



**Girls in ICT**  
Digital Skills for Life



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## Draft Agenda

Time:	Activity:
09:00hrs – 09:30hrs	Arrival and Registration
09:30hrs – 10:00hrs	Opening ceremony: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Video on Girls in ICT Day celebrations from BDT Director</li><li>▪ Opening Remarks: ITU</li><li>▪ Remarks from the Ethiopian Communications Authority</li><li>▪ Remarks from the Ministry of Innovation and Technology</li><li>▪ Remarks from the African Union</li><li>▪ Remarks from UNECA: Mr. Antonio Pedro, Executive Secretary ai, UNECA</li></ul>
10:00hrs – 10:15hrs	Group Photo
10:15hrs – 10:45 hrs	Tea/ Coffee break
10:45hrs – 12:00 hrs	Panel discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Sharing of experiences from mentors to inspire the young girls on how to develop and strengthen their digital skills.</li></ul>
12:00hrs – 13:00hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Group activities for the girls from schools</li><li>▪ Video on 'Connected African Girls' Coding Camp initiative and the Tech Africa Women Initiative by UNECA</li></ul>
13:00hrs – 14:00 hrs	Joining the global Girls in ICT Day celebrations virtually
14:00hrs – 15:00 hrs	Lunch Break
15:00hrs – 16:00hrs	Discussion on 'Digital Skills for Life': <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Challenges and opportunities</li></ul>
16:00hrs – 17:00hrs	Gender related activities in Ethiopia: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Sharing of experiences on gender related initiatives in Ethiopia, highlighting the role of digital skills to bridge the digital gender divide.</li></ul>
17:00hrs – 17:30hrs	Vote of thanks and Closing