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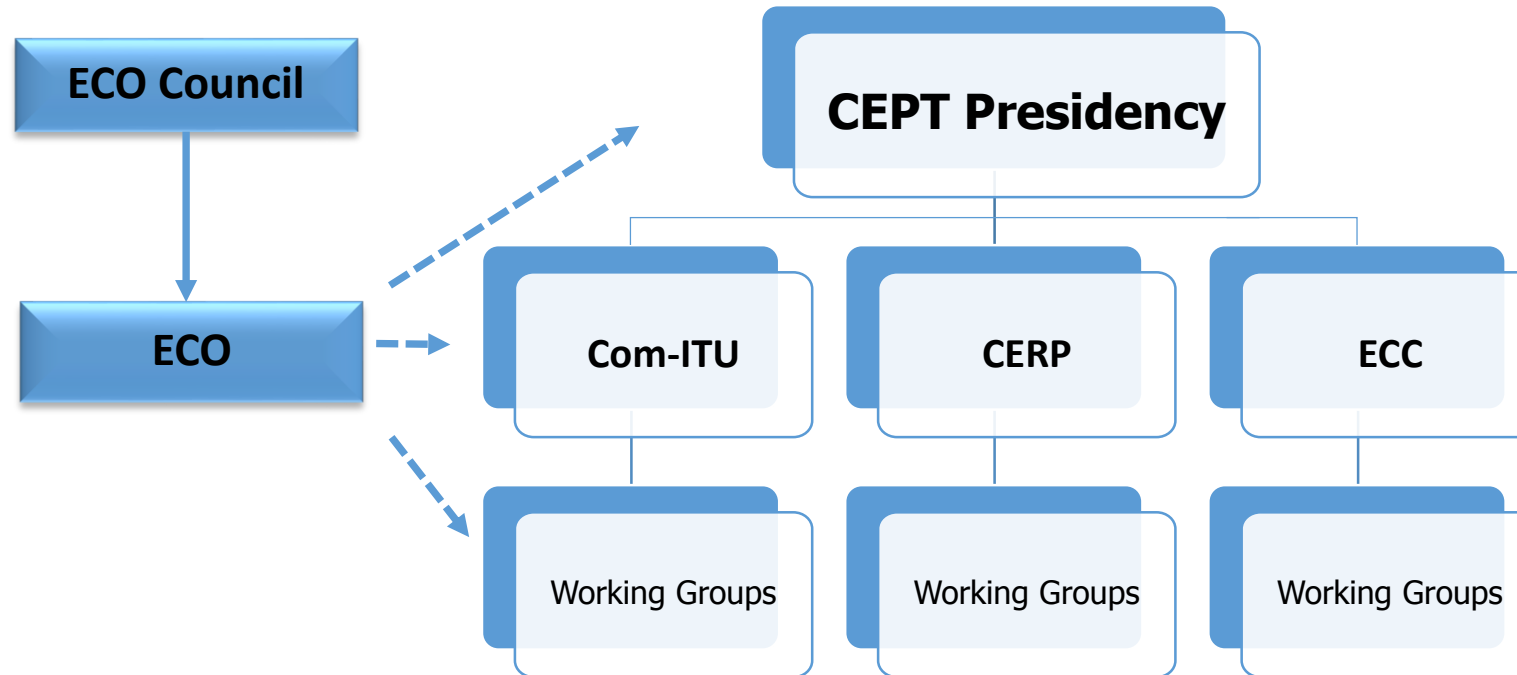
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- European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations (Conférence européenne des administrations des postes et des télécommunications - CEPT) was established in 1959;
- Administrations from 48 countries are members of CEPT.



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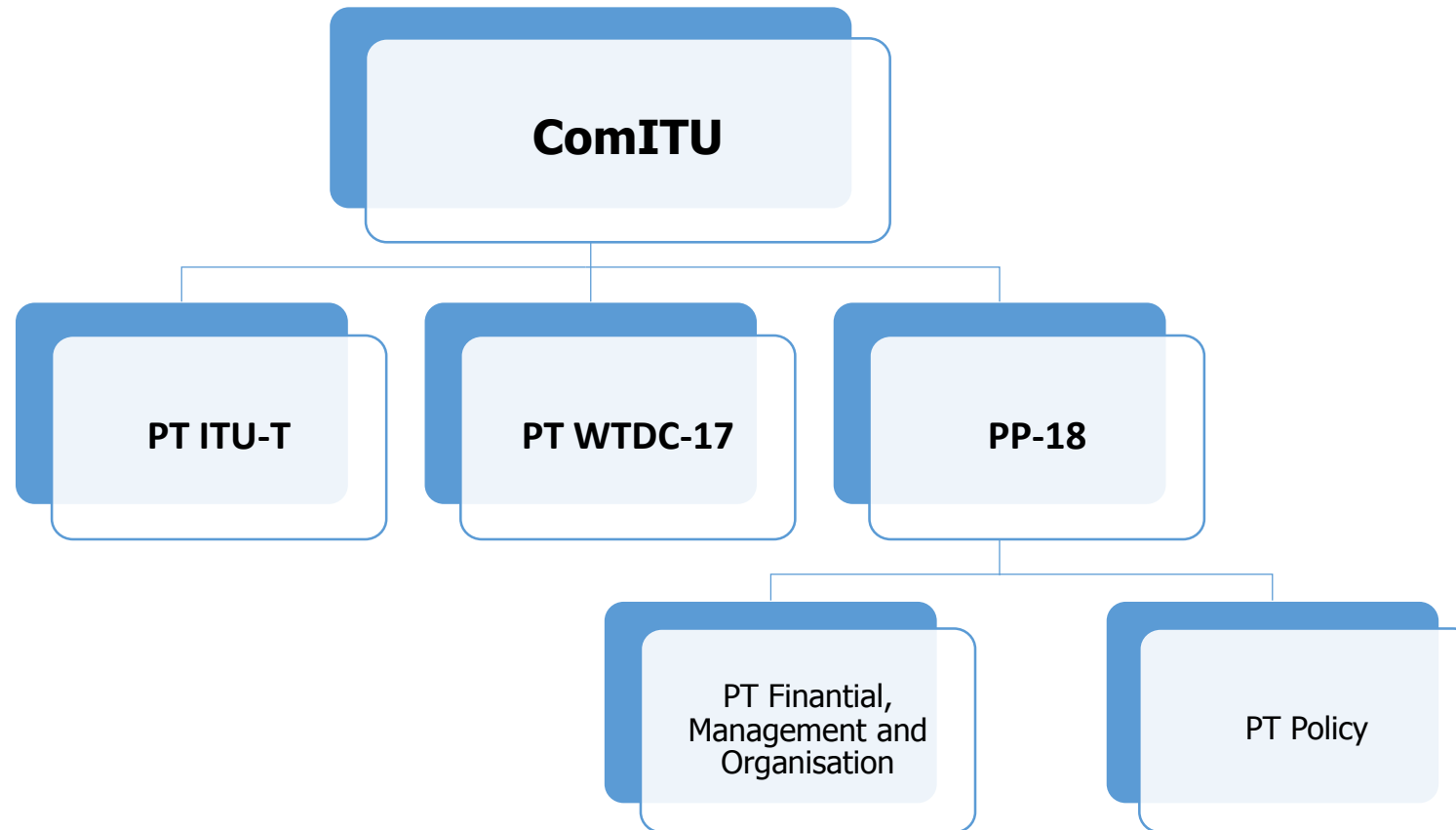


CERP: The European Committee for Postal Regulation;

ECC: Expert group within CEPT responsible for developing common policies and regulations in electronic communications and related applications for Europe and harmonising spectrum use;

ECO: Provides advice and support to CEPT to help it to develop and deliver its policies and decisions in an effective and transparent way.

- The Committee for ITU Policy (Com-ITU) is responsible for organizing the CEPT's engagement with the ITU for all activities except World Radiocommunication Conferences.
- The committee co-ordinates its members' positions for:
 - Plenipotentiary Conferences (PP),
 - World Telecommunication Standardisation Assemblies (WTSA),
 - World Telecommunication Development Conferences (WTDC),
 - (...)
- The committee also plays an important role in communicating the CEPT's views to the ITU Council.



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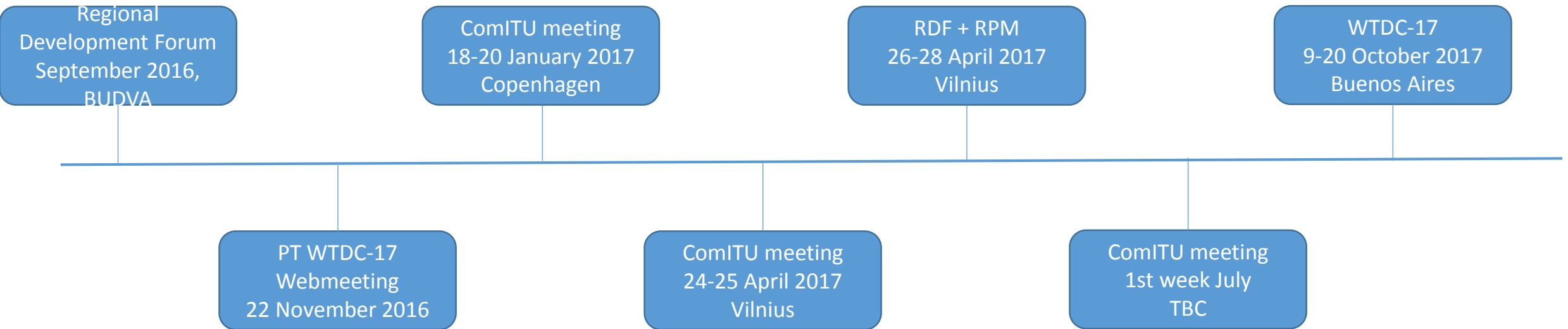
ComITU: Recent Activities



- Last Meeting. Copenhagen, 6-9 September 2016;
- Adopted 14 European Common Proposals to WTSA-16 (Your Administration is still on time to sign them);
- Started European preparations for PP-18;
- Initiated the European preparations for WTDC-17.

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The screenshot shows the ComITU website with a navigation menu at the top including 'Groups', 'Deliverables', 'Tools & Services', 'Com-ITU Meeting Documents', and 'Com-ITU Meeting Calendar'. The main content area features several news items:

- Com-ITU finalised European preparation for WTS-16** (13 Sep 2016, 15:15): Com-ITU approved last week the second set of European Common Proposals for WTS-16 and exchanged views with other regional organisations. More details are available [here](#).
- Com-ITU adopts first ECP for WTS-16** (13 May 2016, 00:00): At its recent meeting in Lucerne, Switzerland, 26-28 April 2016, Com-ITU approved the first set of European Common Proposals for WTS-16 and set up the European process for the preparation of WTDC-17. More details are available [here](#).
- Com-ITU elects new Vice-Chairmen** (20 Jan 2016, 13:52): At today's meeting of Com-ITU at the European Communications Office in Copenhagen, Mr. Dirk-Oliver von der Emden (SUI) and Mr. Paul Blaker (G) were both ratified as vice-chairmen of Com-ITU.
- Com-ITU (CEPT Committee for ITU Policy) appoints Manuel da Costa Cabral as its new Chairman** (26 Sep 2015, 00:23): The Committee for ITU Policy (Com-ITU), responsible for co-ordinating CEPT's engagement with the International Telecommunications Union (ITU), has announced on 23 September 2015 the appointment of Mr Manuel da Costa Cabral (Portugal) as the new Chairman of Com-ITU, a position which also includes the role of one of the three...

There is also a photo of a group of people in a meeting room and a 'My Profile' sidebar for Manuel Costa Cabral.

The screenshot shows the Twitter profile for CEPT_ComITU (@CEPT_ComITU). The profile bio states: "Official channel. ComITU co-ordinates CEPT actions for the preparation for and during the course of the ITU activities of the PP, Council, WTDC, WTS-16 & others". It lists 11 tweets, 10 following, 41 followers, and 2 likes. Two tweets are visible:

- CEPT_ComITU** @CEPT_ComITU · Sep 13: For more information about the outcome from Com-ITU meeting held 6-9 September 2016, read at bit.ly/2cDpEKo
- CEPT_ComITU** @CEPT_ComITU · Sep 13: Last week, Com-ITU agreed the 2nd set of ECPs for WTS-16 and exchanged views with other regional organisations. bit.ly/2cKDRp

Below the tweets is a photo of a meeting room with a presentation screen.



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Share your priorities!

Share your proposals!

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