



# TURKMENISTAN ICT CONFERENCE 2023

9–10 November  
Ashgabat



## Day 1 Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> November 2023

10.00 Opening of TurkmenTEL 2023 Exhibition and VIP tour

12:00 Conference Registration

13.00 Welcome Networking Coffee Break

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### 14.00 Plenary Session 1 | Digital transformation: International dialogue & collaboration

Welcome: Welcome Address from the President of Turkmenistan **Serdar Berdymukhamedov**  
read by: **Mammethan Chakyyev**, General Director, Transport & Communication Agency,  
Cabinet of Ministers of Turkmenistan

Moderator: **Julia Romanenko**, Conference Director, TurkmenTEL 2023

Keynote: **Hajmyrat Hudaygulyyev**, Chairman, Turkmenistan Communication Agency – Türkmenaragatnaşyk

Speakers: **Welcome Video Message: Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana**, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations and  
Executive Secretary, ESCAP (UN)

**Welcome Video Message: Doreen Bogdan-Martin**, ITU Secretary-General

**Konstantin Shulgan**, Minister, Communication & Informatisation, Belarus

**Natalia Mochu**, Regional Director, Regional Office for CIS countries, International Telecommunication Union

**Nurudin Mukhitdinov**, Director General, Regional Commonwealth in the Field of Communications (RCC)

**Shi Zhenyu**, President, Middle East & Central Asia Enterprise Business, Huawei

**Welcome Video Message: Rolf Werner**, Senior Vice-President Europe, Nokia

*Topic: Delivering the Smart City Metaverse*

15:30 Networking Coffee Break

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### 16.15 Session 2 | Digital transformation: Cyber Security

Session Host:  Soteryan

Moderator: **Patrick Hart**, Co-founder and CEO, Soteryan

Speakers: **Hojamuhammet Annamuhammedov**, Head, State Cybersecurity Service, Türkmenaragatnaşyk

**Olimjon Mirzaev**, Director, Cybersecurity Center of the Republic of Uzbekistan

**Major-General Allahveran Ismayilov**, Deputy Head of State Service of Special Communication and Information  
Security of the Republic of Azerbaijan

*Topic: Cyber Security Solutions in Azerbaijan*

**Olzhas Satiyev**, CEO, TSARKA

*Topic: How public-private partnerships help build security in the country*

**Yakup Borekcioglu**, Vice President, Vertical Sales, Government & BFSI – AMEA, Trend Micro

**Ivo Lansky**, Senior Director, IP Business Central & East Europe, Türkiye, Central Asia, Nokia

*Topic: IP Trends in Digitalization, Internet, Big Data Analytics and Security*

**Artur Khashimov**, Regional Business Development Manager, Huawei

*Topic: Data Center*

**Anosh Thakkar**, Co-Founder and CTO/COO, Soteryan

*Topic: Architecting for cyber resilience with Breach Intelligence*

18:00 End of Day 1

19.30 Official Conference Gala Reception

## Day 2 Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023

08:00 Welcome Networking Coffee Break

Introduction: **Julia Romanenko**, Conference Director, TurkmenTEL 2023

### 09.30 Session 3 | The future of communications

Session Host:  Eastwind

Moderator: **Mikhail Anisimov**, Global Stakeholder Engagement Sr. Manager, Eastern Europe & Central Asia, Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN)

Speakers: **Khodzhaniyaz Avganov**, General Director, Turkmen Telecom

**Atesh Rzayev**, CTO, Delta Telecom

*Topic: We must accelerate the development of telecommunications for our better technological future*

**Cengiz Karabalik**, General Manager, NEC MENA

*Topic: NEC Smart City and Digitization*

**Roman Vasilyev**, Chief Commercial Officer, Eastwind

*Topic: A Strategic Approach to Effective Data Management in Telecom. The Path to Data Governance.*

**Yusup Kerimov**, General Director, Ashgabat City Telephone Network

**Levent Koksoy**, Leading expert, Mobile Networks, Türkiye & Central Asia, Nokia

*Topic: 6G & 5G - Advanced on the road to 6G*

**Dmitry Zavel'skiy**, Sales Engineer, Juniper Networks

*Topic: Juniper Networks solutions overview*

11:15 Networking Coffee Break

### 11.45 Session 4 | Satellite technologies, applications & services as sustainable economic drivers

Moderator: **Mesut Ciceker**, Chief Commercial Officer, MonacoSat

Hosted by:  SSI SPACE SYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL MONACO

Speakers: **Batyr Orazdurdiyev**, Director, Turkmen Hemrasy

**Ahmet Eren**, Sales Director MENA & Central Asia Eutelsat Group

*Topic: World's First GEO LEO Satellite Operator*

**Dr. Georg Schöne**, CEO, LS telcom AG

*Topic: The Future of Management and Control of the Radio Frequency Spectrum*

*5g coordination for Turkmenistan based on experiences from other regions*

**Mesut Ciceker**, Chief Commercial Officer, MonacoSat



12:30 – 14.30 Lunch

### 14:30 Session 5 | Special Focus Digitalisation Strategies - Building sustainable, ethical, inclusive, digital societies.

Moderator: **Aida Karazhanova**, Economic Affairs Officer, ICT and Disaster Risk Reduction Division, ESCAP (UN)

**Tomica Paovic**, UNDP Deputy resident representative in Turkmenistan

**Igor Ovcharenko**, Chief Innovation Officer, Innovation Digital Development Agency of Azerbaijan

*Topic: Building a Healthy Innovation Ecosystem in Azerbaijan*

**Khalil Alakbarov**, Member of Supervisory Board, Techpro DC

**Nijat Talybov**, Commercial Director International markets, Techpro DC

**Anatoly Motkin**, President, Strategeast

*Topic: The Billion in the Distance: Central Asian IT Exports and Strategies for Growing Them*

**Aida Karazhanova**, Economic Affairs Officer, ICT and Disaster Risk Reduction Division, ESCAP (UN)

*Topic: Digital Inclusion and Transformation*

15:00 – 18.00 Official pre-arranged meetings programme

18:00 End of Conference