Re: GDI

ksvingen@usaid.gov Kristoffer Svingen Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 6:11:12 PM Eastern Standard Time
To: mkaran@usaid.gov Meral Karan
Cc: crharris@usaid.gov Croshelle Harris, sfunk@usaid.gov Stephanie Funk, suabbott@usaid.gov Susan Abbott

Hi Meral, of course--happy to send any materials around.

Thanks!

Best,
Kris

On Fri, Jan 13, 2023 at 5:35 PM Meral Karan <mkaran@usaid.gov> wrote:

> Hi Croshelle,
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> Was great chatting earlier with you both - happy to do it regularly. I'm also copying colleagues on my team who are focusing on MDM - Susan Abbott (who authored the Disinfo Primer) and Kris Svingen (recently joined USAID from Treasury). These guys are leading on the field consultations, our MDM learning efforts and retreats, and supporting the interagency issues. (Diana, as you know, is still at DOD but we hope she will be back on the team around Sept/October.)
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> Kris - would you be able to share the SOC or any info that comes from the Info Integrity and Resilience IPC with Stephanie and Croshelle?
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> Thanks for sharing the Disinformation Index link - would be interesting to learn more. They came in and met with us a few months ago - would be interesting to connect back with them again.
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> I'll be on TDY for the next 2 weeks but happy to touch base again later.
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> Best
> Meral
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> Meral Karan
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On Fri, Jan 13, 2023 at 10:29 AM Croshelle Harris <crharris@usaid.gov> wrote:

> Meral,
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> Thank you for your time yesterday. It would be nice to have a catch up chat like this on a quarterly basis, if you're up for it (although I know you may be moving on soon).
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> I came across this announcement this morning: The Global Disinformation Index. It will be interesting to see the outcome of these assessments. It's even more interesting to consider the countries they chose to represent their regions of interest.
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