VIRTUAL MEETING

Conference on Technology Scouting and Deployment for Sustainable Development

Theme: "Scaling Up Technology Deployment: Harnessing Technology in the Age of Covid and Beyond, for the Sustainable Development Goals for Asia"[1]

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Virtual Meeting, November 10 and 12, 2020

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

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[1] Further Information of the Conference and Registration are provided in the Annex following the agenda

Tuesday, November 10, 2020 – Day1

Registration required at https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7950211649472635918

Note: All Times are in Central European Time. The equivalent time in the participants' time zone are as follows:

Afghanistan & Islamic Republic of Iran - 8:30AM;
Pakistan & Maldives 9:00AM;
India & Sri Lanka -9:30AM;
Nepal -9:45AM;
Bangladesh & Bhutan - 10:00AM;
Myanmar - 10:30AM;
Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Thailand and Viet Nam 11:00AM;
Brunei Darussalam, Malaysia, Mongolia, Singapore & Philippines - 12:00PM

4.30 – 5.00	Opening of WebEx Conference Platform (to enable participant testing and registration)	
5.00 – 5.10	**Opening Remarks**	
		Mr. Mario Matus, Deputy Director General, Development Sector, WIPO
5.10 – 5.20	**Introductions**	**Context, Background and Expectations**
	Presenter:	Mr. Andrew Michael Ong, Director, Regional Bureau for Asia and the Pacific, WIPO
5.20 – 5.25	**Segment 1**	**Introduction to Technology Scouting**
	Presenter:	Mr. Alfred Watkins, Chairman, Global Solutions Summit, USA
5.25 – 6.15	**Segment 2**	**Technology Scouting Presentations**
	Facilitator:	Mr. Alfred Watkins
	Presenters:	Ms. Theresa Kotanchek CEO, Evolved Analytics, USA
		Ms. Leena Pishe Thomas CEO, Global Business Inroads (Global Project Management), India
		Mr. Cung Vu International Consultant, (for emerging technologies for rural communities), USA
6.15 – 6.45	**Segment 3**	**Panel Discussion and Q&A from Audience**
	Facilitator:	Mr. Alfred Watkins
	Discussants:	Ms. Theresa Kotanchek
		Ms. Leena Pishe Thomas
		Mr. Cung Vu

6:45 – 7:00   **Synthesis (Day 1)**

                         Presenters: Mr. Alfred Watkins
                                            Mr. Andrew Michael Ong

7.00   End of Day 1 Panel

Thursday, November 12, 2020 - Day 2
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5.00 – 6.00   **Segment 1**   **Technology Deployment Presentations**

                         Presenters: Mr. Alfred Watkins

                                            Mr. Christopher Tan
                                            International Consultant (for Transformation Interventions), Malaysia

                                            Mr. Randy Welsch
                                            Impact Investor, Co-Founder, Jibu, USA

6.00 – 6.30   **Segment 2**   **WIPO Programs and Platforms**

                         Presenters: Ms. Marion Dietterrich, Director, Global Challenges Division, WIPO (tbc)

6.30 – 7:00   **Segment 3**   **Panel Discussion and Q&A**

                         Facilitator: Mr. Andrew Michael Ong
                         Discussants: Mr. Alfred Watkins
                                            Mr. Christopher Tan
                                          Mr. Randy Welsch

7:00 – 7.15   **Synthesis, View Forward & Mechanics for Stakeholder Engagement**

                         Facilitators: Mr. Alfred Watkins
                                            Mr. Andrew Michael Ong

7.00   End of Day 2 Panel