



Special session “Building trust and confidence to feel empowered online”

29 June – 17:30-18:30 CEST | Sorrento, Italy

[Global Youth Tourism Summit \(GYTS\)](#)

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**Timing is expressed in CEST (UTC+2)*

[17:30-17:35]	Welcome and Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief presentation of what the ITU is, what Generation Connect is, and what the session will entail.
[17:35-17:41]	Icebreakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Everyone takes 2 minutes to write down – based on their own realities and lived experiences – one digital challenge they are facing or they think youth can face online. <i>[2 min]</i> Quick reflection on the challenges identified. <i>[1 min]</i> Everyone takes 2 minutes to write down - based on their own realities and lived experiences – one opportunity or positive aspect of the online world. <i>[2 min]</i> Quick reflection on the opportunities identified. <i>[1 min]</i>
[17:41-17:44]	Video – Generation Connect – What does it mean to be connected?
[17:44-17:54]	ITU and the Youth: Generation Connect Presentation <i>[7 mins]</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> More about the ITU, BDT, and Generation Connect. Why is it important that YOU share your thoughts and ideas on digital development? The Generation Connect Youth Summit and the Call to Action

	Questions and Answers <i>[3 mins]</i>
[17:54-17:57]	Polls – Navigating the online world safely – What do you know? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All participants will be invited to answer some polls to gain knowledge on youth participation in the online world and online risks and threats that can be encountered.
[17:57-18:05]	ITU's approaches to child and youth online protection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This segment will provide a presentation on tools and information available for the Youth to navigate the online world safely and build their capacities to feel empowered online.
[18:05-18:25]	Breakout into 6 groups to discuss online safety for meaningful online participation [we need 6 facilitators for the 6 groups]: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Based on the risks identified during the poll, what are the main needs and recommendations of the youth to feel safe and empowered in the digital world? <i>[12 mins]</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ideas from this exercise will be submitted to Generation Connect for their consideration. Participants will also be invited to write their ideas on a sticky note, that they will stick on a 'brainstorming board' at the end of the exercise. Plenary feedback: Liaison officer of each group to report one main need and recommendation to the plenary <i>[8 mins]</i>
[18:25-18:30]	Closing Remarks & how to keep in touch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upcoming engagement opportunities and events for youth to engage with. Invite the delegates to join the Generation Connect Virtual Communities.
-	Meeting close - Video - Generation Connect Global Youth Summit 2022 Video Highlights