Call for Speakers



REGIONAL FORUM FOR ARAB REGION IMT SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY, EVOLUTION AND IMPLEMENTATION

Tunis, Tunisia, 7 - 9 May 2013



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At the kind invitation of Tunisie Telecom, the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) is organizing the ITU Regional Forum for ARAB Region: IMT Systems Technology, Evolution and Implementation. The Seminar will be held in Tunis, Tunisia, 7-9 May 2013.

Participation in this Seminar is free of charge and open to ITU Member States, Sector Members and Associates, as well as to any individual from an ITU Member State wishing to contribute to the work. Individuals belonging to international. regional or national organizations may also participate. The and Academia all associated and related Institutions are all welcome.

The Forum will elaborate on all critical issues surrounding the introduction of IMT as a new mobile broadband technology. It will give you an understanding of the IMT standard itself - i.e. key differences to IMT-2000 components in the design of efficient IMT networks, strategic issues in spectrum allocation, the constraints of the technology, and a guideline in marketing and positioning your IMT offering. It will prepare you and inspire your thinking when it comes to building a successful business.

The Forum is designed to meet the needs of investors, operators, service providers and related who are planning or considering entering into business the IMT mobile broadband market. The Forum takes a view of IMT as a new mobile broadband business, its kev differentiators & challenges, from both give a global overview technical and commercial perspective. lt will and also update on the status of the IMT industry and trends.

The event will provide an opportunity for, Senior or mid-level managers for mobile network operators or MVNOs, Analysts and investors examining the IMT market & opportunities, Telecommunications regulators, Equipment & technology vendors to share their knowledge, experiences and views on the future of the industry with ITU and Hosting Administration attendees.

The discussions will be held in English and French. The documents for this event, Final Agenda, Registration Form, Information note etc. will be made available and regularly updated at <u>http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Technology/Pages/Events.aspx</u>

Dear Colleagues,

ITU would like to invite you to participate as Speakers to Regional Forum for ARAB Region: IMT Systems - Technology, Evolution and Implementation. The Forum will be held in Tunis, Tunisia, 7-9 May 2013.

All information on the Forum (Call for Speakers, Draft Programs, Information note, Registration form, Hotel booking form, etc.) will be posted on the ITU Web and will be updated on regular basis: <u>http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Technology/Pages/Events.aspx</u> The Draft Program is also herewith attached.

Deadline to submit Abstracts (max. 400 words) and Bios (max. 200 words): 12 April 2013

The applications may be sent via e-mail to: <u>Rouda.AlamirAli@itu.int</u>; Riccardo.Passerini@itu.int; Your submissions will be taken in due consideration for the finalization of the Program of the Forum.