



International Telecommunication Union

ITU Sync Tool v.6

User Guide

The ITU Sync Tool* allows you to synchronize documents** from the ITU server to your local drive. It has been configured to access the ITU server in Geneva and synchronize to the latest published documents.

*The ITU Sync Tool works in Windows® XP/Vista/7/8/10. A separate MAC version is also available.

**Published documents include: Agendas, Contributions, Temporary and Information Documents.

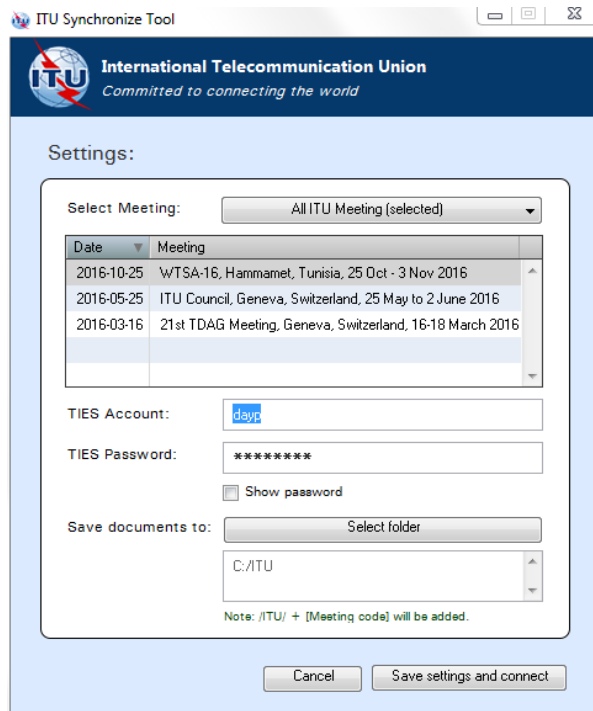
I. SYNC APPLICATION FOR WINDOWS

Step 1: Downloading and Starting the ITU Sync Application

1. Download the ITU Sync Tool from the TDAG homepage.

<https://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Conferences/TDAG/Pages/TDAG24>

2. Once the "ITU-Sync-Tool-setup.exe" has been downloaded, run. It will install an icon called "ITU Sync Tool". Execute and accept the ITU License Agreement. Then, download the latest list of ITU Meetings and select meeting from the dropdown menu. Enter your ITU TIES Account and choose the default folder where you would like to save the documents to.



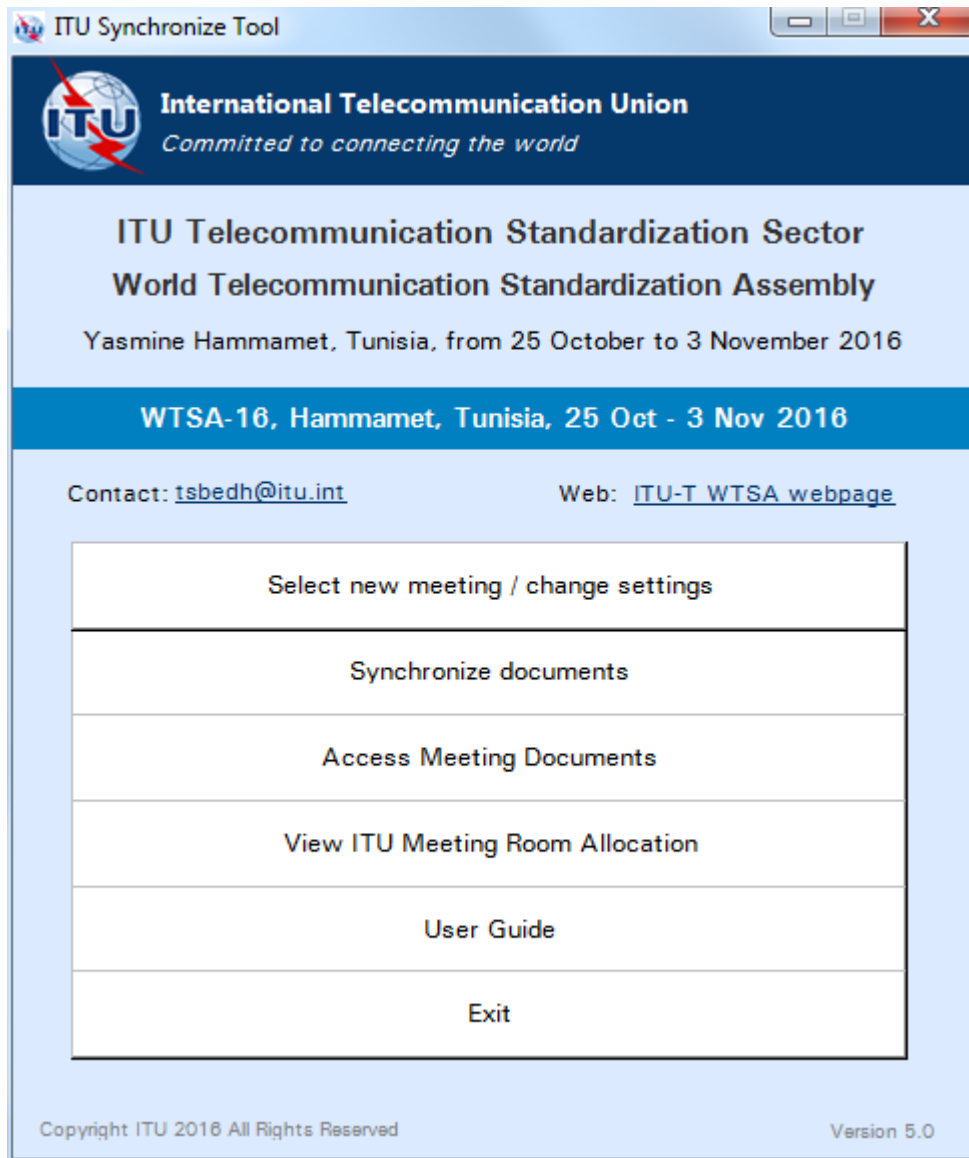
3. Click the button "Save settings and connect". After a successful verification, these settings will be saved and a prompt to synchronize the documents will be shown.

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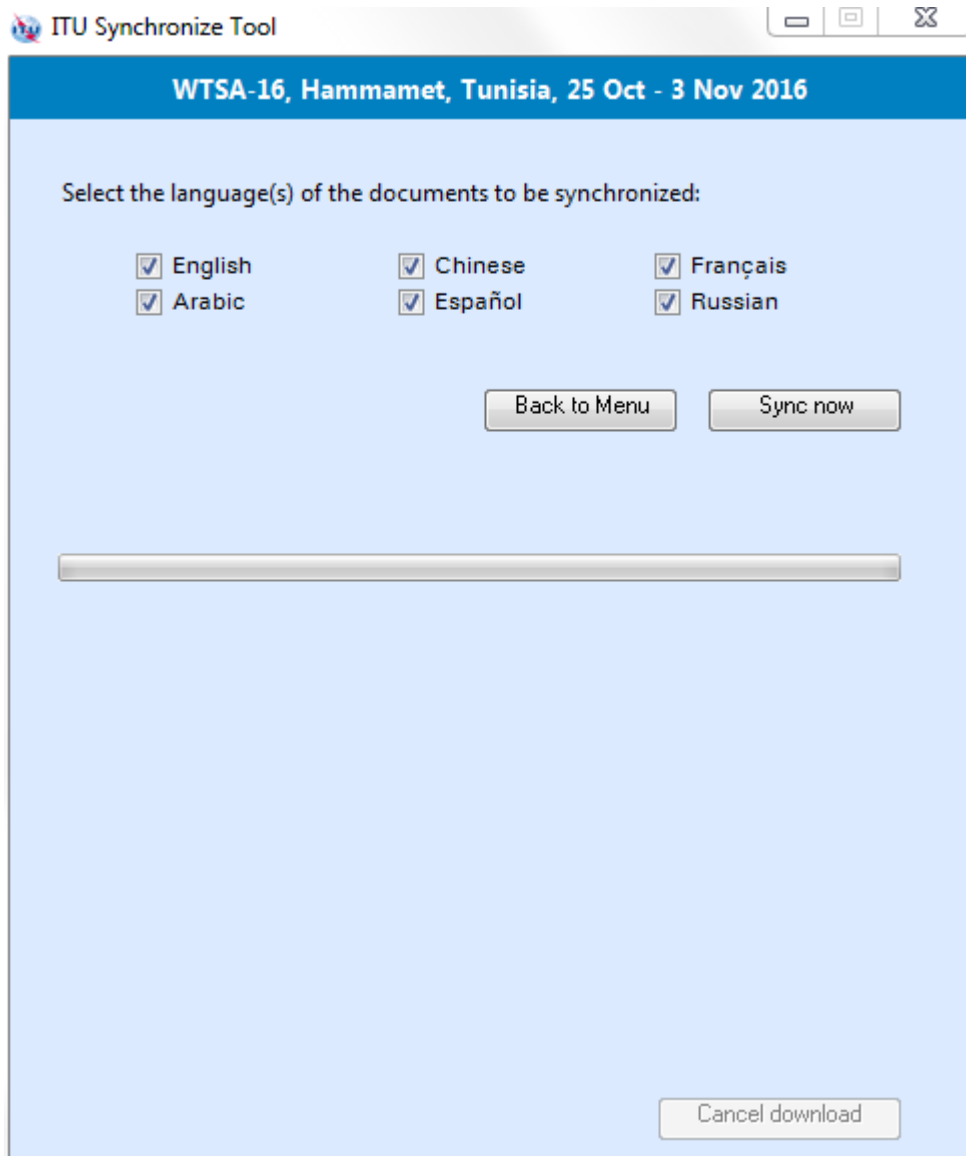
- *The Settings window will only be displayed when you run the application for the first time. If you would like to change the settings or meeting, just click on the "Settings" button from the main menu.*

Step 2: Synchronizing ITU Meeting Documents

1. Once the right meeting is selected, select "Synchronize documents" button



2. Select the language(s) of the documents to be synchronized and click Start button.

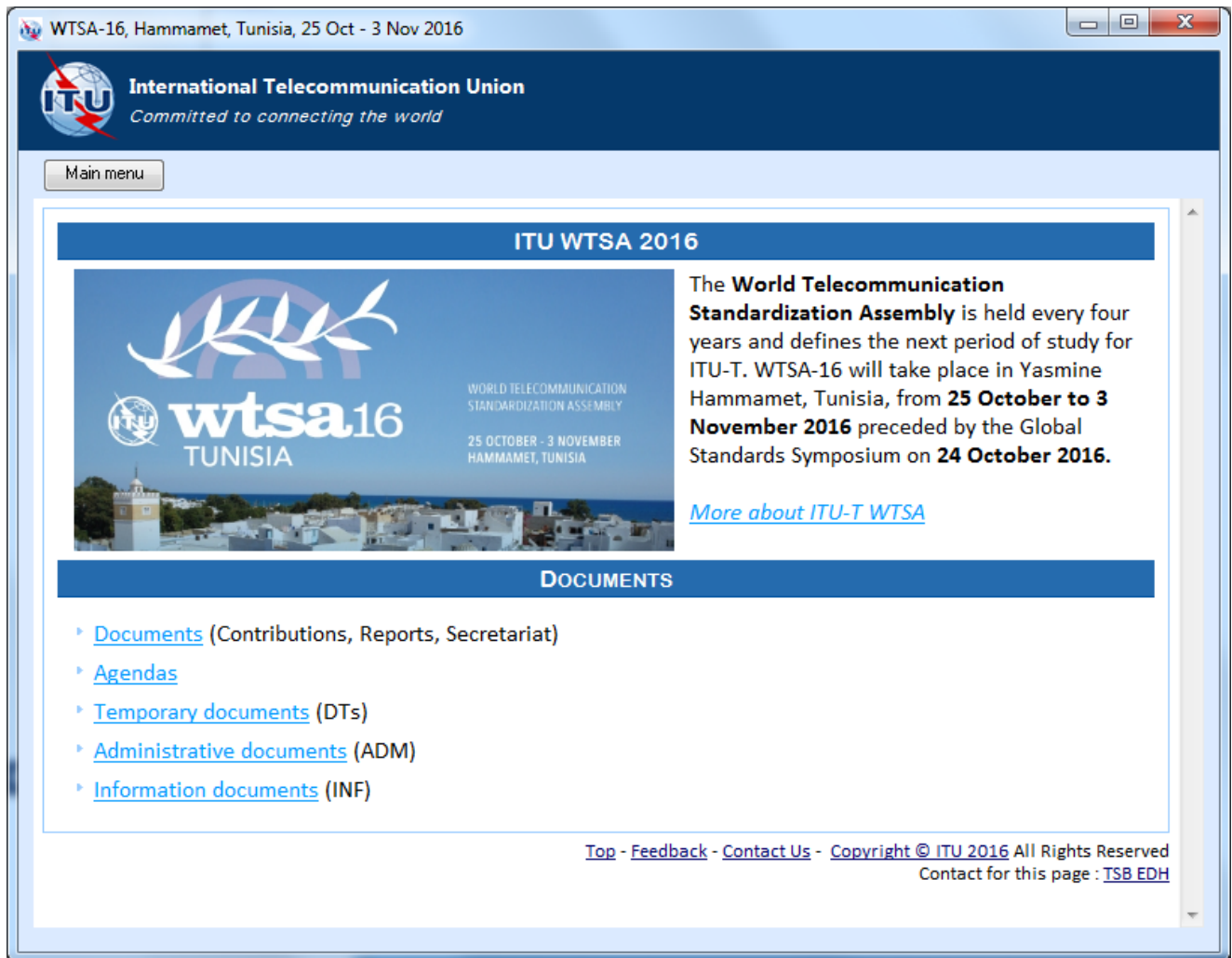


Notes:

- *In the initial synchronization, it may take several minutes to download and synchronize all published documents.*
- *Synchronization is set to run on demand; you may launch it at any time from the menu by clicking on the "Synchronize documents" button.*

Step 3: Accessing ITU Meeting Documents

1. Click on "Access Meeting Documents" to show the Contents page. This page will give you access to the documents that were downloaded and synchronized to your hard drive.



The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "WTSa-16, Hammamet, Tunisia, 25 Oct - 3 Nov 2016". The page features the ITU logo and the text "International Telecommunication Union Committed to connecting the world". A "Main menu" button is visible. The main content area is titled "ITU WTSa 2016" and includes a banner for the "WORLD TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDIZATION ASSEMBLY" held in Hammamet, Tunisia, from 25 October to 3 November 2016. A text block explains that the assembly is held every four years and defines the next period of study for ITU-T. A link "More about ITU-T WTSa" is provided. Below this, a "DOCUMENTS" section lists categories: Documents (Contributions, Reports, Secretariat), Agendas, Temporary documents (DTs), Administrative documents (ADM), and Information documents (INF). The footer contains links for "Top", "Feedback", "Contact Us", and "Copyright © ITU 2016 All Rights Reserved", along with contact information for TSB EDH.

II. SYNC APPLICATION FOR MAC

Step 1: Downloading and Starting the ITU Sync Application for Mac

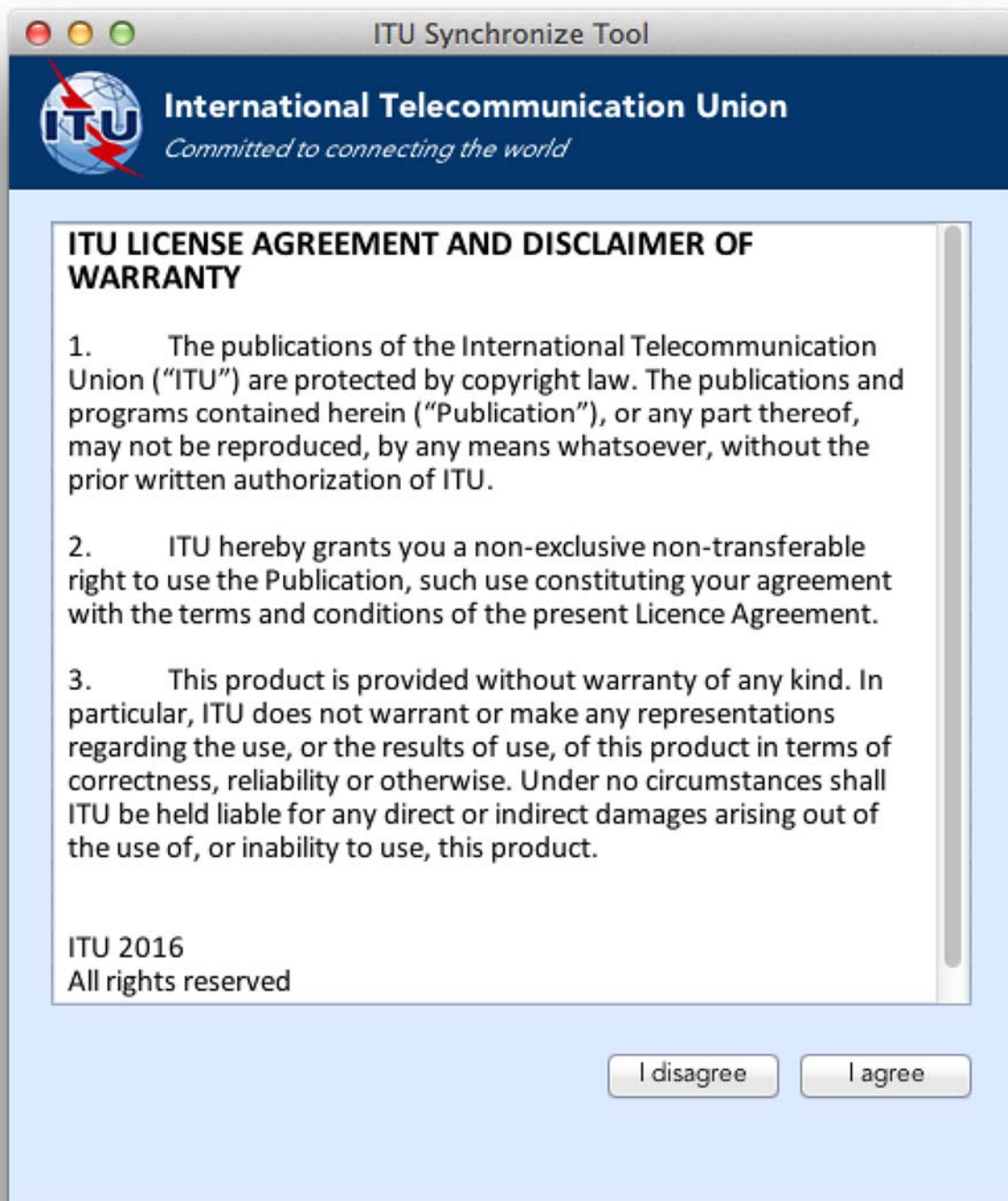
1. Download the ITU Sync Application [itu-sync-2016-mac.zip], from ITU-D TDAG homepage:

<https://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Conferences/TDAG/Pages/TDAG24>

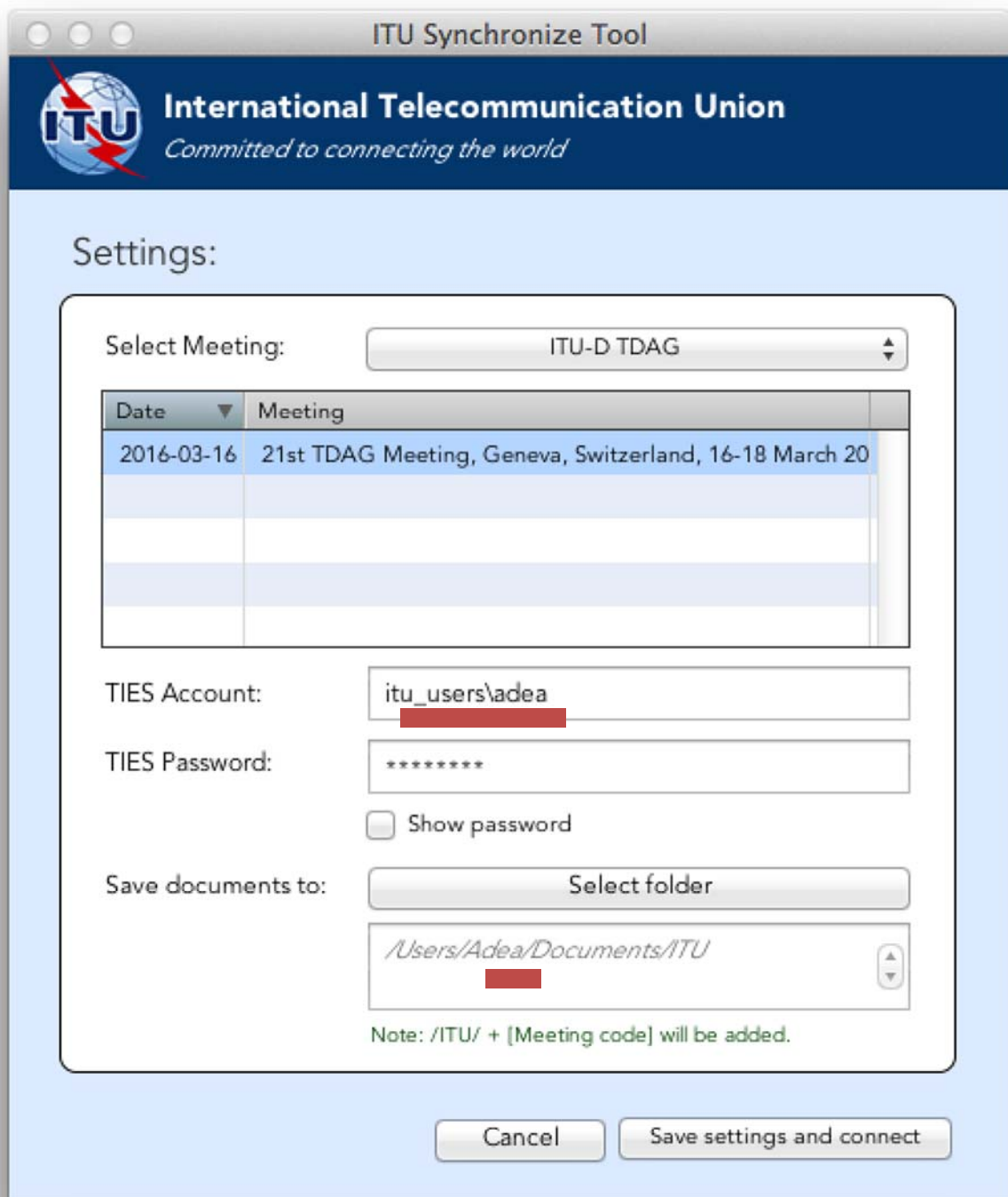
2. Once the Sync Application has been downloaded, run it.



3. To install, drag the ITU Sync icon to Application icon. Then, run the ITU Sync application from your Launchpad/Applications window.
4. Initially, it will show the ITU License Agreement, read and click the button "I agree".



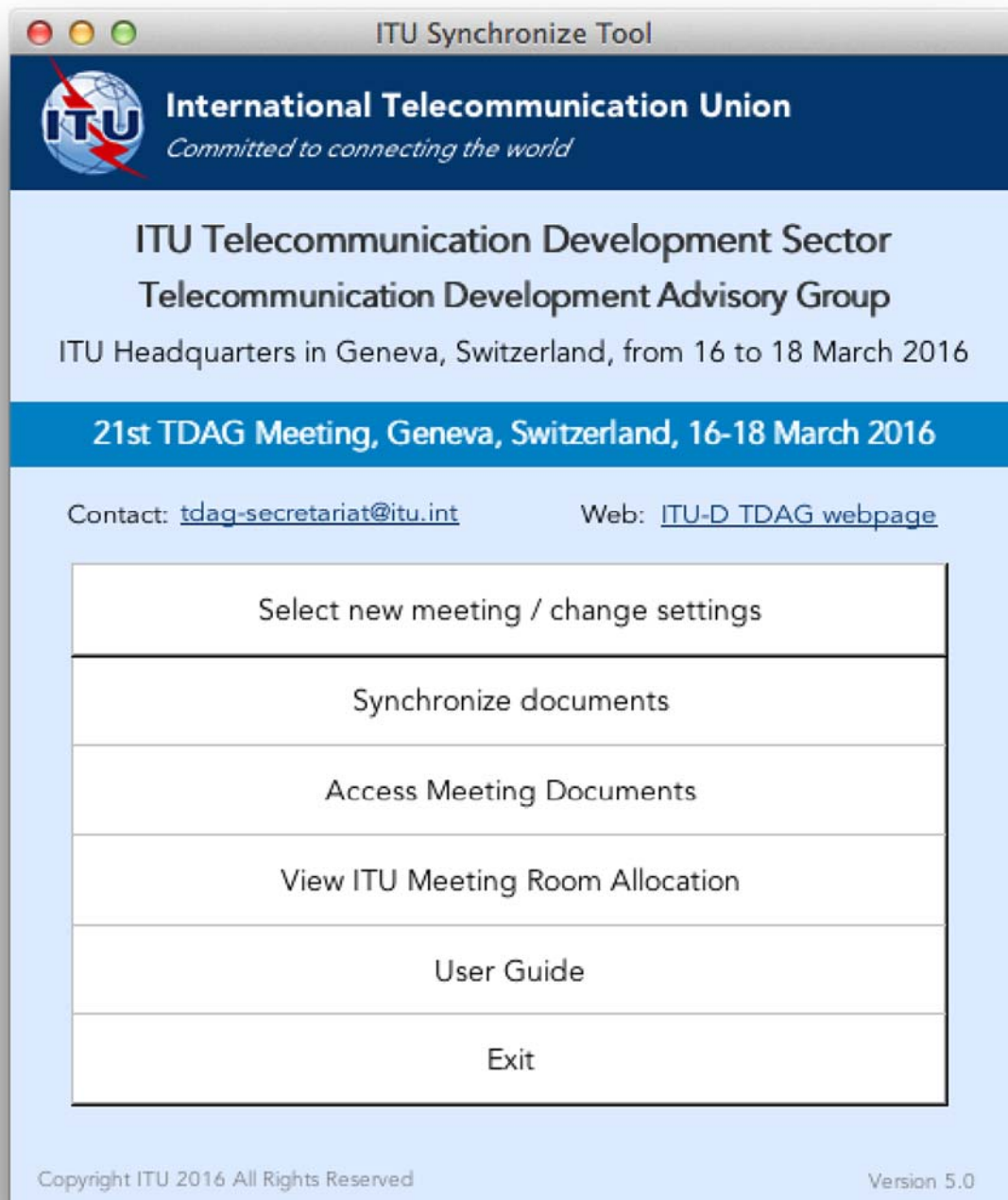
5. Then, on the next window, it will ask to download the new list of ITU meetings, click Yes. Then select ITU meeting on the list. Enter your TIES account and choose the default folder where you would like to save the documents to.



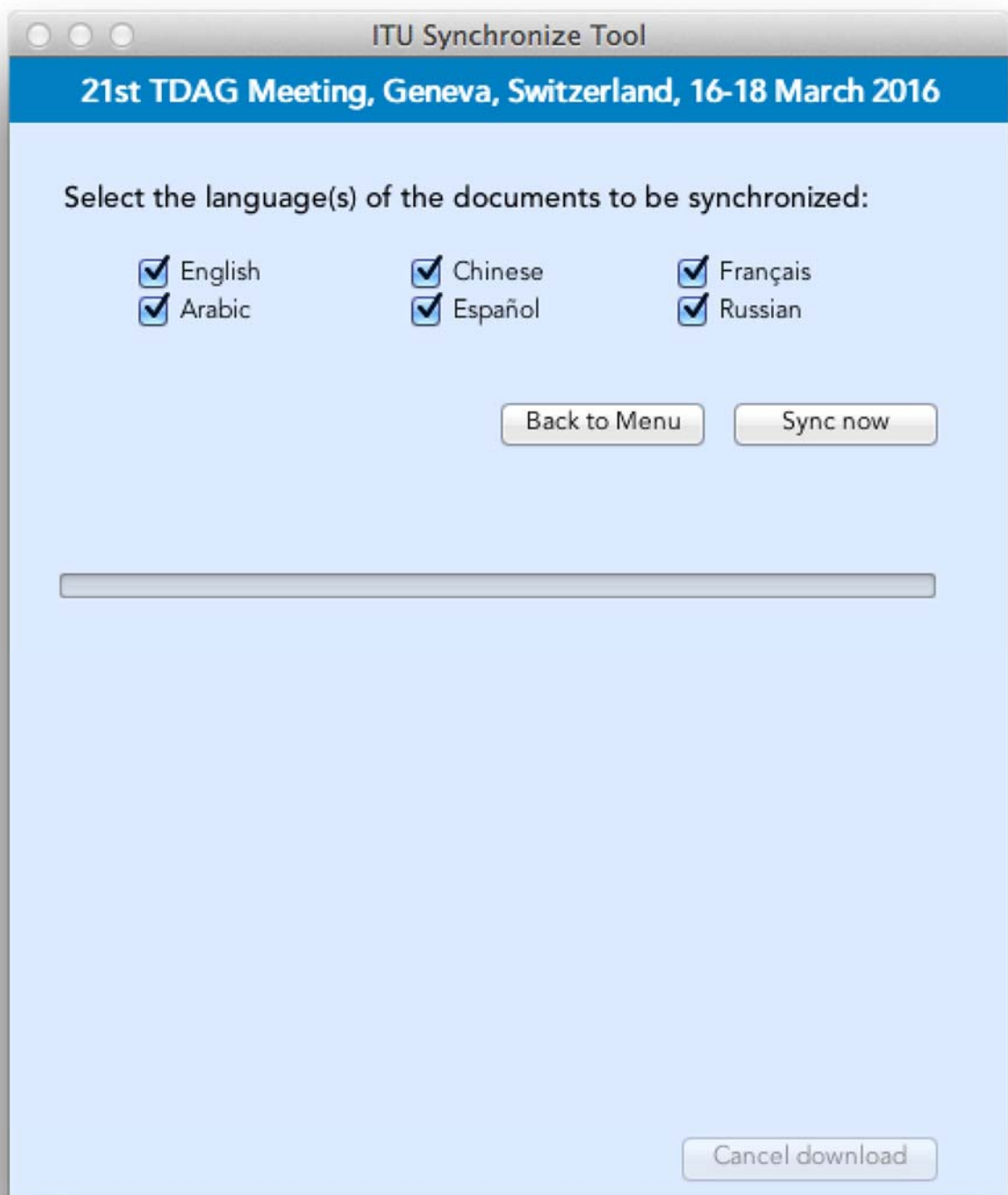
6. Click the button "Save settings and connect". After a successful verification, these settings will be saved and followed by a prompt to synchronize the documents.

Step 2: Synchronizing (downloading) ITU documents

1. To synchronize, click the second button "Synchronize Documents" from the menu.



2. Select the languages to synchronize, then click "Sync now" button to start the synchronization.

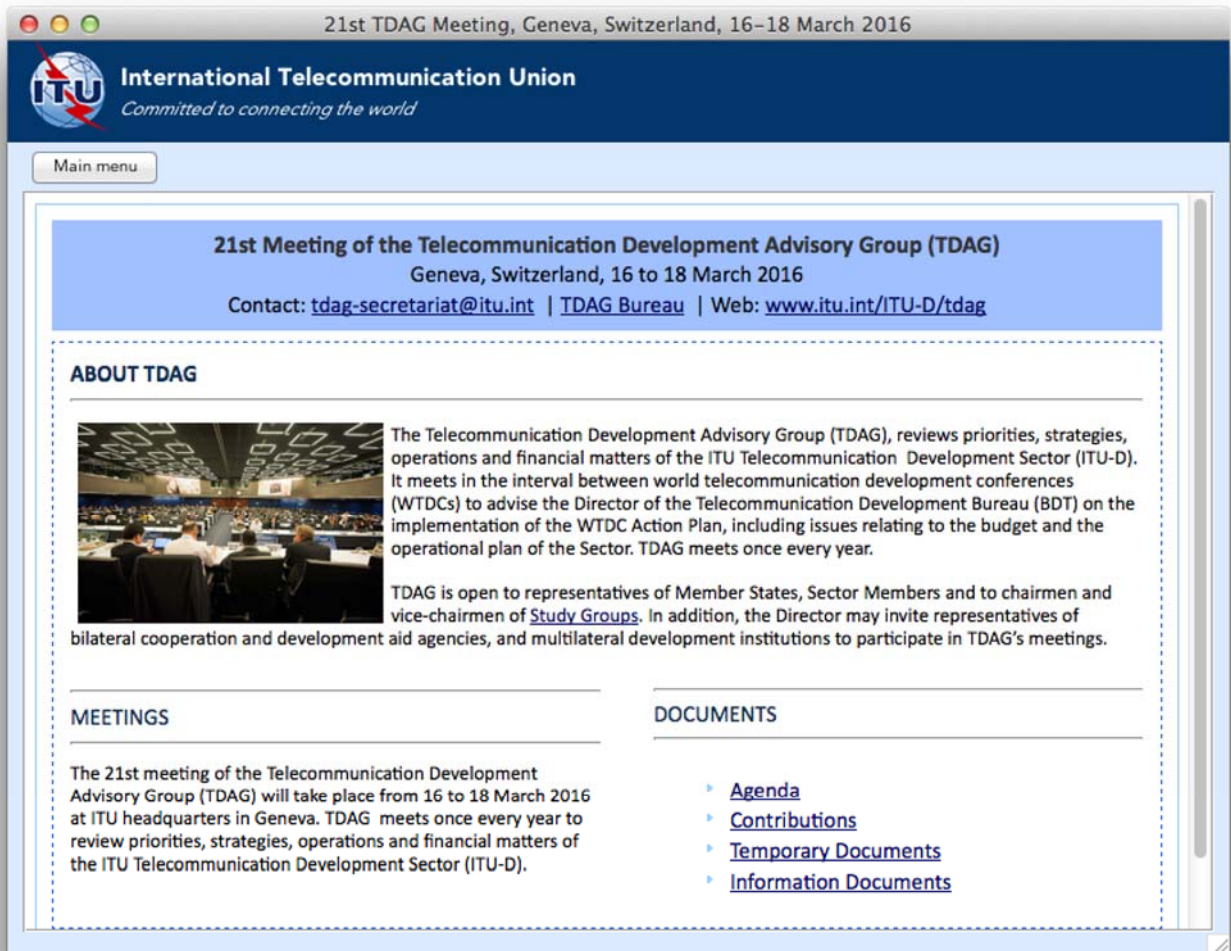


Notes:

- 1. The first time you use it, you must run the synchronize option to download the menu and documents.*
- 2. Synchronization is set to run on demand; you may launch it at any time from the menu by clicking on the synchronize button.*
- 3. If you encounter a problem, there is a trouble-shooting page below for your information. For further information, contact the ITU IS Service Desk.*


Step 3: Accessing ITU Meeting Documents

1. Click on the "Access Meeting Documents" button to show the Documents page. This page will give you access to the meeting documents even if you are not connected to the internet.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the title "21st TDAG Meeting, Geneva, Switzerland, 16-18 March 2016". The page header features the ITU logo and the text "International Telecommunication Union Committed to connecting the world". A "Main menu" button is visible. The main content area is titled "21st Meeting of the Telecommunication Development Advisory Group (TDAG) Geneva, Switzerland, 16 to 18 March 2016" and includes contact information: "Contact: tdag-secretariat@itu.int | [TDAG Bureau](#) | Web: www.itu.int/ITU-D/tdag".

ABOUT TDAG



The Telecommunication Development Advisory Group (TDAG), reviews priorities, strategies, operations and financial matters of the ITU Telecommunication Development Sector (ITU-D). It meets in the interval between world telecommunication development conferences (WTDCs) to advise the Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau (BDT) on the implementation of the WTDC Action Plan, including issues relating to the budget and the operational plan of the Sector. TDAG meets once every year.

TDAG is open to representatives of Member States, Sector Members and to chairmen and vice-chairmen of [Study Groups](#). In addition, the Director may invite representatives of bilateral cooperation and development aid agencies, and multilateral development institutions to participate in TDAG's meetings.

MEETINGS

The 21st meeting of the Telecommunication Development Advisory Group (TDAG) will take place from 16 to 18 March 2016 at ITU headquarters in Geneva. TDAG meets once every year to review priorities, strategies, operations and financial matters of the ITU Telecommunication Development Sector (ITU-D).

DOCUMENTS

- [Agenda](#)
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Troubleshooting

Note:

In case the Synchronize tool is not running or syncing, try to run it as Administrator (command: right-click on the program and select "Run as Administrator").

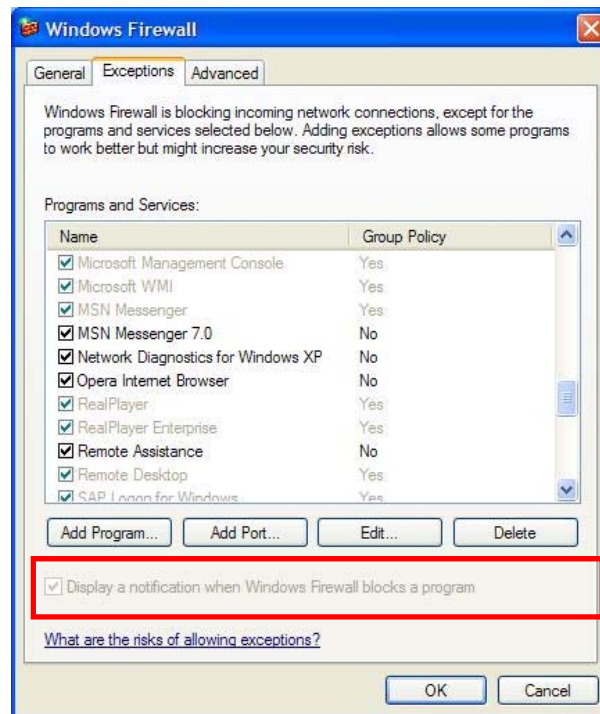
Troubleshooting: First-time use

1. This window may appear while you use the program. Click on the "Allow access" button to continue. Synchronization is then resumed.



If synchronization of documents does not start

2. Go to "Control Panel".
3. Run Windows Firewall.
4. Select the "Exception" tab and enable "Display notification when Windows Firewall blocks a program".



5. Click the "OK" button to close.
6. Run "Synchronize Documents" from the menu.
7. The Windows Security Alert (see below) may appear if the Windows Firewall is blocking the program. Click the "Unblock" button to continue. This will probably solve the problem.



8. Check if synchronization begins. If it doesn't, check if other factors, such as antivirus programs or the server, are blocking the program. One way to check is to run the sync program outside your organization.

Antivirus or Internet Security Programs

Some Antivirus or Internet Security Programs block the Sync application program. For this reason, the antivirus or internet security programs need to allow autorun.exe, as indicated below, to be run:

For Windows 7:

- C:\users\[login name]\appdata\local\temp\ir_ext_temp_[last number]\autorun.exe

For Windows XP:

- C:\Documents and Settings\[login name]\Local Settings\Temp\ir_ext_temp_[last number]\autorun.exe

If you experience problems in accessing or synchronizing documents, please contact our IT assistance and support service by calling the ITU IS Service Desk:

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