-level forums. She has served as the U.S. employer representative on the International Labor Organization’s Governing Body, and chairs the BIAC Employment, Labor, and Social Affairs (ELSA) Committee.

Goldberg served as USCIB’s top policy executive for over 25 years, most recently as executive vice president and chief policy officer, overseeing the organization’s wide-ranging activities on international trade, investment, economic and regulatory matters, and supervising a staff of policy professionals with expertise on a host of issues affecting American companies engaged in business abroad. In her earlier role, she also coordinated USCIB policies in relation to those of our international affiliates – the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), the Business and Industry Advisory Committee, (BIAC) and the International Organization of Employers (IOE) – and various other groups.

Goldberg graduated magna cum laude with honors in political science from Bryn Mawr College and holds a master’s degree from the London School of Economics and a doctorate from the University of Chicago. Before joining USCIB, she was a vice president in the Trade Finance division at Chase Manhattan Bank, and a project director at the Congressional Office of Technology Assessment, where she led studies on technology transfer and Soviet energy development. She is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations.
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**Mr. Graham Henderson**

President and CEO

MusicCanada

Graham Henderson is President & CEO of Music Canada, an association that promotes the interests of the Canadian music community.

Graham has been working with artists and music companies for 25 years, first as an entertainment lawyer, then as Senior Vice-President, Business Affairs and eCommerce at Universal Music Canada, before moving to Music Canada. A key focus for Graham is safeguarding and enhancing the music market in Canada. He has played an instrumental role in strengthening the protection of creators’ rights, an effort that culminated in the passage of Bill C-11, The Copyright Modernization Act, in 2012. Since then he has turned his focus to market-building initiatives.

Graham is widely recognized as a thought leader on intellectual property issues, and has spoken extensively on the topic in Canada and around the world. He serves as Chair of the Ontario Chamber of Commerce and on the Boards of Re:Sound and The Corporation of Massey Hall and Roy Thomson Hall and is Copyright Rapporteur for the International Chamber of Commerce’s Intellectual Property Commission. Graham is an inductee of the Canadian Music Industry Hall of Fame and a recipient of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal.

He is married to Margo Timmins of Cowboy Junkies and they have a son, Ed.
Mr. Eric H. Loeb

Senior Vice President

International External and Regulatory Affairs

AT&T Services, Inc.

Eric H. Loeb supports AT&T’s international external and regulatory affairs team, which is responsible for advocacy to international departments of the US government, and all branches of government outside the US, including executive, legislative and regulatory agencies, and for international external affairs affecting AT&T and its Affiliates.

Mr. Loeb’s work supports AT&T’s diverse, international portfolio—fixed, mobile and satellite platforms; voice, video and broadband; and IoT solutions.

In addition to implementing market access and compliance strategies enabling AT&T’s global expansion, Mr. Loeb’s responsibilities also include advocacy on policy matters that promote investment, innovation, and sustainable economic growth across the digital economy ecosystem.
Mr. José Ignacio Mariscal

Chief Executive Officer

Grupo Marhnos

José Ignacio Mariscal was born in Mexico City in 1946. His initial studies were with the Jesuits in Mexico City to later pursue a Bachelor degree in Architecture of Universidad Autónoma de México (UNAM). He later attained an MBA at Columbia University and an Advanced Management Program at Harvard University. From 1974 to 2010 he was CEO of Grupo Marhnos, a family owned company in the Real Estate Development, Construction and Concessions operating in Mexico for more than 60 years now, and more broadly in Latin America in the past 10 years. He has been serving in the past 15 years as Board Member for various business and non-profit firms. In the business sector he actively participates as such in Marhnos, Grupo Bimbo (bread), Grupo Calidra (lime stone), Aserta (bonds), Hoteles City Express, Aura Solar (solar energy) and FinComún (microcredit).

As for the non-profit sector, Jose Ignacio serves as Board member of Uniapac (International Christian Union of Business Executives) where he also acted as World President (2006-2009). He is also an active member of other Socially Responsible non-profit organizations, such as USEM (Unión Social de Empresarios de Mexico), Consejo Coordinador Empresarial in Mexico (Business Coordinating Council in Mexico), Vice-President of International Affairs of Coparmex (largest business owners union in Mexico), Member of Executive Board of Business and Industry Advisory Committee to the OECD (BIAC, Paris). He was Founder and today Board member of IMDOSOC, Institute of Christian Social Doctrine. And more recently, he is acting as President of the Leon XIII Foundation, working to help local communities of the southern states of Mexico (Chiapas, Oaxaca and Guerrero) attain their basic needs.
Diego Molano

Technology to reduce poverty

Diego Molano Vega was the Minister of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) of Colombia from 2010 to 2015. He transformed his Country with his policy plan “Vive Digital”, which aims to reduce poverty and create jobs through the use of technology. During his tenure, Colombia expanded all the elements of the digital ecosystem, not only infrastructure, but also, services, applications and users. Internet coverage extended to low-income homes and rural areas. 4G-LTE, Fiber optics and high-speed networks expanded to all municipalities, even those in the middle of the Amazon jungle. Every rural community with more than 100 inhabitants has an Internet community center. Education, health and government services were transformed with ICT, increasing their availability, reach and efficiency.

Currently Mr Molano is based in Washington DC, working as advisor to CEOs and government officials on Digital Transformation of companies and public organizations. He is also Senior Advisor to McKinsey and the Inter-American Development Bank.

Mr. Molano has a long career in the technology industry, including high level executive positions in multinational companies such as BellSouth (now AT&T) in the US and Telefonica in Spain. He has been board member of international organizations and corporations in the telecommunications, TV, radio and postal services sectors. Mr. Molano is an electronics engineer and economist from the Xavier University in Colombia and holds an MBA from IMD in Switzerland.
Dr. M-H. Carolyn Nguyen
Director, Technology Policy
Microsoft

Dr. M-H. Carolyn Nguyen is a Director in Microsoft’s Telecommunications and Internet Governance Group, focused on policy issues related to connectivity, internet governance, and the digital economy. Her work is aimed at influencing global policy-making by engaging with stakeholders and raising awareness of the impacts of technology, through participation in public policy dialogues and venues, including the United Nations (UN), Internet Governance Forum (IGF), Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (CANN), and World Economic Forum. Her past activities have included policy initiatives on privacy, security, open/big data, the internet of things, intelligent systems, machine learning, and their effects on existing social, economic, and policy frameworks. She has worked at the intersection of these disciplines, collaborating with researchers, subject-matter experts, and industry pioneers, developing an evidence base to encourage a more holistic approach to policy.
Mr. Christopher Painter

Coordinator for Cyber Issues

U.S. Department of State

Mr. Painter has been on the vanguard of cyber issues for over twenty five years. In his current role as the Secretary’s first Coordinator for Cyber Issues, Mr. Painter coordinates and leads the United States’ diplomatic efforts to advance an open, interoperable, secure and reliable Internet and information infrastructure. He works closely with components across the Department, other agencies, the White House, the private sector and civil society to implement the President’s International Strategy for Cyberspace and ensures that U.S. foreign policy positions on cross-cutting cyber issues are fully synchronized. These issues include promoting norms of responsible state behavior and cyber stability, advancing cybersecurity, fighting cybercrime, promoting multi-stakeholder Internet governance and advancing Internet freedom.
Ambassador Dionisio Pérez-Jácome Friscione serves as Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Mexico to the OECD since May 2013.

He has held high responsibilities within the Mexican Federal Government, including President of the Energy Regulatory Commission, Chief of Advisors at the Office of the President, Undersecretary of Expenditures in the Ministry of Finance and Secretary of Communications and Transport.

He also participated in the NAFTA negotiations and has been a public policy and management consultant.

He holds a B.A. in Economics and Master’s degrees in Public Policy and International Management.
Mr. Morgan Reed

Executive Director

The App Association

ACT

As ACT’s Executive Director, Morgan specializes in issues involving application development relating to privacy, intellectual property, competition, and small business innovation.

His has been sought by the House and Senate in multiple hearings while his commentary and insight is a major draw for news networks including Fox Business News, MSNBC, CNBC, CNN, and ABC, the Wall Street Journal and the Washington Post to Ars Technica and Slashdot. Morgan has authored and contributed to several white papers and is a part of the developer team for the Linux Router Project (LEAF), and remains an active Apple and iOS licensed developer.

Morgan has been appointed to serve on the Advisory Council of mHIMSS, the mobile Health Information Management System Society. He has leveraged ACT’s resources to host innovation workshops across the country. Organizing events with venture capitalists, business leaders and attorneys, he helps to foster innovative new technologies by helping new emerging businesses manage their intellectual property. An organization called Innovators Network emerged from these events and is now comprised of more than 2,000 members.

Before coming to Washington, Morgan worked for a Taiwanese trading company specializing in the manufacture of technology products for the U.S. market. He served as managing director of North American sales, handling bilingual contract negotiation. During his time abroad, Morgan gave lectures in both English and Chinese on various aspects of U.S.-China trade, including building and maintaining long term partnerships in Asia. His expertise on Chinese business practices is regularly sought throughout the administration.
Mr. Peter Robinson

President & CEO

United States Council for International Business

Peter Robinson is USCIB’s 15th president. USCIB, founded in 1945, is a policy advocacy and trade services organization dedicated to promoting open markets, competitiveness and innovation, sustainable development and corporate responsibility, supported by international engagement and regulatory coherence. As the American affiliate of the leading international business organizations, including the Business and Industry Advisory Committee (BIAC) to the OECD, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), and International Organization of Employers (IOE), USCIB provides business views to policy makers and regulatory authorities worldwide.

Robinson previously served as USCIB’s senior vice president and chief operating officer. He helped establish some of USCIB’s key practice areas, including e-commerce and customs/trade facilitation, and has extensive experience with USCIB’s global network of business affiliates, enabling him to lead USCIB’s work in international regulatory diplomacy.

Robinson has also had long-time involvement in the field of international education. He served as director of the inbound division at the American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS), an international educational travel company, and served on the boards of directors of American Field Service (AFS) Intercultural Programs, AFS-USA and of NAFSA: Association of International Educators. He is a member of the Economic Club of New York and a fellow of the Foreign Policy Association, and he is an appointee to the President’s Committee on the International Labor Organization as well as to the Trade and Environment Policy Advisory Committee (TEPAC) to the United States Trade Representative. Robinson also serves on the International Organization of Employers’ Management Board and is the IOE’s Regional Vice President for North America.
Mr. Matthew Schruers
Vice President, Law & Policy
Computer & Communications Industry Association

Matthew Schruers is Vice President for Law & Policy at the Computer & Communications Industry Association (CCIA), where he advises Internet and technology companies. He is also an adjunct professor at the Georgetown Law Center and the Georgetown Graduate School Program on Communication, Culture, and Technology (CCT), teaching courses on intellectual property and Internet Law.
Ambassador Sepulveda

U.S. Coordinator, International Communications & Information Policy

U.S. Department of State

Ambassador Daniel A. Sepulveda serves as U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy in the State Department’s Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs (EB). In this role, Ambassador Sepulveda leads and coordinates the Department’s positions on communications and information policy issues.

Prior to joining the State Department in 2013, Ambassador Sepulveda served as a Senior Advisor to Senator William "Mo" Cowan of Massachusetts. From 2009 to 2012, he served as a Senior Advisor and member of Senator John Kerry’s senior management team, handling the Senator’s extensive commerce, trade, and business portfolio, which included his work as chairman of the Commerce Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, and the Internet.

Ambassador Sepulveda served as an Assistant U.S. Trade Representative leading a team that managed relations with Congress for U.S. Trade Representative Ron Kirk from 2004-2008. He managed trade, immigration, interstate commerce, labor, and ethics and lobbying reform issues for Senator Barack Obama from 2004-2008, and helped advise his campaign for President. He assisted Senator Obama on the Senate floor during the debate on CAFTA, the immigration debates, and during the debates on ethics and lobbying. He also assisted him on labor issues as part of the Senator’s responsibilities on the HELP Committee.

In the four years before joining Senator Obama’s office, Ambassador Sepulveda worked for Senator Barbara Boxer, a member of the Senate Commerce Committee, advising her on trade, technology, telecommunications, media regulation, and consumer affairs. He also advised her on immigration and labor issues.

Additional prior work experience includes service in the Clinton Administration in the Office of Policy at the U.S. Department of Labor and advocacy at the nation’s largest Latino organization, the National Council of La Raza (NCLR).

Ambassador Sepulveda received a Master of Public Affairs from the LBJ School of Public Affairs at the University of Texas at Austin as a Woodrow Wilson Fellow in Public Policy and International Affairs. He received a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and History from Emory University.
Dr. Terry provides the vision and technical leadership at PHEMI Systems, which is bringing innovative big data solutions to healthcare and other industries. Having co-founded several of Canada’s most successful technology start-ups, and with more than 10 years working at the Board level to advance healthcare’s use of information technology, Dr. Terry brings a unique understanding of the opportunities and challenges organizations face in capitalizing on their data, protecting sensitive information, and becoming data-driven innovators.

Dr. Terry serves on the Boards of Providence Health Care, Genome BC, Life Sciences BC, and Molecular You, advises the Province of BC on next-generation data strategies, and chaired the Michael Smith Foundation for 10 years. He is a sought-after speaker on data strategy and privacy initiatives. At Simon Fraser University, Dr. Terry is helping build the next generation of data scientists and big data experts.
Mr. Thomas Whitehead

Director, US Government Affairs

BT

Mr Whitehead is Director, US Government Affairs in BT’s Washington office. Prior to BT, he was a senior policy advisor at the British Embassy in Washington, where he covered trade and ICT policy issues. In that role, he was seconded to the UK mission to the WTO in the run-up to the Bali Ministerial Conference. He has also worked with Steptoe & Johnson LLP, the Manufacturers Alliance for Productivity and Innovation and the United States Trade Representative.

He holds a bachelor’s degree from William and Mary, a law degree from American University and a master’s of law degree from Georgetown University where he was a fellow at the Institute for International Economic Law. He is licensed to practice law in New York and is a dual citizen of the United Kingdom and the United States.
Andrew W. Wyckoff is the Director of the OECD’s Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) where he oversees OECD’s work on innovation, business dynamics, science and technology, information and communication technology policy as well as the statistical work associated with each of these areas.

Before being appointed Director, Mr. Wyckoff led OECD’s digital economy and information society work, which includes consumer policy issues. Prior to this position, he was the head of STI’s Economic Analysis and Statistics Division which develops methodological guidelines, collects statistics and undertakes empirical analysis in support of science, technology and innovation policy analysis.

He has served as an expert on various advisory groups and panels which include co-chairing the US National Academies’ panel on Developing Science, Technology and Innovation Indicators for the Future, being a member of the Research Advisory Network for the Global Commission on Internet Governance, the Malaysian Prime Minister’s Global Science and Innovation Advisory Council and Head of OECD’s Delegation at the G20 and G7 meetings on ICT and Digital Economy.
Dr. Makoto Yokozawa

Head Professor

Market and Organisation Informatics Systems Laboratory

Graduate School of Informatics

Kyoto University

Dr. Yokozawa is the head professor of the Market and Organisation Informatics Systems Laboratory at the Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University which is a Joint Research Unit with a private IT service company, Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. He has been participating in many study groups for regulatory and policy issues in Japanese government and private sector associations, including broadband policy, spectrum management, Internet governance, personal data protection, digital trade, innovation and Ubiquitous Network Society policies.

He is leading global policy discussions as the chairperson and vice chairperson in many global fora including APEC TEL and ECSG, OECD’s business advisory committee (vice chair of BIAC/Digital Economy) and Data Flow Policy WG in WITSA, the World IT Service Association. Also he is leading domestic policy strategy in Japan as the chairperson of Personal Data Protection Task Force in JISA, the Japan IT Service Industry Association, and vice chairperson of the Internet Economy WG in Keidanren, the Japan Business Federation.

He has been also actively involved in the Internet Public Policy Fora, including Working Group for Enhanced Corporation in 2014 and 2016, IGFs, WSIS+10 review process in 2015 and ICANN.