

SUMMARY OF THE 51st ICDPPC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Introduction

In addition to ad hoc update messages from the Chair, and information shared through the new ICDPPC Newsletter, the Executive Committee has decided, in the interests of transparency and open communication with members, to publish on the website a short summary of the discussion at each Executive Committee meeting. These summaries will start with the 51st Executive Committee meeting held on 2 May.

Executive Committee meeting: 2 May 2019

The Executive Committee held its 51st meeting on 2 May 2019 in Washington, DC, on the margins of the IAPP Privacy Summit, where several Executive Committee members were gathered.

A key focus of this meeting was taking forward the development of a policy strategy for the ICDPPC, following the adoption at the 40th Conference last year of the Resolution on a Roadmap for the Future of the Conference. The Executive Committee reviewed draft proposals for key themes and policy priorities based on the initial discussion at the workshop which the Executive Committee held in London on 20/21 March. A member consultation on the strategy under development launched on 10 May, and will include raising awareness and gathering feedback from members in their regional/linguistic networks.

Arrangements were made for a Sub-committee of the Executive Committee to evaluate the two bids received for hosting the Conference in 2021 and make a recommendation to the Conference, in line with the ICDPPC Rules and Procedures.

The 2019 ICDPPC Host Authority from Albania provided an update on progress in the plans for the forthcoming conference with announcements including that the conference website is coming soon. News updates to members and observers about the programme and logistical arrangements will follow in due course.

The next meeting will take place on 19 June.