

Korea Launch of the 2016 World Development Report 'Digital Dividends'

**Digital Dividends: How to Get the Most from the
Digital Revolution and
What Can We Learn from Korea?**

Co-hosted by the World Bank Group Korea Office and the Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI)

Date: Friday, March 18, 2016

Time: 2.00pm – 5.00pm

Venue: Rose & Tulip Room, 8F, Sheraton Seoul D Cube City Hotel, Seoul

PROGRAM

14.00 Opening remarks

Jong Guk Song, President, Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI)

Welcoming remarks

Joyce Msuya, Special Representative, World Bank Group Korea Office

14.15 Presentation of Report: WDR 2016 Co-Directors

Deepak Mishra, Lead Economist and the Co-Director of WDR 2016, World Bank

Uwe Deichmann, Senior Urban Specialist and the Co-Director of WDR 2016, World Bank

Discussion: How to Get the Most from the Digital Revolution?

Discussant 1: Wonki Min, Assistant Minister, Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP)

Discussant 2: Jong-Sung Hwang, Vice President, National Information Society Agency (NIA)

14.55 - 15:10 Break

15:10 Presentation of Korea's experience

Sungho Lee, Research Fellow, Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI)

On how Korea has promoted inclusive growth in the digital economy and what that entails for digital dividends in developing countries.

Discussion

Discussant 1: Byeong-Sam Choi, Research Fellow, Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI)

Discussant 2: Junseok Hwang, Professor, Seoul National University (SNU)

16.00 Wider discussion

Chair: James F. Larson, Chair, Department of Technology and Society, State University of New York (SUNY) Korea

The Chair will open up the discussion and invite questions and comments from the floor.

16.40- 17:00 Concluding Thoughts
