



TOWARD A SMART CENTURY:
GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS FOR INNOVATIVE
LEARNING AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT

.....| *From Challenges to Opportunities to Solutions* |.....

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Dealing effectively with major contemporary security challenges, including disaster preparedness and humanitarian assistance, requires coalitions of partners that are prepared adequately and able to respond together. A network of people, ideas and processes to make knowledge actionable, the Global Knowledge Networking concept is globally relevant with an initial focus on the Arabian Gulf.

This event consummates a series of strategic dialogues in the United States, Europe and the Middle East that have identified the key challenges and collectively owned opportunities. Conference participants will help co-develop the next generation education and technology opportunities for tomorrow's agile, resilient and effective leaders.



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The United Nations Institute for Training and Research and the Global Challenges Forum Foundation are pleased to co-host the launch of the Global Knowledge Networking initiative in collaboration with the United States Department of Defense

WHEN:

Wednesday, September 16, 2015 through
Thursday, September 17, 2015

WHERE:

Centre International de Conférences Genève,
Rue de Varembe 17, 1211 Genève, Switzerland

REGISTRATION:

Please register at
<https://www.unitar.org/event/node/332526>
at no cost by September 1, 2015

ATTIRE:

Business Casual

REFRESHMENTS:

Coffee and teas will be provided in the morning and a light lunch will be served in the afternoon of both days

TRANSPORTATION:

The Centre is situated 5 kilometres away from the international airport and from the Cornavin main railway station downtown. Taxis are readily available for visitors and good public transportation services

Public transport from Cornavin main railway station:

Bus n°5: Bus stop “Vermont”; Bus n°8:
Bus stop “UIT”; Tramway n°15: Stop “Nations”
Public transport from the international airport:
Bus n°5: Bus stop “Vermont”; Bus n°28: Bus stop
“Nations”

