Joint ESCAP-UIC Capacity Building Workshop on Accelerating Rail Digital Transformation for countries in North and Central Asia
3 November 2022
Hybrid (in person in Baku, Azerbaijan)
(1030 hrs. to 1630 hrs. Baku Time)
(0830 hrs. to 1430 hrs. Paris Time)

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

1030-1050 hrs. (Baku Time) 0830-0850 hrs. (Paris time)	Opening Session • ESCAP • UIC
1050-1110 hrs. 0850-0910 hrs.	• Keynote address Azerbaijan Railways (tbc)
1110-1130 hrs. 0915-0930 hrs.	• Rail digitalization in ESCAP region challenges and way forward *Presentation by ESCAP*
1130-1200 hrs. 0930-1000 hrs.	• E-learning material on rail digital transformation- an introduction *Presentation by UIC*
1200-1230 hrs. 1000-1030 hrs.	• Freight digitalization focus on CIS *Presentation by UIC*
1230-1330 hrs. **1030- 1130 hrs.**	**Lunch Break**
1330-1400 hrs. 1130-1200 hrs.	• Digitalization of railways in countries of North and Central Asia- some issues *Presentation by Ekaterina Kozyreva* *President IEC international*
1400-1500 hrs. 1200-1300 hrs.	• State of rail digitalization including priorities and challenges *Presentation/Intervention by countries in North and Central Asia Member States*
1500-1520 hrs.	• Digital twin for optimal decision making

1300-1320 hrs.	*Presentation by Dassault Systems*
1520-1540 hrs. 1320-1340 hrs.	• Cyber security issues in Rail for countries in North and Central Asia – challenges and way forward *Presentation by UIC expert (tbc)*
1540-1605 hrs. 1340-1405 hrs.	• Digital rail border crossing *Presentation by UN ESCAP*
1605-1630 hrs. **1405-1430 hrs.**	**Conclusions and recommendations (UIC/UNESCAP)**