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Development Bureau (BDT)**

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To

- Administrations of ITU Member States
- Regulators
- ITU-D Sector Members

Subject: Global Digital Regulation online training from 11 to 25 September 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to invite your organization to participate in the Global Digital Regulation online training organized as part of the collaboration between the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) *on assistance in telecommunication/ICTs to ITU Member States*. The online training sessions will take place from 11 to 25 September 2023, twice a week, over a period of three weeks.

The objective of the training is to allow participants to be better equipped to navigate the challenges associated with digital transformation while protecting users and creating competitive environments for the private sector to thrive. Participants will acquire more in-depth knowledge of policy and regulatory approaches in the digital ecosystem, the importance of collaborative and evidence-based approaches to regulation as digital transformation is sweeping across all sectors, and gain insights on the latest regulatory developments and global trends.

The training is designed for staff from ICT policy makers, regulatory authorities, and regulatory affairs employees of Sector Members. To participate, it is a prerequisite to have completed the self-paced online course [An introduction to digital regulation](https://academy.itu.int/training-courses/full-catalogue/global-digital-regulation-training). Detailed information on this training course is described in the course outline, which can be downloaded from the ITU Academy portal at the following link <https://academy.itu.int/training-courses/full-catalogue/global-digital-regulation-training>.

Registration should be made online at the aforementioned link, no later than **25 August 2023**.

Please note that participation to this training is limited to two seats per country. Should you need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact: Ms Nancy Sundberg, Senior Programme Officer, (nancy.sundberg@itu.int), and Ms Shahad AlBalawi, Senior International Affairs Specialist, at the Communications, Space and Technology Commission (CST), Saudi Arabia (sbalawi@cst.gov.sa), both of whom are at your full disposal.

We look forward to your active participation in this online training course.

Yours faithfully,

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