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To: All WSIS Stakeholders

- Governments
- Private Sector
- Civil Society
- International Organizations

Invitation to the WSIS Forum 2010 (Geneva, 10-14 May 2010)

Dear Sir/Madam,

ITU, UNESCO, UNCTAD and UNDP are pleased to invite you to the **WSIS Forum 2010**, to be held **from 10 to 14 May 2010** at ITU Headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland. This event builds upon the tradition of annual WSIS May meetings, and its new format is a result of the open consultations with all WSIS stakeholders.

The Forum will offer participants a series of high-level debates and interactive sessions addressing issues critical to the WSIS implementation in multi-stakeholder set-ups. The Forum will provide structured opportunities to network, learn and participate in the multi-stakeholder discussions and consultations on the WSIS implementation.

Relevant documentation about the Forum is available at the WSIS Forum 2010 webpage: www.itu.int/wsis/implementation/2010/forum/geneva/ .

Registration and badge requests have been made available on the WSIS Forum 2010 webpage since 1st of March 2010.

Yours faithfully,

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