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Online Press Conference

Launch of the World Investment Report - 2017 *'Investment and the Digital Economy'*

New data and projections on the state of global foreign direct investment for 2017

English

- 6 June 2017 at 14:00 GMT (16:00 Geneva, 10:00 New York, 09:00 Mexico City, 19:30 New Delhi, 23:00 Tokyo) [REGISTER](#)
- 7 June 2017 at 7:00 GMT (9:00 Geneva, 03:00 New York, 02:00 Mexico City, 12:30 New Delhi, 16:00 Tokyo) [REGISTER](#)

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- 6 June 2017 at 9:00 GMT (11:00 Geneva, 05:00 New York, 04:00 Mexico City, 14:30 New Delhi, 18:00 Tokyo) [REGISTER](#)

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- 7 June 2017 at 15:00 GMT (17:00 Geneva, 11:00 New York, 10:00 Mexico City, 20:30 New Delhi, 00:00 Tokyo) [REGISTER](#)

Geneva, 2 June 2017 – What are the most attractive countries for foreign direct investment (FDI) in 2017? Which countries performed the best for FDI in 2016? How can countries adapt to digital technologies that are radically changing global investment trends? These are some of the questions that are explored in UNCTAD's ***World Investment Report 2017***, titled 'Investment



and the Digital Economy’.

The World Investment Report monitors international business activity in a number of areas and presents the most up-to-date detailed trends and prospects on foreign direct investment at a global, regional and country level. This year’s report investigates the impact of digital technologies on international production and the operations of multinational enterprises. The report also presents a new top 100, ranking digital multinational enterprises and their international production footprint.

Join UNCTAD for an Online Press Conference on this issue and learn about the latest World Investment Report data from experts.

The report is under embargo until 7 June 2017 at 17:00 GMT.

(1 PM New York, 19:00 Geneva, 22:30 Delhi, 02:00 – 8 June 2017 Tokyo)

Before the embargo is lifted, UNCTAD is inviting journalists to attend online press conferences, and ask questions to UNCTAD economists on the latest findings. All attendees MUST be pre-registered. Webinar log-in information will be sent only to registered attendees.

If you are unable to attend one of the above online conferences, please feel free to send your questions via email to unctadpress@unctad.org.

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