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| **Summary**This document provides information about the WSIS Trust Fund 2021 and 2022.**Action required**Members are invited to note the information provided in the document.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**References**All related information is available at the dedicated website: <https://www.itu.int/en/itu-wsis/Pages/WSIS-Fund-in-Trust.aspx>* [PP-18 Resolution 140 (Rev. Dubai, 2018)](https://www.itu.int/en/council/cwg-wsis/Documents/Resolution-140-PP18.pdf)
* [Council Resolution 1332 (Modified 2019)](https://www.itu.int/md/S19-CL-C-0137/en)
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**WSIS Trust Fund 2021 and 2022**

The WSIS Trust Fund was established in 2011 with the adoption of Plenipotentiary Conference Resolution 140. Council Resolution 1332, as modified by ITU Council in 2019, takes into account the outcomes of the United Nations General Assembly Overall Review of the Implementation of WSIS Outcomes and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, and resolves to maintain the fund to support ITU activities to facilitate the implementation of WSIS outcomes, calls for partnerships and strategic alliances, and invites the ITU Membership to make voluntary contributions to the fund.

Since its creation, information on the WSIS Trust Fund and stakeholder contributions has been reflected the dedicated website of the WSIS Trust Fund <https://www.itu.int/en/itu-wsis/Pages/WSIS-Fund-in-Trust.aspx>.

Contributors to the WSIS Trust Fund 2021:

* United Arab Emirates – WSIS Forum 2021 Platinum Partner
* Saudi Arabia (Kingdom of) - WSIS Forum 2021 Gold Plus Partner
* Qatar - WSIS Forum 2021 Gold Partner
* Japan - WSIS Forum 2021 Partner for Specific Activities
* The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) - WSIS Forum 2021 Partner for Specific Activities
* Huawei Technologies, Ltd. - WSIS Forum 2021 Partner for Specific Activities
* Rwanda (Republic of) - Contributing Partner
* Switzerland (Confederation of) - Contributing Partner
* Internet Society (ISOC) - Contributing Partner
* International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP) - Supporting Partner
* Global Coalition on Aging (GCOA) - Supporting Partner

All ITU membership and other stakeholders are encouraged to contribute to the WSIS Trust Fund for the year 2022, and all stakeholders are invited to partner with the WSIS Forum 2022. The WSIS Forum 2022 partnership packages in six UN languages will be available here: <https://www.itu.int/en/itu-wsis/Pages/WSIS-Fund-in-Trust.aspx>.

WSIS Forum 2022 Partnership Opportunities:

* Strategic Partner (Platinum): 150,000 CHF
* Strategic Partner (Gold Plus): 100,000 CHF
* Strategic Partner (Gold): 65,000 CHF
* Partner - Specific Activities: 30,000 CHF
* Partner - Contributing: 15,000 CHF
* Partner - Supporting: contact: wsis-info@itu.int

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