

WSIS Forum 2018: Open Consultation Process

Final Brief on the Thematic Aspects and Innovations on the Format*

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Draft Agenda

1. Welcome Remarks
2. WSIS Forum 2018 Open Consultation Process- Leveraging ICTs to Build Information and Knowledge Societies for Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Outcomes and Analysis
3. Thematic focus and format of event
 - Registration, venue and other details
<https://www.itu.int/net4/wsis/forum/2018/Pages/Register#intro>
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 - High-Level Track (Moderated Policy Session, High-Level Track Facilitators, High-Level Dialogues, WSIS Prize 2018, Ministerial Round Table)
 - Forum Track (Thematic and Country Workshops, Interactive Sessions, Action Line Facilitation Meetings, UNGIS, Partnership on Measuring ICT for Development, WSIS Stocktaking, Knowledge Cafés, Hackathons, Exhibition)
4. Special Tracks:
 - 15 Years celebration of Geneva Plan of Action
 - Hackathon: Hack against hunger – Organized by ITU and FAO
 - Virtual Reality for Development
 - Tedx Talks Geneva
 - Innovation for SDGs
 - ICT Solutions for SDGs
 - Youth Engagement in ICTs for SDGs
5. WSIS Action Line Facilitators Meeting
 - WSIS Action Lines and Sustainable Development Goals with a special focus on Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies (Theme for HLPF 2018)
6. WSIS Forum 2018 Photography Contest
7. Remote participation at WSIS Forum 2018
8. Media outreach and partners
 - ImeetyouatWSIS www.wsis.org/imeet
 - Iwrite4WSIS www.wsis.org/iwrite #WSIS Campaign
9. Other business

* Please note that this meeting will benefit from contributions by onsite as well as remote participants.