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15 December 2021 | 09:30 – 15:20 CET
Hybrid event: Kiev, Ukraine - State University of Telecommunications and online

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Approaches of the UN System to support digital transformation

15 December, 13:00-14:30 CET | Virtual

Organized within the framework of the UN Digital Transformation Group for Europe and Central Asia and held within the context of the ITU - State University of Telecommunication of Ukraine co-organized Forum for European countries on "Digital transformation based on ICT innovations for the development of the digital economy".

AGENDA

Wednesday | 15 December 2021

Afternoon sessions

[13:00 – 13:10] CET [14:00 – 14:10] UTC+2	**Introductory Remarks** • **Jaroslaw Ponder**, Head, ITU Office for Europe • **Aliaksei Vavokhin,** UN Resident Coordinator Office Economist, Ukraine
[13:10– 14:30] CET [14:10 – 15:30] UTC+2	**Session 2: Approaches of the UN System to support digital transformation** This session, held within the framework of the UN Digital Transformation Group for Europe and Central Aisa, will provide a platform to update the regional community on UN flagship initiatives and collaborations advancing the digital development and supporting Member States in their digital journey in order to achieve all 17 UN SDGs. • **Sarah Delporte**, Project Officer, ITU Office for Europe • **Sophie Treinen**, Information and Knowledge Management Officer and Digital Agriculture Team Leader, FAO Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia

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- **Ryan Dos Santos,** Technical Officer - Digital Health, WHO Europe and Central Asia
- **Milan Dacic**, WMO Representative for Europe
- **Maria Teresa Pisani**, Economic Affairs Officer at the Economic Cooperation and Trade Division, UNEC
- **Mariia Pavlova**, Project Associate, UNIDO Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia
- **Natalija Ostojic**, Technical Project Analyst, UN Women Serbia
- **Sarah Fuller**, Education Consultant, UNICEF Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia

Moderator: Sarah Delporte, Project Officer, ITU Office for Europe

[14:30– 15:10] CET **[15:30 – 16:10] UTC+2**	**Session 3: ITU-UNEP-UNITAR E-waste Monitoring for the Western Balkans** • **Rosie McDonald,** E-Waste Data Associate Officer, Environment and Emergency Telecommunication Division, ITU • **Matthew Billot**, Regional Coordinator, Science-Policy, UNEP Europe Office • **Giulia Iattoni**, Programme Associate at UNU-ViE-SCYCLE **Moderator: Sarah Delporte**, Project Officer, ITU Office for Europe
[15:20 – 15:20] CET **[16:20 – 16:20] UTC+2**	**Closing of the Forum** • **Jaroslaw Ponder**, Head, ITU Office for Europe • **Volodymyr Tolubko**, Rector of the State University of Telecommunications, Ukraine