

The Global Summit on Innovation, Science and Technology

10th Annual Meeting of the New Champions

The Fourth Industrial Revolution and Its Transformational Impact

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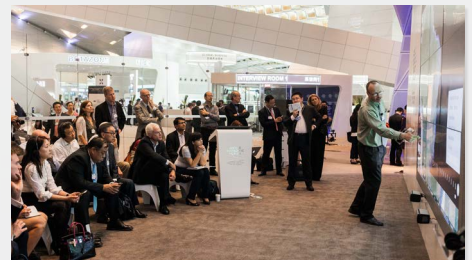
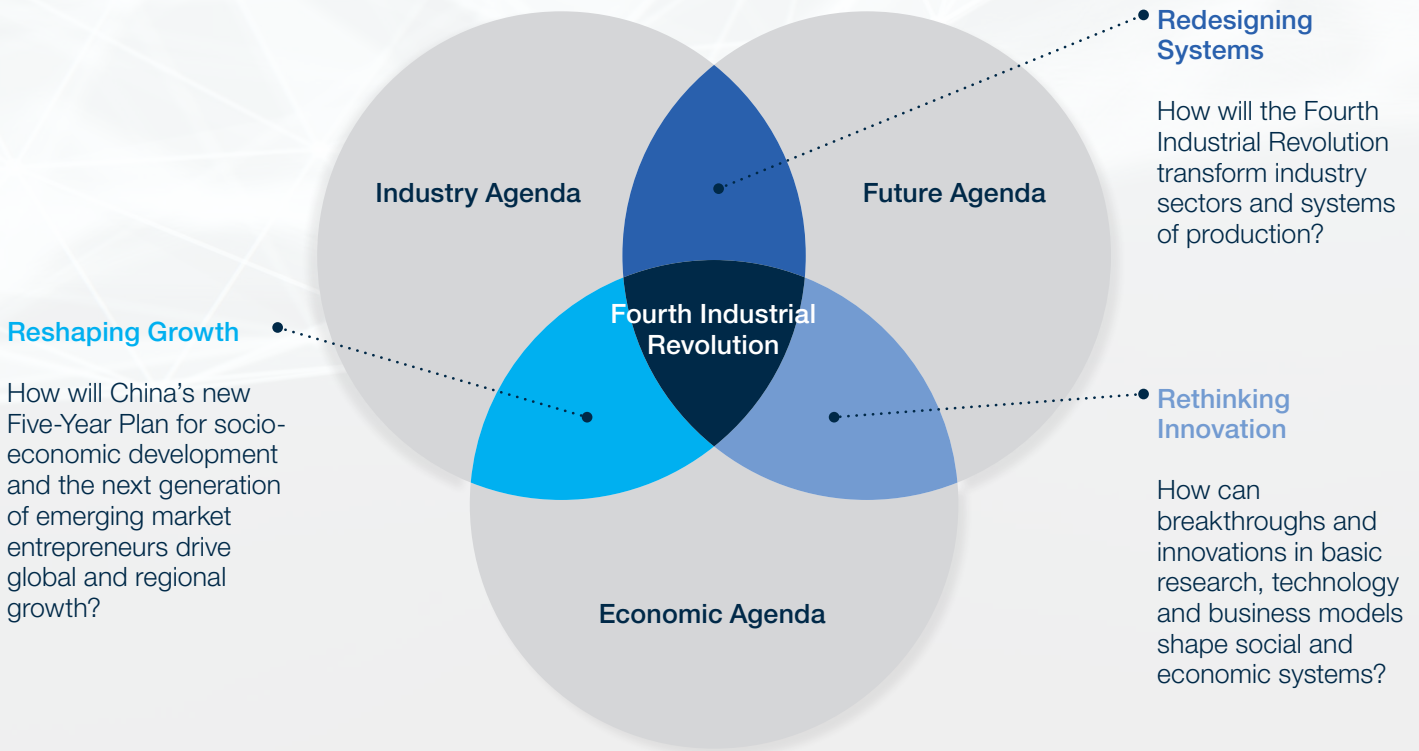
Ten years have passed since the World Economic Forum established the Annual Meeting of the New Champions. The relevance of convening business leaders, policy-makers and experts for a global summit on innovation, science and technology – with added emphasis on emerging markets and entrepreneurship – has never been higher.

The Fourth Industrial Revolution is reshaping the economic, social, ecological and cultural contexts in which we live. Breakthrough technologies are merging the physical, digital and biological worlds in ways that create huge promise and potential peril. The speed, breadth and depth of this technological revolution are forcing us to rethink how countries develop, how organizations create value and even what it means to be human. Collaboration between the next generation of industry, government and academia will be essential to turn uncertainty into prosperity.

Under the theme, **The Fourth Industrial Revolution and Its Transformational Impact**, 1,500 business leaders, policy-makers and experts from over 90 countries will convene in Tianjin to shape a future of exponentially disruptive change.

On the Agenda

The 2016 programme focuses on major transformations occurring at the intersection of the industry, economic and future agendas, influenced by the Fourth Industrial Revolution:



Industry Strategy Meeting 2016

The insights and outcomes of the Annual Meeting of the New Champions will feed directly into the yearly Industry Strategy Meeting, which has been integrated into the meeting in Tianjin and brings together senior executives from the Forum's Community of Strategy Officers to shape the transformation of industries and industry ecosystems.

Programme Experience

Participants will take part in a programme focused on interaction and insight-sharing with experts and peers, with over 150 official sessions spread across four programme zones. Each zone includes a range of session formats that are designed to deliver unique experiences and learning opportunities.



Exploration Zone

Engage in experiential learning brought to life by the latest technologies, from virtual reality to robotics



Transformation Zone

Define the paradigm shifts and conceptual breakthroughs with profound implications for industry, government and society



Interaction Zone

Delve into current affairs and explore the ideas and issues at the heart of today's economic, scientific and policy debates



Collaboration Zone

Be part of the solution and build a network of action-oriented leaders across stakeholder groups to steward progress on the world's most pressing challenges

Saturday 25 June

09.00	Registration Opens
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Sunday 26 June

07.30 - 09.00	Community Sessions
09.00 - 10.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
09.30 - 11.00	Community Sessions
10.30 - 11.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
12.00 - 13.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
12.00 - 13.30	Community Lunches
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch
14.00 - 15.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
14.30 - 16.00	Community Sessions
15.30 - 16.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
16.30 - 18.00	Community Sessions
17.00 - 18.00	Interactive and Working Sessions ISM Welcome
19.00 - 21.00	Cultural Soirée

Monday 27 June

07.30 - 09.00	ISM Sessions /Community Sessions
09.00 - 10.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
10.45 - 11.45	Welcoming Remarks and Opening Plenary
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch
12.00 - 13.30	Community Lunches
13.00 - 14.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
14.30 - 15.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
14.30 - 16.00	Community Sessions
16.00 - 17.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
16.30 - 18.00	ISM Sessions
17.30 - 18.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
19.00 - 21.00	Partners and Members Dinners

Tuesday 28 June

07.30 - 09.00	ISM Sessions
09.00 - 10.00	Interactive and Working Sessions
09.30 - 11.00	ISM Sessions
10.30 - 11.30	Interactive and Working Sessions
11.30 - 12.30	Community Sessions
12.45 - 13.10	Closing Plenary and Closing Remarks
13.10 - 14.00	Farewell Reception

Key Figures



Who Is Taking Part?

Forum Members – Innovative and dynamic businesses that harness technology-driven disruption to drive future growth

Technology Pioneers – Companies involved in the development of life-changing technologies and that have the potential for long-term impact on business and society

Institutional Members and Partners – The largest and most influential multinational corporations represented by their chief executive officers and chief officers of research and development, strategy, technology and innovation

Public figures – Heads of government and ministers of energy and resources, environment, health, science and technology, and industry, who are committed to improving competitiveness in today's challenging economic climate

Young Global Leaders – A multistakeholder community of young leaders providing insight into the priorities and expectations of future generations

Civil society organizations – Leaders from renowned and innovative non-governmental, labour and faith-based organizations driving social progress

Global Shapers – Individuals between 20 to 30 years of age selected for their great potential for future leadership roles in society

Social Entrepreneurs – Leaders of the most innovative business solutions and partnership models driving social change

Young Scientists – Exceptional young researchers from around the world that have produced groundbreaking work in different scientific fields

Faculty and Global Agenda Council Members – The world's top experts and Nobel Laureates, who generate insight through their thought leadership and interdisciplinary collaboration

Cultural Leaders – Artists from around the world who challenge assumptions about technology, share visions of the future and build bridges in the dialogue on global issues

Media Leaders – Publishers and editors-in-chief, top economic columnists and science and technology editors

Registration and Information

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