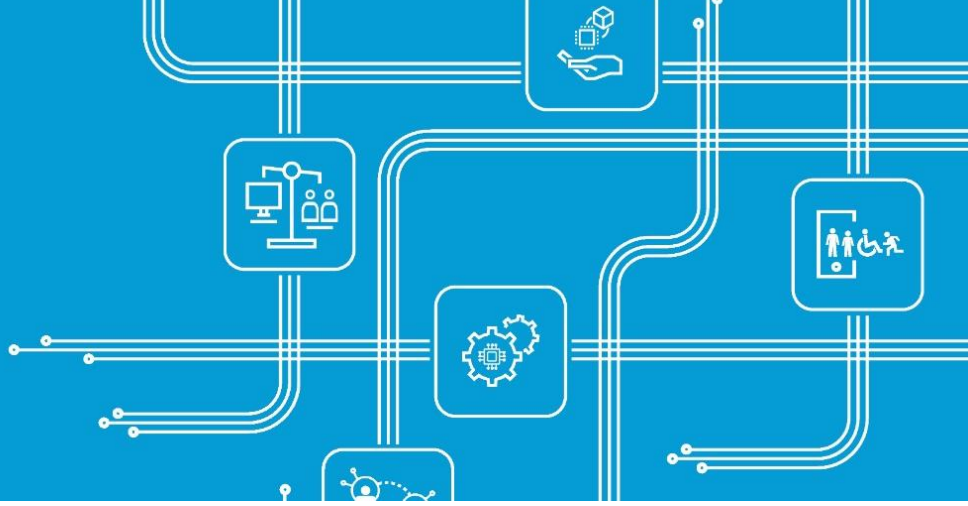


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Connect: Financing Universal Global Connectivity by 2030

H.E. [Sahle-Work Zewde](#), President of Ethiopia
H.E. [Paula Ingabire](#), Minister of ICT & Innovation, on behalf of H.E. Paul Kagame, President of Rwanda
Sir [Tim Berners-Lee](#), Inventor of the World Wide Web, Co-Founder Web Foundation and CTO Inrupt

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[Sheryl Sandberg](#), COO, Facebook Inc.
[Takahito Tokita](#), CEO, Fujitsu Global

[Jayathma Wickramanayake](#), Secretary-General's Envoy on Youth
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Protect the Digital Age: Combatting Cyber threats and Child Online Harms

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H.E. [Takeda Ryota](#), Minister for International Affairs and Communications, Japan, on behalf of H.E. Yoshihide Suga, Prime Minister of Japan

[Sinead Bovell](#), Futurist & Founder, WAYE
Discussion moderated by Samir Saran, President of the Observer Research Foundation (ORF), Chair of CyFu

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Rap Up by inverse K, Technologist & Poet

Closing Remarks by [Fabrizio Hochschild](#), Under-Secretary-General and Special Advisor to the Secretary-General

