

Regional dialogue "Venture Day"

24 June, 2021, Zoom platform

PROGRAMME

24 June 2021, Thursday (GMT+5)	
12:45-13:00	Opening of the virtual room
13:00-13:10	 Opening remarks: Natalia Mochu Regional Director, Regional Office for CIS International Telecommunication Union (ITU) Farhod Ibragimov, Director, IT Park of Uzbekistan
13:10 - 13:20	Prospects for cooperation within the Startup Central Eurasia platform - Irakli Kashibadze, ITU Expert, Coordinator of Startup Central Eurasia Platform, CEO Future Laboratory
13:20-14:40	Development of startup ecosystems During the session, representatives of the countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus will make 10-minute presentations on startup ecosystems. Farhod Ibragimov, Director, IT Park of Uzbekistan Zaur Yunsizade, Project Coordinator, Innovation Agency, Azerbaijan David Ivanyan, Ministry of High-Tech Industry, Armenia Sikhaev Marlene, Deputy Chairman of the Board Zerde, Kazakhstan
	 Absamet Abay, Managing Director, Astana Hub, Kazakhstan Pavel Koktyshev, CEO, Fintech, Kazakhstan Zhoodarbek Zhumabaev, Executive Director, State Intellectual Property Fund, Kyrgyzstan Aziz Abakirov, Hi-Tech Park, Kyrgyzstan Vitaly Shamaev, Business incubator, Tajikistan Fatima Mamedova, Akylly Tilsimat, Turkmenistan
14:30-16:30	Startup projects implemented in the countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus The session will present successful start-up projects implemented in the countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus (4-minute presentations in English (pitches), no more than three start-up projects from each country). 1. Azerbaijan 2. Armenia 3. Georgia 4. Kazakhstan 5. Kyrgyzstan 6. Tajikistan 7. Turkmenistan 8. Uzbekistan
16:30-16:40	Closing and Q&A