



INTERNET SOCIETY, GHANA CHAPTER

Update



MISSION

To inform the private and public community of Internet users, on recent developments in Internet technologies and their impact on today's global society.



KEY OBJECTIVES

- ① To develop the Internet in Ghana.
- ① To promote the expansion of Internet usage of all potential private or public users.
- ① To create awareness and train potential Internet user to better understand what the Internet offers.
- ① To safeguard the interest of Internet users with respect to pricing.
- ① To contribute effectively to the nation's ICT human resource capacity building programme.
- ① To collaborate with partner organisations to promote Internet usage.



MEMBERSHIP

- ◎ About 400 floating members
- ◎ Focus on setting up sub-chapters in higher institutions
 - ◎ Univ. of Cape Coast
 - ◎ KN Univ. of Science & Technology
 - ◎ University of Ghana, Legon
 - ◎ Univ. of Education, Winneba
 - ◎ Univ. of Dev. Studies, Tamale



COMMUNICATION

- ⊙ Mailing list
- ⊙ Working Groups
 - ⊙ Technical
 - ⊙ Policy
 - ⊙ Education
 - ⊙ Membership
- ⊙ Workshops

CHALLENGES

- ⊙ Research, particularly in [Semantic] Web Engineering;
 - ⊙ especially in Ontology Engineering, text -to- speech and speech-to-text processing for
 - PWDs - deaf, dumb and blind,
 - in local-language interfaces



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