



**Commission on Science and Technology for Development (CSTD)**  
**Sixteenth session**  
**3-7 June 2013**  
**Room XVIII, E Building, Floor 1**  
**Palais des Nations**

**Provisional Organization of Work<sup>1</sup>**

**Monday, 3 June**

<b>10:00-11:00</b>	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ <b>Welcoming remarks by:</b> H.E. Ambassador Miguel Palomino de la Gala, Chair of the CSTD</li><li>■ <b>Opening statement by:</b> Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD</li><li>■ <b>Address by:</b> Dr. Hamadoun Touré, Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU)</li><li>■ <b>Address by:</b> Prof. Rolf-Dieter Heuer, Director General, CERN</li><li>■ <b>Address by:</b> Mr. Joseph Alhadef, Vice-Chairman ICC-BASIS</li><li>■ <b>Address by:</b> Mr. Carlos Afonso, Executive Director, NUPEF Institute, Brazil</li></ul>
<b>11:00-13:00</b>	<b>Item 1</b>	<b>Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters</b>
	<b>Item 2</b>	<b>Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS) outcomes at the regional and international levels</b>
		<b>Introduction of the report of the Secretary-General on WSIS Follow-up by:</b> Ms. Anne Miroux, Director, Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD, and Head of the CSTD Secretariat

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<p><b>15:00-18:00</b></p>	<p><i>Ministerial round table on “Review of progress made in the implementation of WSIS outcomes”</i></p> <p><b>Item 3</b></p> <p><i>Ministerial round table on “Harnessing science and technology to address development challenges”</i></p>	<p>■ <b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Hamadoun Touré, Secretary-General of the ITU</p> <p>■ <b>Confirmed Ministers from:</b> Angola, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Lesotho, Liberia, Paraguay, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Swaziland, Tunisia.</p> <p><b>Science, technology and innovation for development</b></p> <p>■ <b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Shirley Malcom, Head of the Directorate of Education and Human Resources, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Member of the Gender Advisory Board.</p> <p>■ <b>Confirmed Ministers from:</b> Bolivia, Burkina Faso, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Gambia, Guyana, Mauritania, Morocco, Nigeria Sri Lanka, Sudan, USA<sup>2</sup> and Zimbabwe.</p> <p><b>Ministerial Visit to CERN</b></p>
<p><b>18:00-21:30</b></p>		

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<sup>2</sup> Mr. E. William Colglazier, Science and Technology Advisor to Secretary of State Kerry.

## Tuesday, 4 June

<p>10:00-13:00</p>	<p><b>Item 2</b></p> <p><i>Overall review of the implementation of the WSIS Outcomes (WSIS + 10)</i></p>	<p><b>Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to WSIS outcomes at the regional and international levels</b></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Dr. Hamadoun Touré, Secretary-General of the ITU</li> <li>■ Mr. Janis Karklins, Assistant Director-General for Communication and Information, UNESCO</li> <li>■ Dr. David Souter, ict Development Associates</li> <li>■ Constance Bommalaer, Senior Director, Global Policy Partnerships The Internet Society</li> </ul> <p><i>General discussion</i></p>
<p>15:00-17:00</p>	<p><b>Item 4</b></p> <p><i>STIP Reviews</i></p>	<p><b>Presentation of the science, technology and innovation policy (STIP) review of the Dominican Republic</b></p> <p><b>Introductory Statement:</b> Ms. Padmashree Gehl Sampath, Chief, Science and Technology Section, Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD</p> <p><b>Presentation of the STIP review:</b> Mr. Ángel González Sanz, Chief, Policy Review Section, Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD</p> <p><b>Dominican Republic's Strategy to Promote Science, Technology and Innovation:</b> <b>Statement by:</b> H.E. Ms. Ligia Amada Melo Viuda Cardona, Minister of Higher Education, Science and Technology of the Dominican Republic</p> <p><b>Additional Statements by: El Salvador, Peru, Oman, France, Mexico, USA, Colombia, Barbados (and others as confirmed)</b></p>
<p>17:00-18:00</p>	<p><i>CSTD Working Group on Enhanced Cooperation</i></p>	<p><b>CSTD Working Group on Enhanced Cooperation</b> Presentation by Mr. Peter Major, Chair of the Working Group, on the outcome of the first meeting held on 30-31 May 2013 in Geneva.</p>
<p>18:00-20:00</p>	<p><b>CSTD Reception</b></p>	<p><i>Restaurant des Délégués, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Palais des Nations</i></p>

## Wednesday, 5 June

10:00-11:00	Item 3	<b>Priority themes</b> <b>Introduction of the Reports of the Secretary-General on the priority themes:</b> Ms. Anne Miroux, Director, Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD, and Head of the CSTD Secretariat  <b>Statement by:</b> Dr. Shirley Malcom, Head of the Directorate of Education and Human Resources, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Member of the Gender Advisory Board.
11:00-13:00	(a) Science, technology and innovation for Sustainable Cities and Peri-urban Communities	<b>Panel on Science, technology and innovation for Sustainable Cities and Peri-urban Communities</b>  <b>Special Statement:</b> Mr. Mo Fuchun, Representative of the Mayor of Shanghai and Deputy Secretary General, Shanghai Municipal People's Government  <b>Moderator:</b> Mr. Banji Oyelaran-Oyeyinka, Director, Monitoring and Research Division, UN-HABITAT and Professorial Fellow, UNU-MERIT  <b>Presentations by:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Ms. Shipra Narang Suri, Vice President, ISOCARP</li><li>■ Mr. Rick Robinson, Executive Architect, Smarter Cities, IBM</li></ul> General discussion
15:00-17:00	(b) Internet Broadband for an Inclusive Digital Society	<b>Panel on Internet Broadband for an Inclusive Digital Society</b>  <b>Moderator:</b> Mr. Darrell E. Owen, Senior ICT Consultant, Broadband Initiative, United States Agency for International Development (USAID)  <b>Presentations by:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Mr. Sergio Bertolucci, Director of Research and Scientific Computing, CERN</li></ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Mr. Ahmed Eisa, Chairman, Gedaref Digital City Organization, Sudan</li> </ul> <p>General discussion</p>
<b>17:00-17:30</b>	ECOSOC Annual Ministerial Review	<b>Briefing by the Chair of the CSTD on the ECOSOC Annual Ministerial Review Process</b>
<b>17:30-18:00</b>	Informal Consultations	<b>Breakout into Regional Groups - Informal consultations on draft resolution(s)</b>

### Thursday, 6 June

<b>10:00-13:00</b>	<i>Informal Consultations</i>	<b>Informal consultations on draft proposals including:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Priority themes of the 17th session of the CSTD</li> <li>■ Key issues to be addressed in the post-2015 global development agenda</li> </ul>
<b>15:00-18:00</b>		<b>Informal consultations on draft proposals - continued</b>

### Friday, 7 June

<b>10:00-13:00</b>	<b>Item 5</b>	<b>Election of the Chair and other officers for the seventeenth session of the Commission</b>
	<b>Item 6</b>	<b>Provisional agenda and documentation for the seventeenth session of the Commission</b> <i>Informal consultations on draft proposals continue in parallel (as required)</i> <i>Action on draft proposals</i>
<b>15:00-18:00</b>	<b>Item 7</b>	<b>Adoption of the report of the Commission on its sixteenth session</b> <i>Adoption of the draft provisional agenda of the seventeenth session</i> <i>Adoption of the draft report of the sixteenth session</i>  <i>Closure of the session</i>