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Session 3-5 AI and Digital Infrastructure for Sustainable and Resilient Development

Speaker Bios



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Casey Torgusson is the Global Program Manager for Digital Development with the World Bank. He manages a team of experts leading the Bank's research and applied knowledge work across the unit's primary business lines including broadband access and use, data infrastructure, ICT industry and jobs, digital safeguards, digital and climate change, as well as adoption of digital technology within key sectors. He previously led a range of technical assistance, policy reform and investment operations which have supported governments across the Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean, and East and Central Europe regions to achieve their digital transformation and digital economy development ambitions. He is the author of several reports on Digital Economy Development and Digital Market Integration in East Africa and previously co-led the Bank's Digital and Climate Community of Practice.



Munkyung Park (Lucine), Digital Specialist, Digital Transformation, The World Bank

Lucine Munkyung Park is a Digital Specialist at the World Bank, co-leading the Western Africa Regional Digital Integration Program (WARDIP) across its first and second phases. She previously oversaw the flagship Digital Economy for Africa (DE4A) initiative, bridging sectors and shaping collaboration across the World Bank Group to accelerate digital transformation across the continent. Her work brings together technology, policy, and finance to expand connectivity, strengthen data systems, and enable digital skills for jobs and inclusive growth—while supporting other sectors' digitalization efforts such as agriculture and energy. With over 10 years of experience, Lucine advises governments on building the foundations of resilient, inclusive digital economies. She holds an M.A. in International Economics and International Relations from Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS) and a B.A. in International Relations from Seoul National University.









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Dr. Zaki Khoury is a Senior Digital Specialist at the World Bank and Lead of the Korea Digital Development Program (KoDi). He supports governments in advancing digital transformation through investments in data, cloud, and AI, and the strategic use of data for innovation and inclusive growth. He has led digital initiatives across Asia & Pacific as well as Middle East & Africa. He also served on the OECD Network of Experts on AI (ONE AI).



Seth Ayers, Senior Digital Specialist, Digital Transformation, The World Bank

Seth is a Global Lead for the World Bank's Digital Resilience and Sustainability Business Line, which aims to strengthen the resilience of digital infrastructure and minimize the sector's environmental footprint, as well as leverage digital solutions to enhance the resilience of communities and sectors. The World Bank has invested \$1.3 billion in digital resilience and sustainability. Previously, Seth worked on digital identification and civil registration systems with the World Bank's ID4D Initiative, which supports projects in over 50 countries. Before joining the World Bank, Seth was the Standards Program Manager for IDEMA, a trade organization representing the \$35 billion disk drive industry.



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As an executive principal at NIA, Korea's leading digital innovation agency, she oversees international cooperation projects that advance Korea's digital leadership globally engaged herself in technical assistance with international organizations. Over decade, she have designed and implemented numerous digital government policies and projects for digital government transformation, digital innovation, and Data & AI initiatives. She has been servicing as a technical advisory committee member of the Public Procurement Service since 2021, and participating as a judge in 'Data Use and Analysis Competitions' by various Ministries and Agencies of Korea.