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Fast-forward progress

Leveraging tech to achieve the global goals



Exclusive Launch of a new UN Report, coordinated by ITU, looks at how we can use tech to fast-forward progress in achieving the SDGs

As the UN specialized agency for Information Communication Technologies (ICTs), the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) is proud to present to you the report "**Fast-forward progress: Leveraging tech to achieve the global goals**".

How can new technologies accelerate progress towards realizing the Global Goals? What is needed to harness the power of information and communication technologies to ensure that the benefits of e-agriculture, e-health or e-education are achieved in a fully inclusive manner?

The answers to these and many other related questions will be explored and discussed in a new report to be launched during a special side event at the HLPF on 13 July 2017, 18h15 to 19h30; Conference Room7 at UN Headquarters, New York

The report, which is introduced by UN Secretary General António Guterres, brings together a series of thought pieces from numerous heads of UN agencies and other international organization to provide insights into how ICTs can catalyze achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The full report can be accessed online at www.itu.int/ict4sdg and please join the conversation on Twitter at **#ICT4SDG**

The world needs the SDGs and the SDGs need ICTs.

