



**Telecommunication Development Bureau (BDT)
Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific**

Ref.: BDT/ROASP/2017-068

Bangkok, 3 May 2017

Administrations of ITU Member States,
Regulators, Sector Members,
Academia in the Asia-Pacific Region

Subject: **ITU Asia-Pacific Centre of Excellence Programme on " Internet of Things: Technology, Standards and Planning" 8-11 July 2017, Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran"**

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite your organization to participate in **ITU Asia-Pacific Centre of Excellence (ITU ASP CoE) Programme on "Internet of Things: Technology, Standards and Planning"** to be conducted from **8 to 11 July 2017**. This training is organized jointly by the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), the Faculty of ICT, Ministry of ICT (I.R. Iran) and the China Academy of ICT under the auspices of the ITU ASP COE. The training will be delivered in English in Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran.

This program aims

- To provide an overview on the ICT ecosystem and enabling environment to foster Internet of Things (including technology, standards, cross-sectoral policy and regulatory frameworks, and applications) deployments
- To provide an understanding of the technologies and the standards relating to the Internet of Things
- To develop skills on IoT technical planning.

Detailed information on this training is described in the training outline (Annex 1), which can also be downloaded from the ITU Academy Portal at <http://academy.itu.int/> and <http://www.itu.int/itu-d/asp>. This training is targeted at managers, engineers and technical staff from regulators, policy makers, telecom operators and academia, who are interested in IoT planning. Registration for this program should be made by completing the attached registration form (Annex 2) no later than **9 June 2017**. The training is available free of charge on this occasion with the kind support of the Faculty of ICT - Ministry of ICT (I.R. Iran) and the CAICT.

Mr. Ashish Narayan (ashish.narayan@itu.int) from the ITU and Mr. Hassan Pashaeizad (pashaei@ictfaculty.ir and pashaey@gmail.com) remain at your full disposal should you require any information. Those participants requiring an entry visa are requested to contact their local Embassy of I.R. Iran for information well in advance. The logistics and details of the event will be available at the aforementioned websites.

I look forward to your active participation in the course.

Yours sincerely,

Ioane Koroivuki
Regional Director