



Schedule & Programme

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ITI General Assembly Special Edition 2020

Thursday – Tuesday, 10 – 15 December 2020 - online

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ITI General Assembly Special Edition 2020

Schedule (Subject to change.)

ITI General Assembly Special Edition					
Thursday, 10 December to Tuesday, 15 December 2020					
Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
Thursday 10 December	Friday 11 December	Saturday 12 December	Sunday 13 December	Monday 14 December	Tuesday 15 December
Paris, France (GMT +1) 14h00 - 16h00	Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso (GMT +0) 13h00 - 16h00	Dubai, UAE (GMT +4) 17h00 - 20h00	Shanghai Time (GMT+8) 21h00 - 00h00	Paris, France (GMT+1) 14h00 - 17h00	Paris, France (GMT +1) 14h00 - 16h00
Opening Ceremony	Video Presentations (Centres, Committees, Partner Organization & Special Projects)				Internal Meeting <i>For ITI Members only</i>
Speeches	Discussion				

! Attention to time zones.

Date	Day 1 Thursday, 10 December	Day 2 Friday, 11 December	Day 3 Saturday, 12 December
Different Time Zones	Europe: Paris Time 14h00 - 16h00 (GMT +1)	Africa: Ouagadougou Time 13h00 - 16h00 (GMT +0)	Arab Countries: Dubai Time 17h00 - 20h00 (GMT +4)
Africa: Ouagadougou Time	13h00 - 15h00 GMT +0		13h00 - 16h00 GMT +0
Americas: New York Time	08h00 - 10h00 GMT -5	08h00 - 11h00 GMT -5	08h00 - 11h00 GMT -5
Arab Countries: Dubai Time	17h00 - 19h00 GMT +4	17h00 - 20h00 GMT +4	
Asia Pacific: Shanghai Time	21h00 - 23h00 GMT +8	21h00 - 24h00 GMT +8	21h00 - 00h00 GMT +8
Europe: Paris Time		14h00 - 17h00 GMT +1	14h00 - 17h00 GMT +1

Date	Day 4 Sunday, 13 December	Day 5 Monday, 14 December	Day 6 (ITI Members ONLY) Tuesday, 15 December
Different Time Zones	Asia Pacific: Shanghai Time 21h00 - 00h00 (GMT+8)	Europe: Paris Time 14h00 - 17h00 (GMT+1)	Europe: Paris Time 14h00 - 16h00 (GMT+1)
Africa: Ouagadougou Time	13h00 - 16h00 GMT +0	13h00 - 16h00 GMT +0	13h00 - 15h00 GMT +0
Americas: New York Time	08h00 - 11h00 GMT -5	08h00 - 11h00 GMT -5	08h00 - 10h00 GMT -5
Arab Countries: Dubai Time	17h00 - 20h00 GMT +4	17h00 - 20h00 GMT +4	17h00 - 19h00 GMT +4
Asia Pacific: Shanghai Time		21h00 - 00h00 GMT +8	21h00 - 23h00 GMT +8
Europe: Paris Time	14h00 - 17h00 GMT +1		

ITI General Assembly Special Edition 2020

Daily programme

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Opening Ceremony

Day 1

Thursday, 10 December



2 hours



Presided by Tobias BIANCONE, DG of ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens the Opening Ceremony

Introduction by Tobias BIANCONE, DG of ITI

Welcome Address by Ernesto OTTONE R., Assistant Director-General for Culture UNESCO

Welcome Address by Mohamed Saif AL-AFKHAM, President of ITI

Video Messages Manfred BEILHARZ, KIM Jeong-ok & Ramendu MAJUMDAR, Honorary Presidents of ITI

Overview about ITI (Video)



Keynotes

- Anatoli VASSILIEV, Russia, World Theatre Ambassador & World Theatre Day Message Author, Stage Director
- Karima MANSOUR, Egypt, International Dance Day Message Author, Dancer & Choreographer
- PU Cunxin, China, Actor & President of the China Theatre Association

Break (10 mins)

Keynotes

- Lupwishi MBUYAMBA, Democratic Republic of Congo, Executive Director of the Observatory of Cultural Policies in Africa, Musician & Musicologist
- Nikkole SALTER, USA, Actress, Writer, Educator & Advocate
- Carlos CELDRAN, Cuba, World Theatre Day Message Author, Stage Director
- Werewere-Liking GNEPO, Ivory Coast, World Theatre Message Author, Theatre Artist & Writer

Video Messages

By Honorary Members of ITI, World Theatre Ambassadors, World Dance Ambassador, and Message Author for World Theatre Day & International Dance Day



Announcement of the programme of Day 2



Presentation & Interaction

Day 2

Friday, 11 December



3 hours



Moderated by Hamadou MANDÉ, Vice-President of ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens Day 2



Presentations (5 mins each)

- ITI Centres
- ITI Committees, Forums & Networks of ITI
- ITI Partner Organizations of ITI
- Special Project

Presentation Draft List (subject to change)

Centres

Algeria (Arab Countries / Africa)
Argentina (The Americas)
Armenia (Europe)
Austria (Europe)
Bangladesh (Asia Pacific)
Belgium Flanders (Europe)
Benin (Africa)
Botswana (Africa)
Chad (Africa)
China (Asia Pacific)
Congo Dem. Republic (Africa)
Croatia (Europe)

Cuba (The Americas)

Cyprus (Europe)

Czech Republic (Europe)

Egypt (Arab Countries / Africa)

Estonia (Europe)

Faroe Islands (Europe)

Guinea (Africa)

United Arab Emirates (Arab Countries)

USA (The Americas)

Committees, Forums, Networks

- International Monodrama Forum IMF
- ITI Publications Committee IPC
- Music Theatre NOW Network MTNN

Partner Organizations

- AICT-IACT - International Association of Theatre Critics
- AITA-IATA - International Amateur Theatre Association
- ATI - Arab Theatre Institute
- ETC - European Theatre Convention
- OISTAT - International Organization of Scenographers, Theatre Architects and Technicians
- FEDEC - European Federation of Professional Circus Schools

Special Project

ITI/UNESCO Network for Higher Education in the Performing Arts

Break (10 mins)

Interaction (30 mins)

(Discussions, Questions & Answers)

Closing Statement

Hamadou MANDÉ, Vice-President ITI

Announcement of the programme of Day 3



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Daily programme

Presentation & Interaction

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Day 3

Saturday, 12 December



3 hours



Moderated by Fabio TOLLEDI, Vice-President of ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens Day 3



Presentations (5 mins each)

- ITI Centres
- ITI Committees, Forums & Networks
- Partner Organizations of ITI
- Special Project

Presentation Draft List (subject to change)

Centres

Azerbaijan (Europe)	Iran (Asia Pacific)
Belgium Wallonia (Europe)	Ivory Coast (Africa)
Cameroon (Africa)	Iraq (Asia Pacific)
Central African Republic (Africa)	Jordan (Arab Countries)
Congo Republic (Africa)	Kuwait (Arab Countries)
Finland (Europe)	Madagascar (Africa)
France (Europe)	Mongolia (Asia Pacific)
Ghana (Africa)	Montenegro (Europe)
Georgia (Europe)	
Greece (Europe)	
Hungary (Europe)	
Iceland (Europe)	
India (Asia Pacific)	

Partner Organizations

- ASSITEJ - International Association of Theatre for Children and Young People
- FIA - International Federation of Actors
- FIRT-IFTR - International Federation for Theatre Research
- IDEA - International Drama/Theatre & Education Association
- IMC - International Music Council
- WPI - Women Playwrights International

Special Project

ITI/UNESCO World Performing Arts Capital

Committees, Forums, Networks

- Traditional Performing Arts Forum TPAF
- International Playwrights' Forum IPF
- Forum Theatre Training & Education FTTE

Break (10 mins)

Interaction (30 mins)

(Discussions, Questions & Answers)

Closing Statement

Fabio TOLLEDI, Vice-President of ITI

Announcement of the programme of Day 4



Presentation & Interaction

Day 4

Sunday, 13 December



3 hours



Moderated by Ali MAHDI NOURI, Secretary of ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens Day 4



Presentations (5 mins each)

- ITI Centres
- ITI Committees, Forums & Networks of ITI
- ITI Partner Organizations of ITI
- Special Project

Presentation Draft List (subject to change)

Centres

Germany (Europe)
Israel (Asia Pacific)
Italy (Europe)
Japan (Asia Pacific)
Korea Republic (Asia Pacific)
Kosovo (Europe)
Latvia (Europe)
Luxembourg (Europe)
Mali (Africa)
Mauritania (Arab Countries / Africa)
Monaco (Europe)
Morocco (Arab Countries / Africa)
Netherlands (Europe)

Niger (Africa)

Nigeria (Africa)
Oman (Arab Countries)
Palestine (Arab Countries)
Philippines (Asia Pacific)
Uganda (Africa)
Zimbabwe (Africa)

Committees, Forums, Networks

- Action Committee for Artist Rights ACAR
- Social Change Network SCN
- Network for Heritage, Indigenous Cultures & Migration N-HIM
- Theatre in Conflict Zones Network TCZN

Partner Organizations

- AITU-IUTA - International University Theatre Association
- APB - Asia-Pacific Bond of Theatre Schools
- OPERA EUROPA
- SIBMAS - International Society of Libraries and Museums for the Performing Arts
- TWB - Theatre Without Borders

Special Project

World Theatre Training Institute AKT-ZENT/ITI

Break (10 mins)

Interaction (30 mins)

(Discussions, Questions & Answers)

Closing Statement

Ali MAHDI NOURI, Secretary of ITI

Announcement of the programme of Day 5



Presentation & Interaction

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Day 5

Monday, 14 December



3 hours



Moderated by Teresa EYRING, Vice-President ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens Day 5



Presentations (5 mins each)

- ITI Centres
- ITI Committees, Forums & Networks
- Partner Organizations of ITI

Presentation Draft List (subject to change)

Centres

Burkina Faso (Africa)
Brazil (The Americas)
Mexico (The Americas)
North Macedonia (Europe)
Romania (Europe)
Russia (Europe / Asia Pacific)
Saudi Arabia (Arab Countries)
Senegal (Africa)
Sierra Leone (Africa)
Slovakia (Europe)
Slovenia (Europe)
Spain (Europe)
Sri Lanka (Asia Pacific)

Sudan (Arab Countries / Africa)
Sweden (Europe)
Switzerland (Europe)
Syria (Arab Countries)
Togo (Africa)
United Kingdom (Europe)
Venezuela (The Americas)
Vietnam (Asia Pacific)
Yemen (Arab Countries)
Colombia (The Americas)

Committees, Forums, Networks

- International Dance Committee IDC
- iSTAN International Stage Art Network
- International Festival Forum IFF
- Network of Emerging Arts Professionals NEAP

Partner Organizations

- INTiP - International Network of Theatre in Prison
- UNIMA - International Puppeteers Union
- WDA - World Dance Alliance
- WMO - World Mime Organization

Break (10 mins)

Interaction (30 mins)

(Discussions, Questions & Answers)

Closing Statement

Teresa EYRING, Vice-President ITI

Announcement of the programme of Day 6



ITI Internal Meeting

Day 6

Tuesday, 15 December *ITI Internal Meeting*



2 hours



Presided by Tobias BIANCONE, DG of ITI

CHEN Zhongwen, Deputy DG of ITI, opens Day 6

Overview about ITI (Video)



A) Welcome to the Internal Meeting

1. Welcome Address by DG of ITI
2. Opening Speech by President of ITI

B) General Secretariat Work Report 2017-2020

3. Video of General Secretariat's work
4. Presentation of General Secretariat's work since last Congress by DG of ITI

C) International Projects

5. Introduction of International Projects by DG of ITI
6. Presentation of International Projects submitted by ITI Centre, Cooperating Members, EC Members or DG of ITI
7. Discussion, Questions & Answers International Projects

D) 36th ITI World Congress in 2022

8. Information about the 36th ITI World Congress delivered by President of ITI and DG of ITI
9. Questions & Answers

Closing Statements

Tobias BIANCONE, DG of ITI

Mohammed Saif AL-AFKHAM, President of ITI