



**Workshop on IP Cablecom/
Mediacom 2004/
Interactivity in Multimedia
(Geneva, 12-15 March 2002)**



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- To Administrations of Member States of the Union, to ITU-T Sector Members and to ITU-T Associates participating in the work of Study Groups 9 and 16
- To Administrations of Member States of the ITU and Radiocommunication Sector Members participating in the work of the Radiocommunication Study Groups and the Special Committee on Regulatory/Procedural matters

Copy:

- To the Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of ITU-T Study Groups 9 and 16 and ITU-R Study Group 6;
- To the Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau

Subject: **Workshop on IP Cablecom/Mediacom 2004/
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Dear Sir/Madam,

1 In accordance with the schedule of ITU Telecommunication Standardization Sector meetings for 2002 (see TSB Circular 61 of 27 August 2001), we would like to inform you that by agreement with the Chairmen of ITU-T Study Groups 9 and 16 and ITU-R Study Group 6, the Workshop on IP Cablecom/MEDIACOM 2004/Interactivity in Multimedia, will take place at ITU headquarters, Geneva, from 12 to 15 March 2002, inclusive.

The workshop will open at 09:30 hours on the first day. Detailed information concerning the meeting rooms will be displayed on screens at the entrances to ITU headquarters.

2 The discussions will be held in one language only in accordance with decisions taken with reference to the provisions in force.

3 **Annex 1** gives the draft work programme for the IP Cablecom/ Mediacom 2004/ Interactivity in Multimedia workshop.

4 The present Circular and other documents relating to the Workshop will be available on both the ITU-T Website (<http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/worksem/index.html>) and ITU-R Website (<http://www.itu.int/itudoc/itu-r/ac/cace/index.html>).

5 For your information, a hotel confirmation form is enclosed as **Annex 2** (see TSB Circular 28 of 15 February 2001 and BR Administrative Circular 87 of 6 September 2000 for the list of hotels). Your attention is drawn to the fact that during this period the International Motor Show will take place in Geneva (7-17 March 2002).

6 In order to enable the TSB and the BR to make the necessary arrangements concerning the documentation and organization of the Workshop, we should be grateful if you would send us, by letter or fax (No.: +41 22 730 5853), as soon as possible, but **not later than 12 February 2002**, the list of people who will be representing your Administration, Sector Member, Associate, regional and/or international organization or other entity. It is possible for non ITU-T/ ITU-R members to participate in the workshop. The registration form in **Annex 3**, duly completed (one per participant), should be attached to the above-mentioned list.

Yours faithfully,

Houlin Zhao
Director of the Telecommunication
Standardization Bureau

Robert W. Jones
Director
Radiocommunication Bureau

Annexes: 3

Annex 1
(to TSB Circular 67 - BR CACE/232)

Draft Work Programme for the
Workshop on IP Cablecom/Mediacom 2004/Interactivity in Multimedia
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1. Proposed Schedule:

	Tuesday 12 March	Wednesday 13 March	Thursday 14 March	Friday 15 March
9.00 to 12.30	<i>Opening session</i>	<i>Session 2</i>	Session 4	Session 6
2.00 to 5.30	Session 1	Session 3	Session 5	Closing Session

2 Draft Programme

2.1 Day 1 (Tuesday, 12 March 2002)

Opening Session

Topics:

0930 – 0945	Opening remarks	Directors
0945 – 1000	Workshop objectives	Deputy Director of TSB
1000 – 1020	IP Cablecom project overview	Mr. D. Green/Chairman ITU-T SG9
1020 – 1040	Mediacom-2004	Mr. P.A. Probst/Chairman ITU-T SG16
1040 – 1100	Interactivity in Multimedia	Mr. A. Magenta/Chairman ITU-R SG6
1100 – 1130	Break	
1130 – 1150	Multimedia in ISO/MPEG	Mr. L. Chiariglione/Conv.MPEG*
1150 – 1210	DVB	Regional SDOs*
1210 – 1230	MM over CATV networks in USA	Regional SDOs*

Session Co-ordinators:

P.A. Probst/Chairman ITU-T SG 16

D. Green/Chairman ITU-T SG9

A. Magenta/Chairman ITU-R SG 6

* To be confirmed

Session 1 Service and Network Architecture

Topics:

- ☐ Overview of present architecture model used in ITU and other SDOs
- ☐ Do they ensure interoperability and inter-working at service and network level?
- ☐ Do we need a common model?
- ☐ Future work

Session Co-ordinator:

B. Moore/Chairman ITU-T SG 13 (Mr. Chae-Sub Lee, Vice-Chairman of ITU-T SG 13)

Possible involvement

- ITU-T SGs 9, 11, 13, 15, 16; ITU-R SG 6
- Other SDOs

2.2 Day 2 (Wednesday, 13 March 2002)

Session 2 Security and Privacy

Topics:

- ☐ S+P Customer requirements
- ☐ S+P at the service and network level (functionalities)
- ☐ How to ensure inter-working and interoperability (different platforms)
- ☐ Future work

Session Co-ordinator:

J. Magill/Vice-Chairman ITU-T SG 16 (Mr. M. Euchener, Rapporteur for Q.G/16)

Possible involvement

- ITU-T SGs 9, 16, 17; ITU-R SG 6
- Other SDOs

Session 3 Multimedia Service Quality

Topics:

- ☐ Voice QoS prediction
- ☐ Video QoS
- ☐ Service quality negotiation
- ☐ Interoperability and inter-working requirements and future work

Session Co-ordinator:

J-Y. Monfort/Chairman ITU-T SG 12, (Mr. N. Seitz, Vice-Chairman ITU-T SG 13)

Possible involvement

- ITU-T SGs 2, 9, 12, 13, 16; ITU-R SG 6
- Other SDOs

2.3 Day 3 (Thursday, 14 March 2002)

Session 4 Broadband delivery and in-home distribution

Topics:

- ☐ Overview of the different solutions, future evolution (e.g. broadband cable, DSL)
- ☐ Minimum requirements to ensure inter-working and interoperability
- ☐ Future work

Session Co-ordinator:

C. Sandbank/Vice-Chairman ITU-T SG 9 (Mr. A. Nunn, Chairman ITU-T WP 1/15)

Possible involvement

- ITU-T SGs 9, 13, 15, 16; ITU-R SG 4, 6
- Other SDOs

Session 5 Interactivity in broadcasting

Topics:

- ☐ Implementing interactive services on broadcasting networks, present status and evolution (e.g. application, interactive technologies)
- ☐ Interoperability and inter-working requirements
- ☐ Future work

Session Co-ordinator:

A. Magenta/Chairman ITU-R SG 6 (Mr. F. Kozamernick, EBU)

2.4 Day 4 (Friday, 15 March 2002)

Session 6 Voice and Video Coding and Speech Processing

Topics:

- ☐ Overview of the present activities in ITU and other SDOs
- ☐ Requirements to the new generation of codecs
- ☐ Distributed speaker recognition and identification
 - Basic requirements for E-B, E-C applications
 - Functional model (network, terminal and services)
- ☐ Future work

Session Co-ordinator:

S. Campos-Neto/Vice-Chairman ITU-T SG 16 (Mr. G. Sullivan, Rapporteur for Q.6/16)

Possible involvement

- ITU-T SGs 9, 12, 16; ITU-R SG 6
- Other SDOs

Closing session

Topics:

- ☐ Report on the different sessions: conclusions
- ☐ Future work: action plan

Session Co-ordinator:

P.A. Probst/Chairman ITU-T SG 16

D. Green/Chairman ITU-T SG 9

A. Magenta/Chairman ITU-R SG 6

ANNEX 2
(to TSB Circular 67 - BR CACE/232)

Ce formulaire de confirmation est à **adresser directement à l'hôtel** de votre choix (voir la Circulaire TSB 28)
*This confirmation form **should be sent directly to the hotel** of your choice (see TSB Circular 28)*
Dirija directamente este formulario de confirmación **al hotel** que elija (véase la Circular TSB 28)



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ITU-R

REGISTRATION FORM

To be returned to TSB (Fax +41 22 730 5853) by 12 February 2002

☐	Mr.	☐	Mrs.	☐	Miss

Family Name					

First Name					

Country

Name of Administration of Member State

Name of Sector Member / Associate /

Non-Members

Complete address of Administration or Organization:

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Hotel/Address in Geneva

Tel: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

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