

## Telecommunication Development Bureau (BDT)

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Administrations of ITU Member States, Regulators, Sector Members, Academia in Asia and the Pacific

Subject:

4<sup>th</sup> Annual Asia-Pacific Spectrum Management Conference, 17 – 19 July 2018 Bangkok, Thailand

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite your organization to participate in the "4<sup>th</sup> Annual Asia-Pacific Spectrum Management Conference, supporting ITU Asia-Pacific Regional Initiative on Spectrum Management" to be held in Bangkok Marriott Sukhumvit hotel, Bangkok-Thailand, from 17 to 19 July 2018.

The event is supported by Forum Global and aims to bring together senior level staff from policy makers, regulators, Industry and academia for discussions on key spectrum maangement issues including but not limited to:

- Spectrum for IoT and Industry 4.0
- Enabling efficint spectrum Management for IMT-Advanced spectrum
- Meeting the IMT-2020 spectrum requirements of today and in future
- WRC-19 regional plans and preparations
- Economic issues related to Spectrum
- Delivering the digital economy through development national connectivity plans.

The draft program is attached (Annex 1) for your information and further details including registration etc. may be accessed through the event webpage at: <a href="http://www.itu.int/go/ASMC-18">http://www.itu.int/go/ASMC-18</a>.

ITU is pleased to provide **one fellowship** for each eligible country, subject to availability of funds, with preference to those related applicants would be able to share the national Spectrum Management practices during the conference. Applicants requesting fellowships are required to submit their fellowship request forms (attached as Annex-2) duly signed by their respective Administrations together with their registration form no later than **6**<sup>th</sup> **June 2018**.

For any further information you can contact the focal points Mr. Aamir Riaz (<u>Aamir.riaz@itu.int</u>) from ITU or Ms. Lula Howard (<u>Iula.howard@forum-global.com</u>) representing Forum Global.

I look forward to your active participation in the course.

Yours faithfully,

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Enc. Annexures 1 (Draft Program), 2 (Fellowship Application)