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50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION PROGRAMME

- 10:00 - 11:15 Ceremony of celebration
- Keynote Speeches:
- Mr. Yoshio Utsumi (ITU Secretary-General)
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- Mr. Laurent Moutinot (Conseiller d'Etat, Geneva Canton)
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- Mr. Aharon Amit (General Secretary, IEC)
- Mr. Boris Antonyuk (Vice-Minister of Telecommunications, Russian Federation)
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- Message from Mr. Moritz Leuenberger (President, Swiss Confederation) read by
H.E. Mr. Blaise Godet (Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Switzerland)
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- Mr. Norio Wada (CEO, NTT)
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- Mr. Xunsheng Zuo (CEO, CNC)
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- Mr. Houlin Zhao (Director, ITU Telecommunication Standardization Bureau)
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- 12:00 - 14:00 Lunch Break
- 14:00 - 18:00 Executive Round Tables:
The overarching theme of the Executive Round Tables will be 'The Future of
Telecommunication & ICT: Strategy, Leadership and Standards'
- 14:00 - 15:45 Executive Round Table I
- 14:00 - 14:10 Introduction of Executive Round Tables and Panelists I:
Reza Jafari (Moderator and Chairman)

- 14:10 - 15:00 Presentations - Executive Round Table Panelists I
-  Dr. [Yasuhiko Ito](#)
 -  Mr. [Jean Yves Léonnec](#)
 -  Mr. [Thorsten Heins](#)
 -  Mr. [Fernando Fournon](#)
 -  Mr. [Alfred Bissegger](#)
 -  Mr. [Dmitry Erokhin](#)
 -  Mr. [Art Reilly](#)
- 15:00 - 15:20 Discussions: Moderator & Panelists
- 15:20 - 15:35 Q&A: Audience
- 15:35 - 15:45 Summary of Round table I: Reza Jafari (Moderator and Chairman)
- 15:45 - 16:15 Coffee break (Sponsored by Cisco Systems)
- 16:15 - 17:55 Executive Round Table II
- 16:15 - 16:20 Introduction Round table panelists II: Reza Jafari (Moderator and Chairman)
- 16:20 - 17:10 Presentations - Executive Round Table Panelists II
-  Mr. [Jong-Lok Yoon](#)
 -  Mr. [Klaus Mense](#)
 -  Mr. [Peter Carbone](#)
 -  Mr. [Olivier Baujard](#)
 -  Dr. [Horst Lennertz](#)
 -  Mr. [Enrico Bagnasco](#)
 -  Mr. [Keith Dickerson](#)

Message from Mr. Keith Cambron, President of AT&T Labs:

“As a Founding Member of the CCITT in 1956, AT&T shared the vision of others for a new global standards body. AT&T is especially pleased to congratulate the ITU-T on its 50th anniversary. In these 50 years, AT&T has been an active contributor to many CCITT and ITU-T Recommendations. While AT&T and the industry have seen many changes during this time, the global recognition of the work of the CCITT and the ITU-T has remained constant. Accordingly, AT&T continues its active role in the ITU-T today, and looks forward to the continued global success of the ITU-T in the years to come.”

- 17:10 - 17:30 Discussions: Moderator & Panelists
- 17:30 - 17:45 Q&A: Audience
- 17:45 - 17:55 Summary of Round table II: Reza Jafari (Moderator and Chairman)
- 17:55 - 18:00 Closing: Houlin Zhao (TSB Director)
- 18:00 - 19:30 Reception (Invited by NTT)

 [Speakers Biographies can be downloaded here](#)