ITU Regional Forum "Future Technologies: AI, Metaverse, HTC and other ICT Applications and Services. Vision 2030"

Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation, June 9-11, 2025

Venue: Tauride Palace, Shpalernaya st., 47, Saint Petersburg, Russian Federation

DRAFT PROGRAMME

9 June 2025, Monday

	ITU Regional Forum "Future Technologies: AI, Metaverse, HTC and other ICT Applications and Services. Vision 2030"
09:30-10:00	**Registration of participants**
10:00-10:20	**Opening** • Ministry of Digital Development, Communications and Mass Media of the Russian Federation • International Telecommunication Union (ITU) • Regional Commonwealth in the field of Communications (RCC)
10:20-11:00	**Keynote presentation: Current status of telepresence technologies development**
11:00-11:30	**Coffee break and group photo**
11:30-13:00	**Session 1: Telepresence services** Objectives: • Explore the development and standardization of Telepresence technologies and their applications in various industries • Identify key use cases for emerging technologies and their potential impact on global telecommunications
13:00-14:00	**Lunch break**
14:00-15:30	**Demo session: Telepresence Fashion Show "Telepresence Suits"**
15:30-16:00	**Coffee break**
	Meetings of the ITU-T Regional Groups
16:00-19:00	Meetings of the ITU-T Study Group Regional Groups for Eastern Europe, Central Asia and the Transcaucasia

10 June 2025, Tuesday

	ITU Regional Forum "Future Technologies: AI, Metaverse, HTC and other ICT Applications and Services. Vision 2030"
09:30-10:00	**Registration of participants**
10:00-11:00	**Session 2: Enabling Metaverse** Objective: • Examine the requirements and challenges of building networks capable of supporting the Metaverse
11:00-11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30-13:00	**Session 2 (continued)**

13:00-14:00	**Lunch break**
14:00-15:30	**Session 3: Metaverse and AI** Objective: • Discuss the role of AI in shaping digital economies and enhancing network capabilities
15:30-16:00	**Coffee break**
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	**11 June 2025, Wednesday**
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09:30-10:00	**Registration of participants**
10:00-11:00	**Session 4: Combatting fraudulent communications and spoofing numbers** Objective: This session will focus on combating fraudulent communications and spoofed numbers, a widespread issue in telephone networks worldwide. In addition to discussing best practices and use cases, it will provide an overview of a standardized solution by ITU-T, which defines the integration of public-key certificates into signaling exchanges within telephone networks. This approach helps ensure the trustworthiness of callers
11:00-11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30-13:00	**Session 4 (continued)**
13:00-14:00	**Lunch break**
14:00-15:20	**Session 5: Future testing approaches, including federated testbeds** Objective: This session will be dedicated to federated testbeds and their implementations to address key challenges faced by various stakeholders in telecommunication networks
15:20-15:30	**Wrap-up**
15:30-16:00	**Coffee break**
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16:00-19:00	Meetings of the ITU-T Study Group Regional Groups for Eastern Europe, Central Asia and the Transcaucasia