



Informal Discussion and Information Sharing Session on

Public-Private Partnerships for Sustainable Development: Fostering the Information Society to support the implementation of Agenda 2030



*Presented by the Permanent Mission of Latvia to the United Nations,
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Wednesday, 20 July, 1:15-2:40 PM
Conference Room F

1:15-1:20	Introductions	All participants
1:25-1:40	Welcoming Remarks	H.E. Mohamed Khaled Khiari, Ambassador & Permanent Representative of Tunisia to the United Nations H.E. Jānis Mažeiks Ambassador & Permanent Representative of Latvia to the United Nations
1:40-2:10	Presentations by the Private Sector	Peter Pitsch, Intel Paul Mitchell, Microsoft Hiba Hussein, Google Ligia Leon, AT&T
2:10-2:30	Open Discussion and Q&A	All participants Moderated by Ryan Johnson, Access Partnership
2:30-2:40	Concluding Remarks	H.E. Mohamed Khaled Khiari, Ambassador & Permanent Representative of Tunisia to the United Nations H.E. Jānis Mažeiks Ambassador & Permanent Representative of Latvia to the United Nations



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About this event:

As the United Nations High Level Political Forum convenes to follow-up on and review the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), ICT4D features prominently in the review. The aim of this session will be to bring together a diverse group of delegates from Member States to learn about ICT4D initiatives underway around the world, identify how governments and business have successfully deployed ICT4D, and discuss ongoing challenges. Business representatives will present their perspectives and be available to answer questions. The session will also consider the UN General Assembly's role and how ICT4D can be usefully considered within the context of achieving the SDGs.

