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The African Security Sector's Response To Cyber-Enabled Organized Crime

Panelist Biographies:

Mr. Michael Ilishebo is a Law Enforcement Officer working for Zambia Police Service as a Digital Forensics Analyst and Cyber Crime Investigator. He is trained in Cyber Security and ICT Policy (USA), studied Information Technology (Zambia) and has vast working experience in dealing with High Tech Crimes. Michael is a current member of the Africa Union Cyber Security Expert Working Group, a resource person for Cyber Security/Cyber Crime programs under the Council of Europe's Cyber Division, a member of ICANN's Government Advisory Committee's Public Safety Working Group (PSWG) and also facilitates for Cyber Crime Investigations courses for Law Enforcement Officers under SARPPCO and INTERPOL in the Southern African Region. Michael is an alumni of the 2nd African School on Internet Governance and has served on various advisory groups including UN IGF MAG, AU IGF MAG.

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Dr Nnenna Ifeanyi-Ajufo is an Associate Professor of Law and the Head of Law at Buckinghamshire New University. Her teaching and research interests relate to the intersection of law and technology, including the governance of digital technologies, digital rights and rule of law in cyberspace. She holds a Bachelor of Law degree (LLB), Bachelor at Law Degree (BL), LLM in International Information Technology Law, MA in African Studies and LLD in International Law. She also holds a Postgraduate Certificate in International Academic Practice and is a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (FHEA). Nnenna also taught Law and Technology related subjects at the School of Law Swansea University and is a member of the Cyber Threats Research Centre (CYTREC) at Swansea University. She has previously taught Cybercrime at Lancaster University Ghana. She serves as the Vice-Chairperson of the African Union Cyber Security Experts Group (AUSCEG) and is also a member of the International Law Association Working Group on Digital Challenges for International Law and a Senior Research Fellow at the African Centre for International Criminal Justice. Nnenna has been invited as an expert or appointed as a consultant by distinguished organizations such as the Chatham House, the African Union, and the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa. Her interests also

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