



*United Nations Commission on Science and Technology for Development*

*15 - 19 April 2024*

*Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland*

## **Call for Exhibition Proposals on Global Cooperation in Science, Technology and Innovation for Development**

The twenty-seventh session of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development (CSTD) will be held from 15 to 19 April 2024 at the Palais des Nations in Geneva, Switzerland.

One of the two priority themes to be discussed at the twenty-seventh session will be “Global Cooperation in Science, Technology and Innovation for Development”.

To facilitate the sharing of knowledge about respective experiences, support matchmaking and promote collaboration among different parties, the CSTD Secretariat will organize an exhibition during the meeting.

The CSTD Secretariat invites member states, international organizations, non-governmental organizations and other actors active in science, technology and innovation international cooperation to submit a proposal to host a booth and present their works at the exhibition.

**When:** The exhibition will be launched with a high-level event during the ministerial segment of the Commission on 15 April 2024 and it is expected that a colleague will be physically present in each booth during the launch to interact with the participants. The exhibition will remain open until 19 April 2024

**What:** To showcase activities related to cooperation in science, technology and innovation and to promote collaboration among key stakeholders

**Where:** Exhibition gallery space at the 3/F of Building E, Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland. A table, a chair and some vertical panels will be provided to set up the booth

To be considered, the proposal should include:

- A brief description of the project or initiative to be shared at the exhibition;
- A summary of the materials to be displayed (e.g., video, poster, brochure);
- A list of target audiences for potential collaboration; and
- Contact information of the focal point

Kindly note that the exhibition space is limited and the CSTD Secretariat will have to select proposals in case submissions exceed available space.

Please submit the proposal to [stdev@unctad.org](mailto:stdev@unctad.org) before 19 January 2024.