



**CTU ICT Week 2024 - St. Kitts and Nevis**  
**Theme: *Bridging Technologies for a Sustainable and Inclusive Future***  
**22nd Caribbean Ministerial Strategic ICT Seminar**

**St. Kitts Marriott, St. Kitts**  
**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

**Provisional Agenda**

Time	Item	Presenter
10:00	National Anthem	
10:03	Invocation	
10:05	Welcome and Introductory Remarks	<b>Mr. Rodney Taylor</b> Secretary-General, CTU
10:10	<b>Keynote Address:</b>	<b>Mrs. Doreen Bogdan-Martin</b> Secretary-General, ITU
10:20	<b>Feature Address:</b>	<b>Hon. Dickon Mitchell</b> Prime Minister, Grenada
10:30	<b>Coffee Break and Group Photo</b>	
11:00	<b>Panel Discussion:</b> Emerging Technology Trends - 6G and Beyond  Q&A	<b>Moderator: Mr. Nigel Cassimire</b> Deputy Secretary-General, CTU  <b>Mr. Javier Zarate Hernandez</b> LATAM Wireless Solutions Executive Huawei  <b>Ms. Natalia Vicente</b> VP Public Affairs Global Satellite Operators Association (GSOA)  <b>Ms. Eve Riboud</b> Director General Dauphin Telecom
11:35	<b>Presentation:</b> Next Generation Networks for Enhancing Caribbean Connectivity	<b>Mr. Zlatko Zahirovic</b> Founder and Chief Technology Officer (CTO) Paradise Mobile
11:50	<b>Panel Discussion:</b> A Regional Approach to Adoption of Cloud in Government: Benefits and Challenges  Q&A	<b>Moderator: Mr. Rodney Taylor, CTU</b> <b>Panelists:</b> <b>Mr. Eamonn Sheehy</b> Director, Public Sector Cloud Carib <b>Mr. Giovanni King</b> CEO, Caribbean Data Center Association (CDA) <b>Ms. Diana Cuevas Journey</b> Caribbean Representative Public Sector and Education Google

<b>12:30</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
<b>14:00</b>	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b> Strategies for Bridging the Digital Divide in the Caribbean</p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Rodney Lewis</b> Business Development Specialist, CTU</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Ryan Johnson</b> Senior Director, Global Market Access &amp; Government Affairs Viasat</p> <p><b>Mr. Sebastian Kaplan</b> Vice President, Government Affairs Liberty Latin America</p> <p><b>Mr. Gonzalo de Dios</b> Head Global Licensing for Amazon Project Kuiper, Amazon</p>
<b>14:40</b>	<p><b>Sponsors' Lightning Presentations:</b></p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator: Ms. Nia Nanan,</b> Senior Research Analyst, CTU</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Deborah Galindo</b> Manager Public Policy Central America and the Caribbean, Meta</p> <p><b>Mr. Hector Gutierrez</b> Territory Manager Cloudflare</p> <p><b>Ms. Rebecca Hunter</b> Starlink/SpaceX</p> <p><b>Ms. Gabriela Lago</b> Senior Director, Regulatory Affairs, Echostar</p>
<b>15:40</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>16:00</b>	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b> Data Privacy in an AI-Driven World</p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Marc Girouard</b> Managing Co-Founder - Purpose Partners</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Joel Gooding</b> Fortinet</p> <p><b>Mr. Aaron Joseph Boyd</b> Director Welchman Keen</p> <p><b>Mr. Michael Buckland</b> Head of Digital Identity Technologies Department Cybernetica</p>
<b>16:30</b>	<p>Opportunities and Challenges for Modernization and Digitization of Power Systems within Small Caribbean Economies</p>	<p><b>Dr. Devon Gardener</b> Head Technical Programmes Caribbean Center for Renewable Energy &amp; Energy Efficiency</p>

<p><b>16:45</b></p>	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b> Resiliency in the ICT Sector in the Face of Climate Change</p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Tariq Mohammed</b> ITU Project Officer</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b></p> <p><b>Mr. James Wild</b> Founding Partner &amp; Principal Consultant Cenerva</p> <p><b>Mr. Philip Victor</b> Partner &amp; Managing Director Asia Pacific, Welchman Keen</p> <p><b>Dr. Devon Gardener</b> Head Technical Programmes Caribbean Center for Renewable Energy &amp; Energy Efficiency</p>
<p><b>17:15</b></p>	<p><b>Wrap Up</b></p>	<p><b>Mr. Rodney Taylor, CTU</b></p>
<p><b>Close of 22<sup>nd</sup> Caribbean Ministerial Strategic ICT Seminar</b></p>		