

MEDITeH BEYOND

Digital Health Connection Beyond Mediterranean Boundaries

18-19 March 2027

ROME | ITALY

Auditorium Ministero della Salute
Viale Giorgio Ribotta 5

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM — 2026.11.09

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THE SUMMIT & THE NETWORK

MEDITeH Beyond & MEDITeH Network

MEDITeH Beyond 2027 is the international summit dedicated to Digital Health and Telemedicine.

Promoted by **Diplomatia**, through the working group and think-tank **Health Policy Commission (HPC)**, the event brings together Institutions, diplomatic representatives, health authorities, universities, research centres and companies from the Mediterranean, Africa and the Middle East.

From Summit to Transnational Network

The **first edition of MEDITeH Beyond**, in 2024, marked the founding act of a structured collaborative initiative in digital health and telemedicine.

What began as a high-level international Summit will evolve into **a permanent transnational network** connecting institutions, scientific bodies and industry stakeholders across the Mediterranean, Africa and the Middle East.

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> **MEDITeH is not an annual event.**
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> **It is an ongoing Platform & Network.**

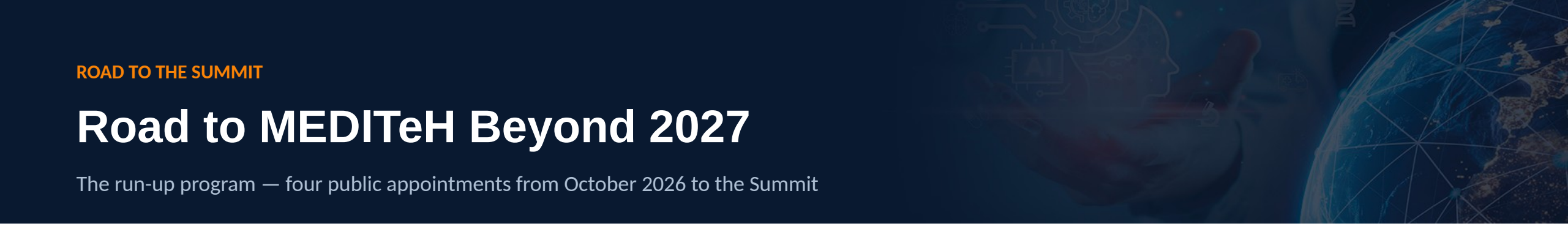
2024
First edition — the founding Summit

2027
Second Summit & launch of the Network

ROAD TO THE SUMMIT

Road to MEDITeH Beyond 2027

The run-up program — four public appointments from October 2026 to the Summit



The run-up program

Each appointment builds a piece of the Summit agenda and brings its community into the **MEDITeH Network**. Further thematic webinars are being scheduled and will be announced.

2026
27 OCT
IN PERSON

Brain Health

Rome · promoted by Lundbeck

Organisational resilience and the new scenarios of brain health, in the light of the National Mental Health Action Plan (PANSM).

A. Carrara · C. Niolu · A. Padovani · G. Reale · A. Siracusano — moderator: Tiziana Mele, GM Lundbeck Italia

2026
17 NOV
WEBINAR

Women's Vision Community: From Vision to Impact

Online · First WVC online meeting

Innovation, cooperation and community for the future of health: turning shared visions and connections into projects with real impact.

A multidisciplinary panel of WVC co-founders, promoted by Carola Salvato, Vice President of Diplomatia

2026
19 NOV
HYBRID

Innovation in Healthcare

Milan · IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele

A working session on innovation in healthcare, hosted by the partner hospital of MEDITeH Beyond. In person and live-streamed.

Coordinated by Federico Esposti, COO — IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele, Gruppo San Donato

2027
21 JAN
PANEL

Life Sciences & Global Health

with Intesa Sanpaolo

Emerging skills and new scenarios in the life sciences, connecting research, innovation, education and project design.

Coordinated by Elisa Zambito Marsala, Intesa Sanpaolo — Tech4GlobalHealth Observatory

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*: date and format to be confirmed — calendar under development

SUMMIT PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day 1 — Thursday, 18 March 2027

Morning sessions

MAR 18

08:30 *Summit Registration*

09:00 **Opening Remarks:** *The Future We Will Live In Is Shaped by the Thinking of Today*
Giovanni Castellaneta (Diplomatia) | Institutional Greetings

09:30 **Introduction to the Summit 2027 Workflow**
Francesco Gabbrielli (President of the Scientific Board)

09:35 **Diplomacy Round Table:** *Building Foundations for Transnational Digital Health Collaboration*
Keynote: Hal Wolf, President HIMSS*
Embassy Delegates: over 15 Embassies have been invited; updates will follow as they are confirmed

10:30 *Coffee Break*

11:00 **Training to Treatment Session:** *Digital Health & AI Across the Care Pathway*
*Moderator: Anass Doukkali (eHealth Innovation Centre, Mohammed V University, Morocco)**
Antonio Gasbarrini — Elena Sini — Elisabetta Zanon — Mauro Zampolini*

12:00 **Community Panel Sustainable Health:**
Digital Transformation of Healthcare Worldwide: Emerging Opportunities and New Contradictions
*Moderator: Rossana Berardi (Medical Oncology, Marche Polytechnic University)**
Pierluigi Sassi — Howard Frumkin — Christos Schizas — Stefano Epifani — Marcello Cattani — Hajdi Košednar*

13:30 *Light Lunch*

SUMMIT PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day 1 — Thursday, 18 March 2027

Afternoon sessions

MAR 18

14:30 — **Success Factor Modelling for Digital Health:** *AI, Ethics, Standards, Economics in Healthcare*
*Moderator: Youssef Bassim (Digital Health & AI Dept., Arab Hospitals Federation)**
Robert Dilts — Emanuela Mazza — Marco Manca — Francesco Gabbrielli

15:30 — **Organization & Focus Session:** *Pillars of Effective Collaboration between Public Bodies, Local Health Authorities and Companies*
Moderator: Scientific journalist
Giuseppe Quintavalle — Fabrizio D'Alba — Gianmario Verona — Ed Percy — Dragana Janinović — Alberto Tozzi*

17:00 — **What's Next for the MEDITeH Collaborative Network**
Moderator: Francesco Gabbrielli (Co-Founder, MEDITeH Scientific Board)
Lecture: Alberto Siracusano (President, Italian Higher Health Council)*
Keynotes: Startup & Venture | Cyber Security | Vaccines | Piano Mattei

18:30 — *Closing of Day 1*

20:00 — **MEDITeH Network Dinner**

SUMMIT PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day 2 — Friday, 19 March 2027

Morning sessions

MAR 19

09:00 — **Community Panel: Contribution of Women's Vision to the Development of Digital Health**

Co-chairs: Juli Hysenbelli (Connected Care Lead Global Healthcare, WWPS) — Carola Salvato (Vice President Diplomatia, Co-founder Women's Vision Community)

*Round Table: Alice Yammine Boueiz — Monica Calamai — Antonella Santuccione Chadda — Ilaria Catalano — Serena Battilomo — Elena Bottinelli — Elena Sini**

10:30 — *Coffee Break*

11:00 — **Working Groups on Digital Health Services:**

1. Digital health services for elders with multimorbidity
2. Digital health services for cardiovascular diseases
3. Digital health services for diabetes
4. Digital health services for women's health

Coordinators: Mauro Zampolini — Josep Comín-Colet — Marco Manca

13:00 — *Light Lunch*

SUMMIT PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day 2 — Friday, 19 March 2027

Afternoon sessions

MAR 19

14:00 — **Working Group Outcomes & Launch of MEDITeH Network Activities**
Each group's coordinator presents results | Open discussion

15:00 — **Community Panel Innovation Ecosystem:**
AI, Startups and New Ecosystems — HealthTech Evolution
Andrea Cantone — Giorgio Ciron — Gennaro Di Cello — Marco Manca — Manuele Monti — Tatiana Rizzante*

16:00 — **Scientific Board Meeting:** *MEDITeH Network Road Map 2027–2028*
Open board session to discuss outcomes and future directions

17:00 — **Closing Remarks**

**: Invited speaker — to be confirmed*

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