

Agenda Sri Lanka Broadband Forum

2017-09-12
Galle Face Hotel

Co-organizers:
Ministry of Telecommunication and Digital Infrastructure
and
Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:45 - 9:15 am	Registration & Visit to Demo Area	
9:15 - 9:20 am	Welcome and Opening Speech	Mr. Wasantha Deshapriya, Secretary, MTDI
9:20 - 9:40 am	Communication Change People's Life	Mr. Michael Macdonald, CTO of SEA Region, Huawei
Sri Lanka broadband policy discussion		
9:40 - 10:05 am	Elements of Effective Broadband Policy; Based on Regional Experience,	Mr. Prof Rohan Samarajiva, Chairman of LIRNEasia.
10:05 – 10:35 am	Sri Lanka Broadband Survey Report: Introduce the survey report of Sri Lanka user behavior and demand	Ms. Therica Miyanadeniya, Director of Emerging Verticals and Qualitative Research, Nielsen, Sri Lanka
10:35 - 10:50 am	Arrival Hon Minister Harin Fernando and lighting of Oil Lamp	
10:50 - 11:05 am	National Broadband and 2020 Vision	Hon. Harin Fernando, Minister of MTDI
11:05 - 11:15 am	Contribution towards Digital Sri Lanka	HE. Yi Xianliang, Chinese Ambassador to Sri Lanka
11:20 – 11:40 am	Tea Break + Demo Area Visit	
11:40 - 12:05 pm	Asia Pacific Broadband Achievements and Successful Practices; Introduction to ITU connect 2020 vision, master plan and industry policies of each country;	Mr. Sameer Sharma, Senior Advisor of ITU Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific
12:05 - 12:25 pm	Smart Ways to the Digital Society - Industry Insight and Global Best Practices	Mr. Bill Lan, Chief NBN Strategist, Huawei
12:25 – 13:15 pm	Panel Discussion: Open Roads to A Better Connected Sri Lanka by "Infrastructure sharing" and Industry Collaboration. Moderator: Mr. Fayaz Hudah, Former Program Head of ICTA Panelist: MTDI, SLT, Dialog, UDA	
13:15 – 14:15 pm	Lunch	
Digital Society		
14:15 - 14:35 pm	Secure Living in Connected	Mr. David Webber, Global Public

	Metropolitan	Safety Expert
14:35 – 13:00 pm	eGovernment and Broadband	Dr Kanishka Karunasena, Programme Head, ICTA
13:00 - 13:25 pm	How the Critical Segment to Digitize to Ease the Functioning	Mr. Wasantha Weerakoon Chief Operation Officer, Tech One Global (Pvt) Ltd.
13:25 – 13:50	Enable Digital Era with Mobile Money	Mr. Xu Weixing, Vice President of Marketing & Solution Sales Dept, Southeast Asia Region, Huawei
15:30 – 15:40 pm	Closing Remarks	Mr. Waruna Sri Dhanapala Senior Assistant Secretary (ICT4D), MTDI
15:40 – 16:00 pm	Tea	

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