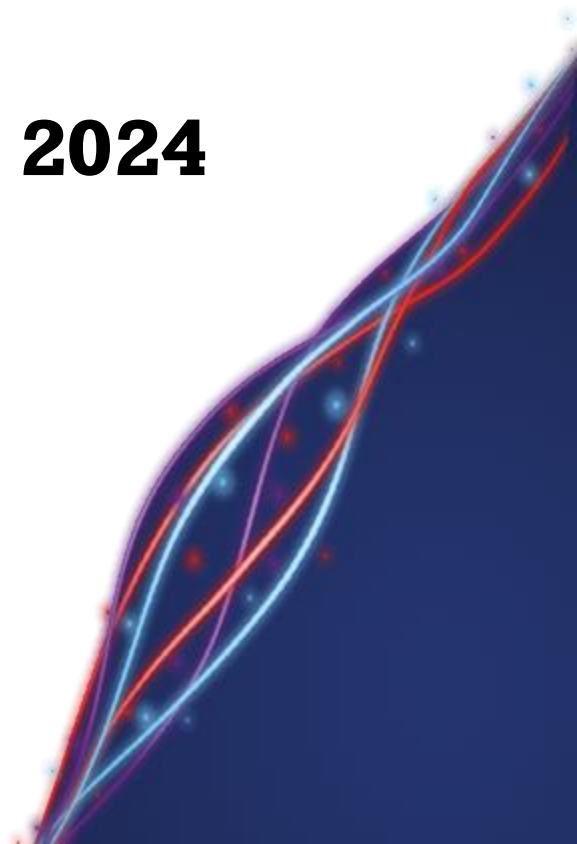


Introduction to IAFI (The ITU-APT Foundation of India) and India Spectrum Management Conference (ISMC) 2024

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About IAFI

- **The ITU-APT Foundation of India (IAFI) is a Registered non-profit, non-political industry Foundation.**
- **IAFI represents the interests of the telecom and ICT sector in the Asia Pacific Region and support all Technologies – IMT (4G, 5G, 6G), satellites –GSO and NGSO, and Wi-Fi, etc.**
- **IAFI serves as a vital platform for all stakeholders, to participate in global bodies such as ITU, APT, WWRF, ETSI, CEPT, etc.**

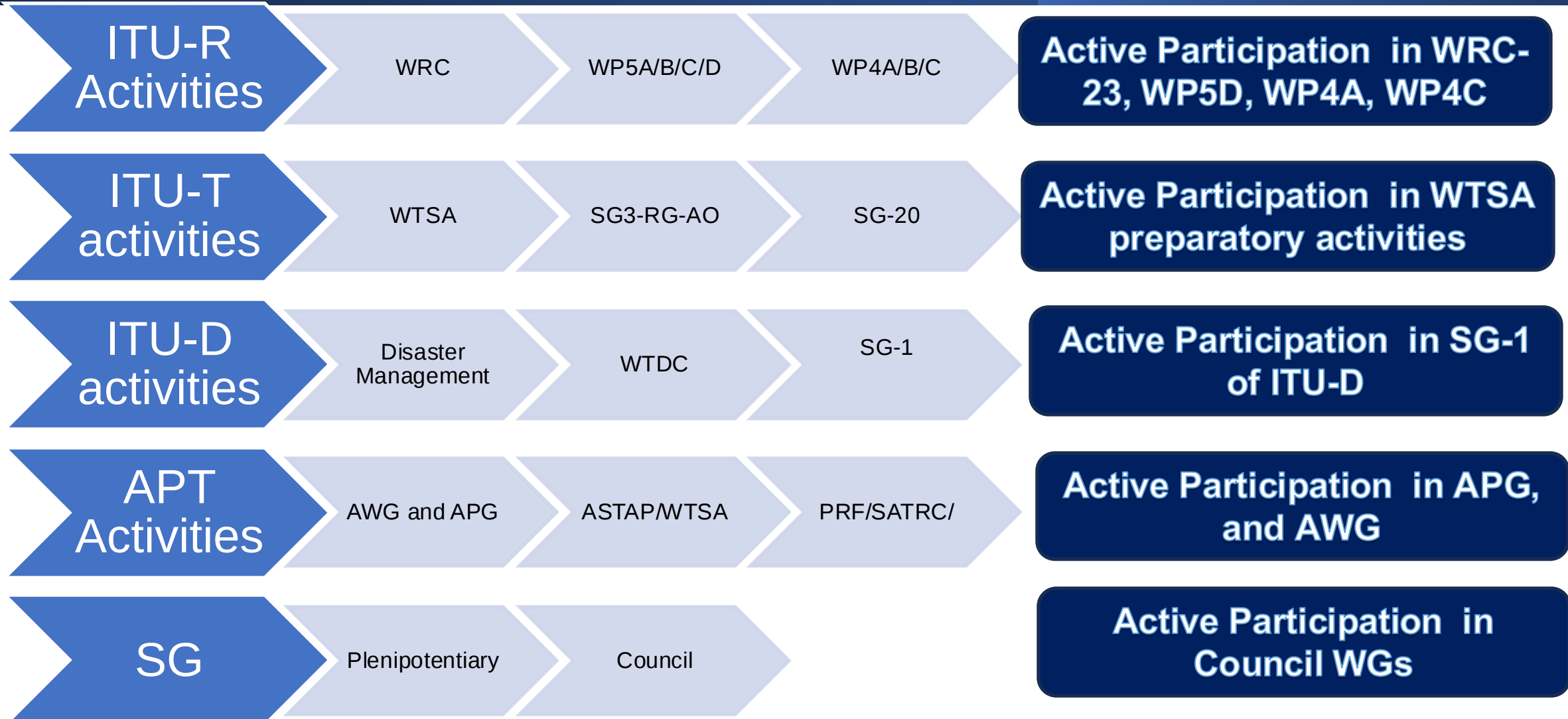
IAFI Vision and Activities

- Our Vision is to foster sustainable growth of the telecommunications and ICT sector by facilitating international cooperation, collaboration and promoting best practices, and advocating for globally and Regionally harmonized policy approaches
- Our key activities include:
 - **Contributing to ITU and APT Studies, meetings, conferences and other activities**
 - **Organising events that support our vision and Mission**
 - **Collaborating with stakeholders including members, governments, industry experts**
 - **Capacity Building and Training**
 - **Promoting Research and Development**

➤ IAFI is a Regional and International Telecom organisation

- ✓ **IAFI has been recognised by the ITU as a Regional/ International Telecom organisation**
- ✓ **IAFI has been granted sector membership of ITU-R, ITU-T and ITU-D**
- ✓ **IAFI is also an affiliate member of APT (Asia Pacific Telecommunity)**

IAFI has been expanding its role and participation in the ITU and APT activities



IAFI was an Active Participant in WRC-23



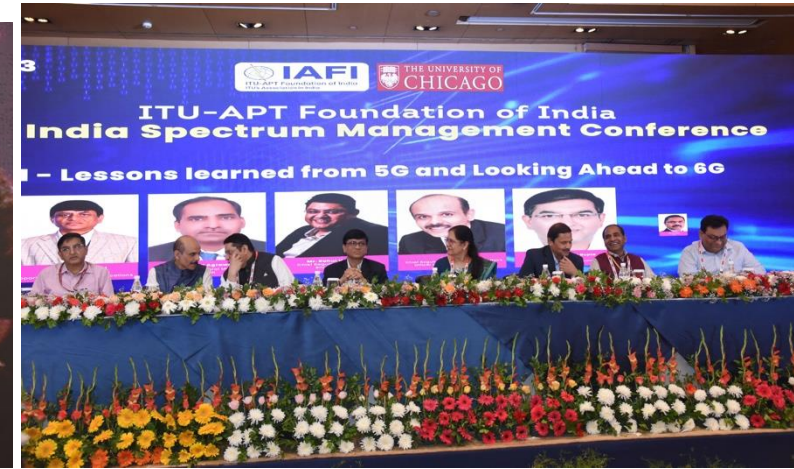
IAFI was also an integral part of many Bilateral meetings at WRC-23



IAFI organized 30 major events during last two years



3rd India Spectrum Management Conference last year was a major success



ISMC-24: 2 days of intense spectrum and wireless technologies discussions

WRC-27

Spectrum Roadmap
For 4G/5G

Way forward on
6GHz

Spectrum pricing
and auction rules

Spectrum for
Broadcasting and
allied services

Spectrum for GSO
and NGSO satellites

Roadmap for India's leadership in 6G



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