



CSTD Open consultation WSIS at 20: successes, failures and future expectations

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Programme

Moderator: **Ms. Ana Cristina das Neves**, Vice Chair of the CSTD

- 14:00 - 14:10 Welcome and Introductory remarks by **Ms. Ana Cristina das Neves**, Vice Chair of the CSTD
- 14:10 - 14:15 Keynote speaker: **Mr. Karolis Žemaitis**, Vice Minister of Economy and Innovation, Lithuania
- 14:15 – 14:20 Special remarks by **Mr. Tomas Lamanuskas**, Deputy Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union
- 14:30 – 15:30 Views from the participants, physically and remotely on the following indicative questions:
- To what extent and how has the vision of a "people-centred, inclusive and development-oriented Information Society" evolved over the past 20 years since WSIS?
 - How will ongoing trends and emerging technologies, particularly AI, impact progress towards human development and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)? Moreover, how can these trends enable or hinder the realization of the WSIS vision?
 - What measures should be taken to advance international cooperation, including in terms of governance, to leverage emerging technologies for sustainable development in economic, social, environmental, and cultural dimensions?

