# High-level Policy Dialogues on Digital Transformation

2-6 pm, 9 November 2022 (UTC+9)
Vivace Room, InterContinental Seoul COEX Hotel
Seoul, Republic of Korea

## Asia Pacific Digital Transformation Forum: High-level Policy Dialogues on ‘Our Digital Future’

- This Forum will provide a venue for high-level policymakers from governments, UN agencies, IT enterprises, NGOs and donor agencies to share insightful visions and initiatives towards our common digital future, through presentations and Q&A sessions featuring major public and private ICT/Tech companies in the Asia-Pacific region.

- This forum will be conducted in a closed & small-sized meeting for active discussions by minister-level officials and heads of organizations.

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| 14:00-14:10 | **Session 1: Opening Session**  
  ✓ Moderator: Mr. Tae Hyung KIM, Chief of ICT and Development Section, ICT and DRR Division, ESCAP  
  • Opening statement by Dr. Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and Executive Secretary of United Nations ESCAP (5min) |
| 14:10-14:20 | **Session 2: Digital Cooperation for Our Common Digital Future in the Asia Pacific Region**  
  • Presentation by Ms. Tiziana Bonapace, Director of ICT and DRR Division, ESCAP (10 minutes)  
  • Mr. Ryu, MSIT |
| 14:25-17:25 | **Session 3: High-level Policy Dialogues on Digital Transformation and Business Opportunities** (15 minutes each) |
The session aims to conduct intellectual and direct discussions and debates on the below issues, not limited.

- What will our digital future look like?
- What should we do to build a sound and inclusive digital society?
- How could we strengthen our digital cooperation?

1. **Mobile-centric generation beyond (keywords: mobile evolution, core technical enabler, and other foundational components)**
   - Mr. Daniel Ahn, Executive Vice President, Head of Center/Mobile Platform Center, Samsung Electronics

2. **Digital Trust and Prosperity: Enabling Digital Transformation Through the Cloud** (keywords: Cloud services, digital trust, digital prosperity, emerging technology, digital inclusion)
   - by Ms. Annabel Lee, Vice President, Amazon Web Services, Singapore

3. **KT, DX (Digital Transformation) Partner** (keywords: Digico KT, DX Enabler & Partner, and Leading the Era of DX with Partnership)
   - by Mr. Oryung Kwon, Head of Group Strategic Partnership Office, KT

### Q&A

4. **Win-Win Logistics Ecosystem Created by Coupang in Korea** (keywords: Driving SME’s business growth)
   - by Ms. Yoon, Hae Young (Helen), Vice President in Retail Business, Coupang

5. **GSMA’s APAC operations and performance across technology, advocacy and mobile for development programs**
   - by Mr. Julian Gorman, Primary Executive for all GSMA’s APAC operations, GSMA

6. **Connecting Humans, Information, and Spaces** (keywords: Digital twin, AI & Cloud systems and digital services)
   - by Ms. Jiyoun Son, Head of Government Affairs, Naver Corporation

### Q&A

7. **Digital Transformation through Data Infrastructure and Cooperation**
   - by Mr. Dmitriy Mun, Head of Smart Data Ukimet Project and Mr. Ruslan Assaubaev, Partner at Sergek, Kazakhstan

8. **USA,**
   - Mr. David Jea, Deputy Director for Multilateral Affairs, the U.S. State Department

9. **The Philippines**
   - Mr. Philip Varilla, Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs and
### Session 4: Closing remarks

- Ms. Tiziana Bonapace, Director of ICT and DRR Division, ESCAP

### 17:30 - 18:00

- **Bilateral Meetings / Break**

### 18:00 - 20:30

- **Closed dinner** (by invitation only)
  - Hosted by Dr. Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and Executive Secretary of United Nations ESCAP (5min)
  - Minister-level officials & Heads of UN Agencies, IT companies, Donor agencies, NGOs
  * Venue: Jupiter Room, 30F, InterContinental Seoul COEX hotel

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