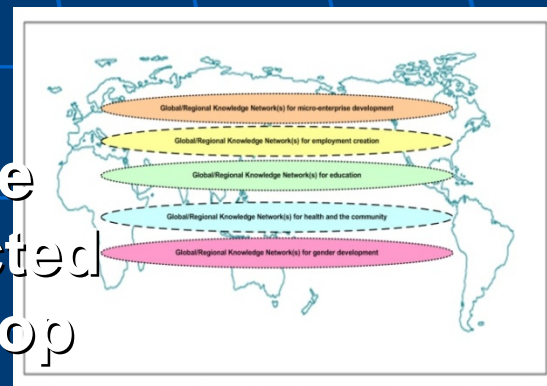
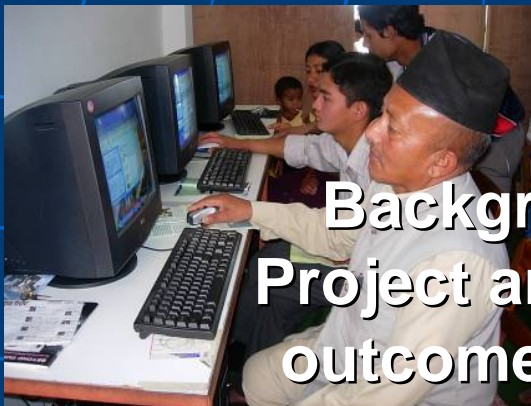


Regional Workshop for Knowledge-hubs in Central Asia and Neighbouring Countries, Dushanbe, Tajikistan

21-23 October 2009

Background Information of the Project and objective and expected outcome of the current workshop

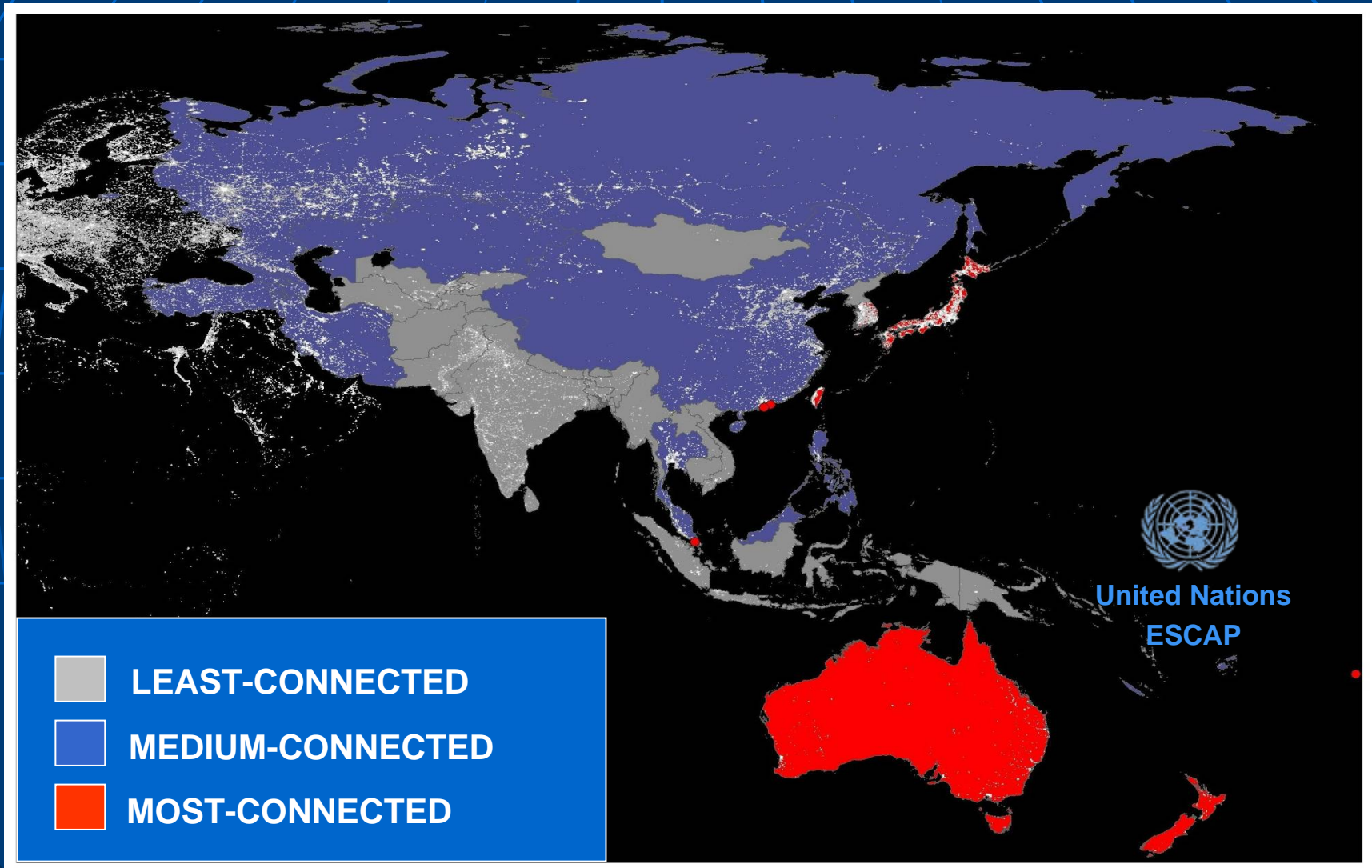


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Global mandate

■ Millennium Declaration in 2000

- MDG 8: Develop a global partnership-target:
 - ✦ To “ensure that the benefits of new technologies, especially information and communication technologies [...] are available to all”

■ WSIS Plan of Action

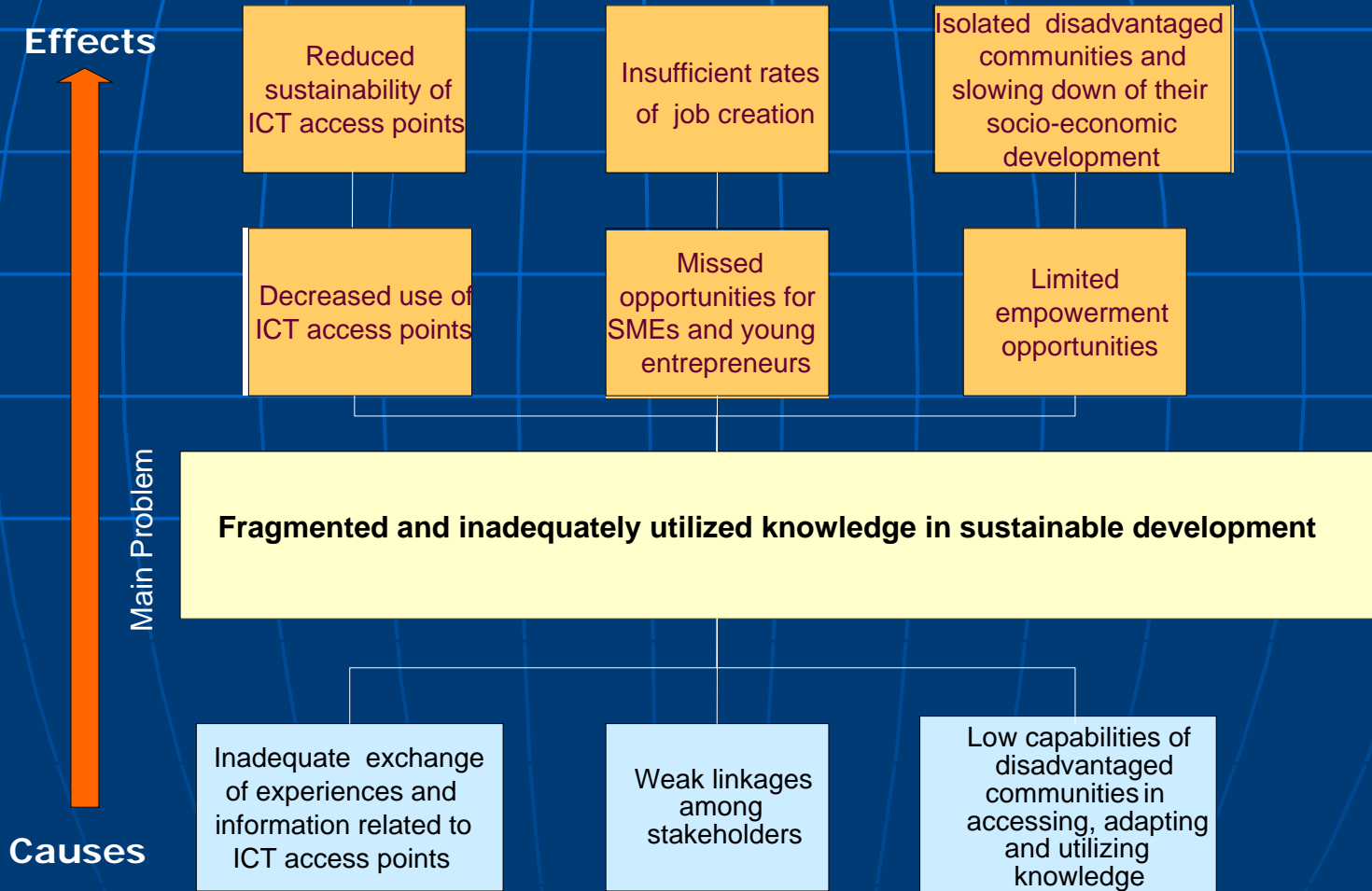
- To “empower local communities, especially those in rural and underserved area, in ICT use and promote the production of useful and socially meaningful content for the benefit of all”
- Two of the ten targets to be achieved by 2015:
 - ✦ To connect villages with ICTs and establish community access points;
 - ✦ To ensure that more than half the world’s inhabitants have access to ICTs within their reach

■ Knowledge networks/tele-centres

- Contribute to poverty reduction and inclusive and sustainable development

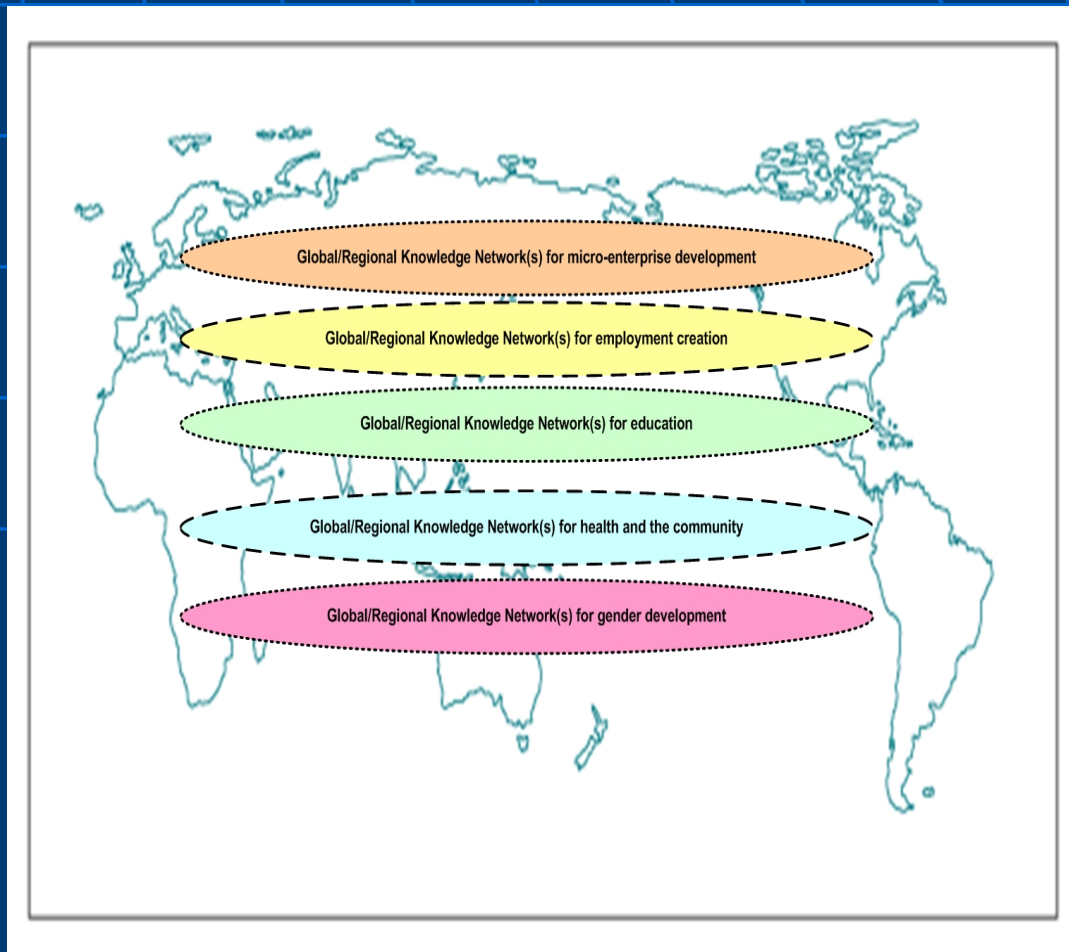


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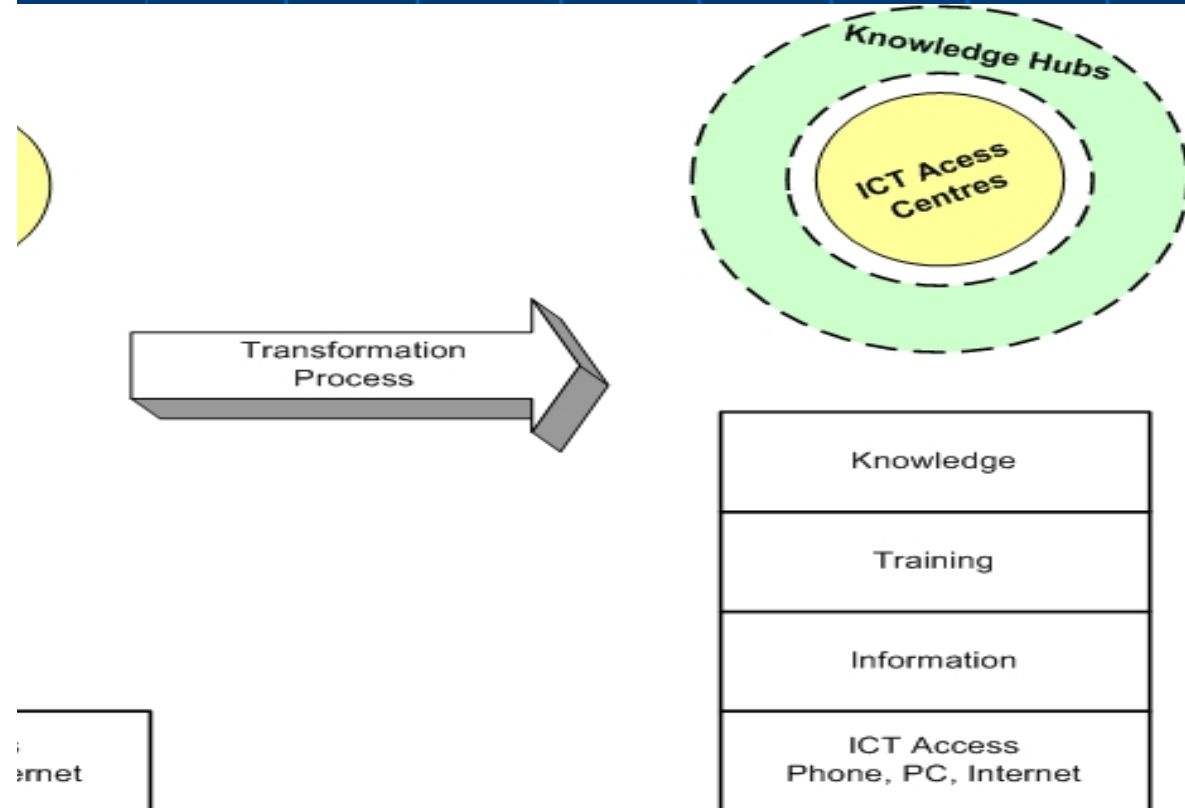


Knowledge networks through ICT access points for disadvantaged communities - Objective

To empower the poor and disadvantaged communities through the transformation of existing ICT access points in selected countries around the world into knowledge hubs of regional/global knowledge networks



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