

# Global Forum on Technology



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# The challenge



Technology is  
advancing rapidly.



We can harness this  
transformation to  
deliver positive change.



**But we need to get  
ahead of the potential  
long-term risks.**

# Aligning technology with our shared values

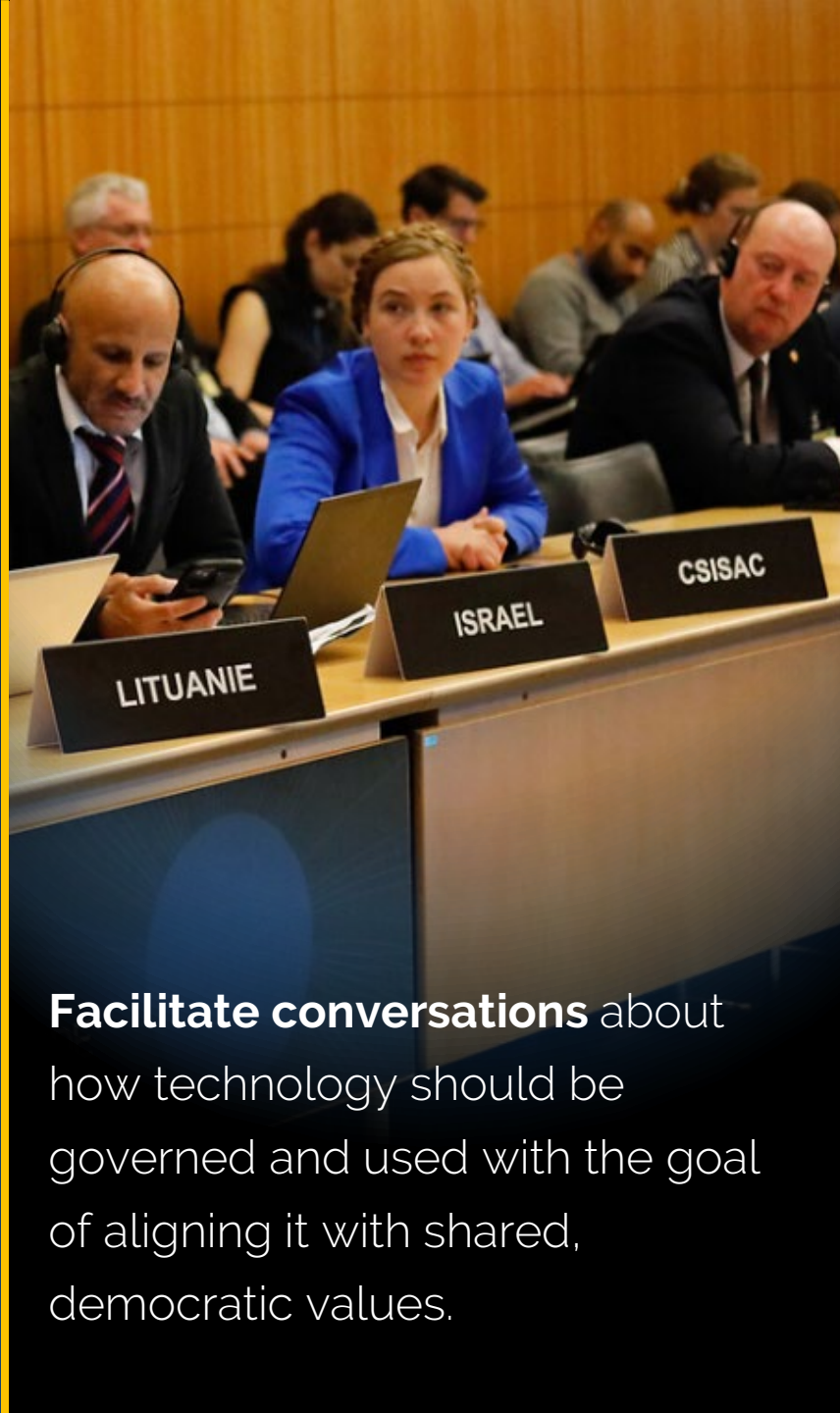


“The Global Forum on Technology will support a **better understanding and anticipation** of rapid developments in technology.

It will help identify the **policy tools and levers needed** to ensure that these developments foster trust, consistent with our **shared values and principles.**”

Mathias Cormann, OECD Secretary-General

# What we do



**Facilitate conversations** about how technology should be governed and used with the goal of aligning it with shared, democratic values.



**Convene experts and policy makers** to anticipate and proactively address the long-term opportunities and risks associated with technology.

# Cross-cutting themes

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Ensuring **responsible** and rights-oriented technology development and deployment.

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Harnessing emerging technologies for **resilient societies** and addressing **climate change**.

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Improving technology policy to **bridge digital** and **technological divides**.

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# First set of technologies in focus



**Synthetic  
biology**



**Immersive  
technologies**



**Quantum  
technologies**

# Inaugural event

The inaugural event took place on **6 June 2023** in the margins of the OECD Ministerial Council Meeting.

It brought together over **300 participants** from **+50 countries** including:

- ✓ **Senior policy makers**
- ✓ **Leading technology experts,**
- ✓ **A wide variety of stakeholders.**



[Videos](#)



[Event summary](#)



# Forthcoming activities



## Focus groups

Bringing together experts on specific technologies



## GFTech events

Convening a multistakeholder dialogue on emerging technologies



## Community building

Engaging diverse perspectives and aligning efforts



# Continue the conversation with us

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