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## Draft WSIS+10 Vision for WSIS Beyond 2015

### C7: ICT Applications E-Learning

*Recognizing the central role of infrastructure for the development of inclusive Information Society as well as the efforts dedicated towards implementation of WSIS Outcomes, in particular related to Action Line C2, since 2003 significant progress has been achieved and several emerging trends and challenges have been identified.*

*Following provides guidance and priorities for implementation of WSIS Action Line C7 E Learning beyond 2015.*

- 1. Support the construction of new multiple literacies for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,** including digital, media and information literacies
- 2. Harness emerging technological innovations such as open modalities and strategies for using ICT for education (Open Educational Resources - OERs, Free and Open Software - FOSS, Massive Online Open Courses- MOOCS) to ensure recognized learning opportunities to ease participation in Knowledge Societies.**
- 3. Mobilize public funding to ensure** that learners have **access to ICT** to participate fully in Knowledge Societies.
- 4. Develop enabling policies for mobile learning** including support for making affordable devices, content and connectivity more widely available and ensuring the professional development to teachers on the use of mobile technologies to support teaching and learning in mixed, face-to-face and/or distance modes.
- 5. Promote the effective policies to support e-learning** for all, ensuring the inclusion of marginalized groups and empowerment of women
- 6. Support the creation of relevant content in local languages.**

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7. **Train teachers in online e-learning platforms** so they can **profit from existing programs** or they can **create their own learning content and program**, with a preference on open licenses (as OER).
  
- a) What are areas that have **not been adequately captured by the framework of the existing 11 WSIS Action Lines** and would need to be addressed beyond 2015?  
**Please specify the Action Line you are providing an input for.**
  1. **Investing and deploying ICT to support open strategies for education (OER, Open Access to scientific data, Free and Open Source Software, new online strategies for distance education (including MOOCs))**
  2. **Development of an ecosystem for the safe use of mobile technologies for education**, including teaching digital citizenship and responsible use.
  3. **Leveraging mobile technologies for greater reach and inclusiveness**
  4. **Greater support to programs and systems aimed at marginalized and diasadvantaged groups.**

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