



**ITU Arab Regional forum on NGN**  
Rabat-Morocco, 5-6 March 2014

**Draft Agenda**

Day 1, March 5	
14.00 – 14.30	<b>Registration and welcome</b>
14.30 – 15.00	<b>Opening session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– ITU-BRA</li><li>– ANRT</li></ul>
15.00 – 16.00	<b>Session 1</b> <b>NGN Architecture and Standards.</b>  This session will provide an overview on the current state of the art on the applicable functional and Structural architecture of NGN.  <b>Moderator :</b> ITU: <b>Slaheddine MAAREF</b> <b>Panel</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– ITU Expert : <b>Marco CARUGI</b></li><li>– MEDITEL: <b>Samir LAHRIR / Khalid SRIR</b></li><li>– <a href="#">INPT (Morocco): Nawfel AZAMI</a></li></ul> <b>Q&amp;A</b>
16.00 – 16.30	<b>Coffee break</b>
16.30 – 18.00	<b>Session 2</b> <b>ITU Activities on NGN</b>  This session presents the ITU Activities on NGNs and the progress made in the transition from separate PSTN, Mobile and IP networks infrastructure to Unified networks.  <b>Moderator :</b> ANRT: <b>Hassan TALIB</b> <b>Panel</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– <a href="#">ITU: Slaheddine MAAREF</a></li><li>– ITU Expert : <b>Marco CARUGI</b></li></ul> <b>Q&amp;A</b>

Day 2, March 6	
09.00 – 11.00	<p><b>Session 3</b>  <b>NGN Migration and deployment strategy</b></p> <p>This session will concentrate on Networks modernization process toward an IP enabled Network in order to satisfy demand for broadband capacity and ensure a positive return on investment.</p> <p><b>Moderator</b> : ITU Expert : <b>Marco CARUGI</b></p> <p><b>Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Maroc Telecom: <b>Abdelkouddous BEKKALI</b></li> <li>– <a href="#">Huawei</a> : <b>Richard NOYAU</b></li> <li>– Ericsson: <b>Henry LA</b></li> </ul> <p>Q&amp;A</p>
11.00 – 11.15 Coffee Break	
11.15 – 12.45	<p><b>Session4</b>  <b>NGN Regulations and licensing :</b></p> <p>This session will provide an overview on regulatory practices that accompany the NGN migration and the convergence of IT, telecommunication and broadcasting services.</p> <p><b>Moderator</b> : NTC Sudan: <b>Mohamed Ali Hammad ABBAS</b></p> <p><b>Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– <a href="#">ITU Expert</a> : <b>Inês NOLASCO</b></li> <li>– ITU Expert: <b>Mokhtar FALL</b> (vidéo conférence)</li> <li>– <a href="#">World Bank</a>: <b>Rajendra SINGH</b></li> </ul> <p>Q&amp;A</p>
12.45 – 14.00 Lunch	
14.00 – 15.30	<p><b>Session 5</b>  <b>NGN and Infrastructure Sharing :</b></p> <p>This session will concentrate on infrastructure sharing between Telco's, ISPs and ASPs and interconnection conditions.</p> <p><b>Moderator</b> : ANRT: <b>Hassan TALIB</b></p> <p><b>Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– ITU Expert : <b>Inês NOLASCO</b></li> <li>– NTC Sudan: <b>Mohamed Ali Hammad ABBAS</b></li> <li>– ANRT : <b>Ahmed KHAOUJA</b></li> <li>– World Bank: <b>Rajendra SINGH</b></li> </ul> <p>Q&amp;A</p>

15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 – 17.30	<p><b>Session 6</b></p> <p><b>Wrap Up Panel</b></p> <p>This session will discuss the outcomes of the Forum and present recommendations</p> <p><b>Moderator : Inês NOLASCO</b></p> <p><b>Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– ITU: <b>Slaheddine MAAREF/ Marco CARUGI/ Inês NOLASCO</b></li> <li>– AREGNET Secretary Permanent: <b>Mohamed AMGHAR</b></li> <li>– NTC Sudan: <b>Mohamed Ali Hammad ABBAS</b></li> <li>– ANRT: <b>Ahmed KHAOUJA /Hassan TALIB</b></li> <li>– Huawei: <b>Richard NOYAU</b></li> <li>– World Bank: <b>Samia MELHEM / Rajendra SINGH</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>
17.30 – 18.00	<p><b>Closing session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– ITU-BRA</li> <li>– ANRT</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>