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Subject: **AI for Good Global Summit**
(15 – 17 May 2018, Geneva, Switzerland)

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is my pleasure to invite you to attend the second edition of the Artificial Intelligence for Good Global Summit, which will take place from 15 to 17 May 2018 at the headquarters of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) in Geneva, Switzerland. The event is organized by ITU in partnership with XPRIZE Foundation, ACM (Association for Computing Machinery) and sister UN agencies.

The aim of the 2018 summit is to identify practical applications of AI with the potential to accelerate progress towards the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals. The summit will continue to formulate strategies to ensure trusted, safe and inclusive development of AI technologies and equitable access to their benefits. While the 2017 summit sparked the first ever-inclusive global dialogue on beneficial AI, the action-oriented 2018 summit will focus on impactful AI solutions able to yield long-term benefits. Information relating to the event, including the programme and registration is available on the event's website at: <http://itu.int/go/Alforgood2018>.

Participation in the event will be free of charge, however seats are limited. Registration will be carried out exclusively online. Due to the high demand for this event, we highly recommend that you register early, taking into account that requests will be reviewed on a first come, first serve basis, with priority being given to ITU members, invited experts and special guests of partner organizations. For those not being able to attend in person, webcast will be provided throughout the event.

Sponsorship is open to members and interested companies. Sponsoring this event would be an excellent opportunity to position your country or organization as an AI leader on the global policy stage.

For additional information and questions relating to the AI for Good Global Summit, please contact ai@itu.int.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed)

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Secretary-General