

With 208 days to go, substantial progress has made for WCIT 2010. We would like to mention the following subjects.



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October 2nd Dutch Minister of Trade Mr. Heemskerck had a meeting in The Hague with the Spanish Secretary of State Mr. Ros Peràn in which the cooperation and support of the Spanish Presidency of the European Union for WCIT 2010 was confirmed. Spain has already put WCIT 2010 on their official ICT 2010 EU Presidency calendar. Content-wise the relationship builds on a two-way exchange of information on future IT strategies, best practices and point of views. [Read more >>](#)



Video

To watch the video about the meeting between the Dutch Minister of Trade Mr. Heemskerck and the Spanish Secretary of State Mr. Ros Peràn, please click on the image above.



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New WCIT 2010 partners

So far we have agreements with more than twenty partners, apart from our hosts and the EC. We have welcomed many new partners: ABN AMRO, Intel, Kadaster, Logica, the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport, the Netherlands Forensic Institute, Oracle, SIDN, Unit4Agresso N.V., UPC Netherlands and TNO ICT. The partners have made their choice out of the nine tracks WCIT offers them. Where appropriate crossovers with other tracks will be made. [Read more >>](#)



E-Inclusion

E-Inclusion is the term used within the European Union to encompass activities related to the achievement of an inclusive information society, bringing the benefits of information technology to all segments of society. IT offers many opportunities to advance social participation and to achieve economic progress. It can also help to solve social problems and to contribute to a better life. [Read more >>](#)



Calendar

1 - 3 nov - WITSA's Global Public Policy Summit, Bermuda

9-10 nov - i2010 Presidency Conference in Visby, Sweden

15 - 20 nov - Economic Trade Mission to China

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