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**Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and
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Governing Council

Twenty-first session
Bangkok, 2 September 2026*

Annotated provisional agenda

The present document contains the provisional agenda for the twenty-first session of the Governing Council of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development (sect. I) and the annotations thereto (sect. II).

I. Provisional agenda

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4. Workplan for 2027.
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6. Other matters.
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* On 26 August 2026, in consultation with the members of the Governing Council, the date of the session was changed from 3 to 2 September 2026.

II. Annotations

1. Opening of the session

(a) Election of officers

In accordance with the statute of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development (see Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific resolution 61/6, annex, para. 14), the Governing Council will elect a Chair and a Vice-Chair, who will hold office until the next regular session of the Governing Council.

(b) Adoption of the agenda

Documentation

Annotated provisional agenda (APCICT/GC(21)/1/Rev.1)

Annotation

The Governing Council will consider and adopt the provisional agenda, subject to such changes as may be necessary.

The programme for the session and the list of participants will be made available online in due course.

(c) Opening addresses

The Executive Secretary or the Deputy Executive Secretary will deliver an opening address.

2. Administrative and financial status of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development

Documentation

Administrative and financial status of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development (APCICT/GC(21)/2)

Annotation

The document contains an overview of the Centre's administrative and financial status as of July 2026. The Governing Council may wish to review the information and provide guidance, as appropriate.

3. Work of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development since the twentieth session of the Governing Council

Documentation

Work of the Asian and Pacific Training Centre for Information and Communication Technology for Development since the twentieth session of the Governing Council (APCICT/GC(21)/3)

Annotation

The document contains an overview of the programmes and activities undertaken by the Centre since the twentieth session of the Governing Council, held on 5 November 2025. The Governing Council may wish to review the progress achieved and share national experiences and perspectives to guide the Centre in strengthening its work in the region.

4. Workplan for 2027

The Governing Council will consider the Centre's proposed workplan for 2027. The Governing Council is invited to provide guidance on the Centre's programme of work for the coming year and to offer recommendations on how the Centre can enhance the impact of its capacity-building efforts in the region.

5. Date and venue of the twenty-second session of the Governing Council

The Governing Council is invited to make proposals for the date and venue of its twenty-second session, to be held in 2027.

6. Other matters

The Governing Council may wish to consider other matters brought to its attention.

7. Adoption of the report of the Governing Council on its twenty-first session

The report on the twenty-first session, including the decisions therein, will be prepared by the secretariat and circulated to the Governing Council for comments and adoption after the conclusion of the session. In accordance with the statute of the Centre (see Commission resolution 61/6, annex, para. 15), the adopted report will be submitted to the Commission for its consideration at its eighty-third session, to be held in 2027.
