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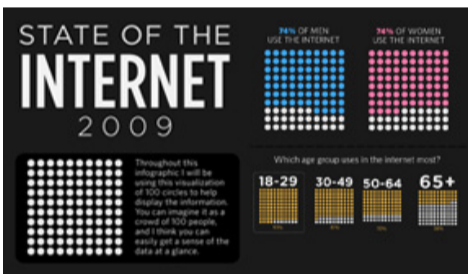
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More public and private eHealth initiatives on an international level

"We should see opportunities in health care as a chance to contribute to economic growth, instead of being a threat to the economy," Track Leader eHealth Marijke van Hees (Health Innovation Platform) emphasizes. "I hope that insight will contribute to more public and private initiatives and working together on this agenda on an international level. The meeting of the delegates at the eHealth Track at WCIT 2010 is a relevant step in further developing this cooperation."

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The State of the Internet

The image in the [blog post](#) gives us an interesting look into the global use of internet.



More IT congresses are organized with support of the Spanish Presidency of the European Union similar to WCIT 2010

ICT for Energy Efficiency

On 23 and 24 February the second edition of the high level event [ICT for Energy Efficiency](#) takes place in Brussels. The congress is organized by the European Commission's Information Society and Media Directorate-General, in cooperation with the Spanish Presidency of the European Union. Main topic is how ICT can contribute to climate goals and which European policy is needed to reach those goals.

World of Health IT Conference & Exhibition

The [World of Health IT Conference & Exhibition \(WoHIT\)](#) will be held in Barcelona on 15 - 18 March in 2010, for the first time alongside the European Union eHealth Ministerial Conference. This multiple event is being organized by the European Commission, HIMSS Europe, the Spanish Ministry of Health and Social Policy, the Government of Catalonia and the TicSalut Foundation, with the aim of creating a high-level European platform for all parties to share the common objective of promoting eHealth in Europe.



Nomination for WITSA Global ICT Excellence Awards

The nomination for the [WITSA Global ICT Excellence Awards](#) is now open. All WITSA members are eligible to nominate candidates for the award in three categories - Public Sector Excellence, Private Sector Excellence and Digital Opportunity. The awards ceremony will take place during the WCIT 2010 exclusive Gala Dinner on 26 May.

WCIT 2010 Partners

[New partners](#) are still joining WCIT 2010. We are proud to present Accenture, Xerox and UNDP as partners of WCIT 2010.



ICTDelta 2010 and WCIT 2010

The [ICTDelta congress](#) will take place on 18 March 2010 in the WTC in Rotterdam. During the day several themes will be discussed which will also be on the WCIT 2010 program. [ICTRegie](#) organizes ICTDelta 2010 and is knowledge partner of WCIT 2010.

WCIT is a bi-annual congress of the World Information Technology and Services Alliance ([WITSA](#)) and an official event of the Spanish Presidency of the European Union. It is organized by [WCIT 2010 BV](#), supported by the [European Commission](#), hosted by [ICT-Office](#), and co-hosted by the [Ministry of Economic Affairs](#) and the [City of Amsterdam](#).



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