



ITMF Annual Conference & IAF World Fashion Convention

Yogyakarta, Indonesia
October 24-25, 2025

Conference Programme (as of October 24, 2025)

by ITMF invitation
by IAF invitation
combined program

Navigating Uncertainty & Adopting Technology – Pathways to Sustainable Strength in the Textile and Apparel Industry

Wednesday, October 22

06.50 – 15.00 full day	Golf Tournament (Merapi Golf Course) Company Visits Option 1: PT. Ambassador Garmino and Galeri Batik Jawa (more info) Option 2: Golden Tekstil Indonesia (GTI) and Ungaran Sari Garment (USG) (more info)
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Thursday, October 23

09.00 – 17.00	ITMF-IAF Secretariat / Registration (Maliboro 8, 1st Floor) API Secretariat / Registration (Togu 2, Lobby Floor)		
08.30 – 10.00	Spinners Committee Meeting (Maliboro 1, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -	08.30 – 10.00	Sustainability Committee Meeting (Maliboro 2 & 3, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee Break		
10.30 – 12.00	Technical Textile Committee (Maliboro 1, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -	10.30 – 12.00	Business Innovation Committee (Maliboro 2&3, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -
12.00 – 13.30	Buffet Lunch for Committee Members (Foyer Maliboro rooms, Lobby Floor)		
13.30 – 15.00	ITMF Directors Meeting (Maliboro 1, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only - Directors of ITMF Member Associations, Associate Members and Corporate Members	13.30 – 15.30	IAF Board of Directors Meeting (Maliboro 2&3, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee Break (Foyer Maliboro rooms, Lobby Floor)		
15.30 – 17.00	ITMF Board Meeting (Maliboro 1, Lobby Floor) Board Members and Past Presidents - by invitation only -	15.30 – 16.00	Coffee Break (Foyer Maliboro rooms, Lobby Floor)
		16.00 – 17.00	IAF General Assembly (Maliboro 2&3, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -

18.15 – 21.30	Welcome Dinner at Royal Ambarrukmo, Yogyakarta Honorary Host: Sri Sultan Hamengku Buwono X (The Sultan of Yogyakarta) Dress code: smart casual / casual attire / batik 18.15 departure by bus from the Marriott Hotel reception with small Batik exhibition by Afif Syakur, "Batik in Javanese Life Cycle" welcome dance performance welcome speech by Sri Sultan Hamengku Buwono X buffet dinner fashion show by API DIY 21.30 arrival at the Marriott Hotel
Friday, October 24	
08.00 – 17.00	ITMF-IAF Secretariat / Registration (Maliboro 8, 1st Floor) API Secretariat / Registration (Togu 2, Lobby Floor)
09.00 – 10.00	<u>Opening Session</u> (Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2nd Floor) <u>Welcome Addresses</u> • K. V. Srinivasan, President, ITMF • Cem Altan, President, IAF • Jemmy Sasraatmadja, President, API <u>Keynote Address</u> Gaffari Ramadhan, National Economic Council, Indonesia
10.00 – 10.30	Coffee Break (Foyer Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor)
10.30 – 12.00	<u>Textile & Apparel Industry in Indonesia</u> Moderator: Basrie Kamba, Rantai Tekstil Lestari, Indonesia • <u>Repositioning Indonesia's Textile Industry: Future Perfect</u> Navdeep Sodhi, Gherzi Textil Organization, Switzerland • <u>Sustainable Initiative in Textile Industry - Way Forward for Indonesia</u> Vijay Agarwal, PT Embee Plumbon Textile, Indonesia • <u>Enhancing Competitiveness through ESG & Industry 4.0 Implementation</u> Anne Patricia Sutanto, PT Pan Brothers, Indonesia • <u>Time to Capture the Opportunity by Focusing on Indonesia's Strengths</u> Prashant Agarwal, Wazir Advisors, India Panel Discussion / Q&A
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch (Foyer Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor)
13.00 – 14.00	<u>Fiber Session – Cotton</u> Moderator: Salman M. Ispahani, Pahartoli Textiles Limited, Bangladesh • <u>Cotton – Pathways to Sustainable Strength in the Textile & Apparel Industry</u> Eric Trachtenberg, ICAC, USA • <u>The Case for Cotton – Innovation, Availability, Affordability & Sustainability</u> Marcelo Duarte, ABRAPA, Brazil • <u>Transforming Cotton Supply Chains – Driving Impact at Farm-level and Beyond</u> Vinay Kumar, Better Cotton, Australia

	Panel Discussion / Q&A
14.00 – 14.20	<u>Keynote Address</u> Mr. Agus Gumiwang Kartasasmita, Minister of Industry, Indonesia
14.20 – 14.40	Coffee Break (Foyer Grand Kraton, 2 nd Floor)
14.40 – 15.40	<u>Fiber Session – Man-made Fibers</u> Moderator: Stefan Hutter, Sântis Textiles, Singapore • <u>A Bouquet of Challenges to Man-made Fibers</u> Andreas Engelhardt, The Fiber Year, Switzerland • <u>Redefining the Future of Sustainable Fibers: Lyocell as the Engine of Growth</u> Sachin Malik, Asia Pacific Rayon, Indonesia • <u>Reinforcing Life with Sustainability</u> Eray Karaduman, Kordsa, Türkiye Panel Discussion / Q&A
15.40 – 16.40	<u>World Café: Strike First - AI Advantage in Textiles & Apparel</u> Moderator: Rafael Cervone, ABIT, Brazil • <u>Findings and Future Impulses of the 7 ITMF & ITA AI-Webinar Series</u> Thomas Gries, ITA Group, University Aachen, Germany Panel Discussion / Q&A
16.45 – 17.15	ITMF Committee of Management Meeting (Kraton, Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor) - by invitation only -
17.30 – 22.30	Reception and Gala Dinner at <u>Prambanan Temple</u>, Plataran Whisnu <u>Dress Code:</u> Formal Attire Male: Suit, batik, or traditional formal attire (e.g., kurta, beskap, etc). Tie is optional. Female: Attire should cover the shoulders and not be revealing, as the venue is a temple. Please avoid high heels since the event will be held outdoors; wedges or flats are preferred. 17.30 departure by bus from the Marriot Hotel pre-dinner activities welcome speeches and ITMF & IAF presidency handover ceremonies dinner Ramayana ballet 22.30 arrival at the Marriott Hotel
Saturday, October 25	

08.00 – 18.00	ITMF-IAF Secretariat / Registration (Maliboro 8, 1st Floor) API Secretariat / Registration (Togu 2, Lobby Floor)
08.00 – 08.45	IAF Committee Meeting of Purchasing Practices (Maliboro 1, Lobby Floor) - by invitation only -
09.00 – 10.15	<u>Sustainability & Regulation & Tariffs</u> (Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor) Moderator: Chris Alt, A&E, USA • <u>Which Business Model for the Global Textiles Industry? A European Perspective</u> Dirk Vantghem, Euratex, Belgium • <u>Sustainability-Driven Development: China's Textile Policy Framework & Collaborative Action</u> Yan Yan, China National Textile & Apparel Council, China • <u>Free, Fair and Sustainable - In Support of Textiles & Apparel Trade</u> Azlina Sulaiman, Nike, Singapore Panel Discussion / Q&A
10.15 – 10.45	Coffee Break (Foyer Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor)
10.45 – 11.45	<u>Decarbonisation Initiatives</u> Moderator: Stefano Festa Marzotto, Confindustria Moda, Italy • <u>Decarbonization Opportunities and Challenges from a Brand Perspective</u> Stefan Seidel, Puma, Germany • <u>The Fashion Industry Charter for Climate Action - Time for Transformation</u> Matthew Guenther, TAL Apparel, Hong Kong, China • <u>ATTI – A Manufactured-led & Country-oriented Initiative</u> Olivia Windham Stewart, Apparel & Textile Transformation Initiative, UK Mehmet Kaya, IHKIB, Türkiye Vidiya Khan, BGMEA, Bangladesh • <u>Decarbonize your Processes, Enhancing your Productivity</u> Javier Bernal, Ivy Decarb, Spain Panel Discussion / Q&A
11.45 – 12.55	<u>ITMF Start-up Awards 2025</u> Moderator: Tae Jin Kang, Seoul National University, Korea • <u>From Offshore to On-Demand - How Robotics is Reshaping Fashion Manufacturing</u> Michael Mayr, Silana, Austria • <u>Commercialization of Biobased Nylon 66</u> Harshal Chokhawala, ZymoChem, USA • <u>A Bridge to the Future - Building Circularity at Scale</u> Moby Ahmed, Ambercycle, USA • <u>CNT Fiber Innovation - From Dream Material to Industrial Reality</u> Se Hoon Gihm, aweXome Ray, Korea • <u>The Last Industry to be Digitized</u> Borre Akkersdijk, BYBORRE, Netherlands Panel Discussion / Q&A
12.55 – 13.45	Lunch (Foyer Kraton Grand Ballroom, 2 nd Floor)

13.45 – 15.00	<u>Adopting Technology</u> Moderator: Michelle Tjokrosaputro, Danliris, Indonesia • <u>Creating Future Together - New Ways of Collaborations</u> Yogi Dandapure, Lululemon, Canada • <u>Decarbonising Supply Chains through Technology</u> Calvin Woolley, IKEA, Sweden • <u>Digital Product Passport: Impacts on the Global Supply Chain & Technology Requirements</u> Braz Costa, CITEVE, Portugal • <u>Digital Sampling in the Apparel Industry – Concept to Reality</u> Elizabeth Syiem, s.Oliver, Indonesia Panel Discussion / Q&A
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee Break (Foyer Grand Kraton, 2 nd Floor)
15.30 – 16.15	<u>Audit Fatigue-Session – Progress Made & Way Forward</u> Moderator: Matthijs Crietee, IAF, Netherlands • <u>Progressing from Growth to Audit Fatigue Reduction through SLCP</u> Janet Mensink, SLCP, Netherlands • <u>How Target is Addressing Audit Fragmentation across its Global Value Chains</u> Ninh Trinh, Target, Hong Kong, China • <u>From Audit Pain to Audit Convergence – A Manufacturer Perspective</u> Thomas Park, TP Inc., Korea Panel Discussion / Q&A
16.15 – 18.00	<u>ITMF Awards Session</u>
16.15 – 17.00	<u>Winners of the ITMF Sustainability & Innovation Award 2025</u> Moderator: Juan Pares, Textil Santanderina, Spain • <u>AI for Textile Factories and Fashion Brands</u> Gilberto Loureiro, Smartex, Portugal • <u>Industrial-scale Production of High-Performance Bio-based Spandex</u> Bin Zhang, LDZ New Aoshen Spandex, China • <u>Planet Conscious for a Sustainable Future</u> Siddharth Raj, Archroma, Indonesia Panel Discussion / Q&A
17.00 – 18.00	<u>Winners of the ITMF International Collaboration Award 2025</u> Moderator: Mohamed Kassem, WTC, Egypt • <u>Next-Gen Textile Material, New Model of International Circular Collaboration</u> Neo Wang, Tangshan Sanyou Group, China • <u>ReMode - Unlocking Circular Fashion Design Excellence</u> Zeynep Ömerogullari Basyigit, Bursa Uludag University, Türkiye • <u>From Waste to Worth – The T2T Collaboration Story</u> Se Heun Kwon, Hyosung, Indonesia • <u>Biological Recycling of PET/Polyester</u> Fanny Liao, Far Eastern New Century, Chinese Taipei Panel Discussion / Q&A

18.00 – 18.10	<u>Invitation to the ITMF Annual Conference & IAF Fashion Convention 2026</u>
19.00 – 21.00	Farewell Reception & Buffet Dinner at the Marriott Hotel (Foyer Kraton and Ballroom Kraton) <u>Dress code</u> : casual
Sunday, October 26	
03.30 – 13.00 or 08.00 – 15.00	Post-Conference Excursion Sunrise Tour to Borobudur Temple (at additional costs) Post-Conference Excursion Day Tour to Borobudur Temple (at additional costs)
Monday, October 27	
07.45 – 18.00	Company Visits to Pan Brothers (www.panbrotherstbk.com/) and Dan Liris (www.danliris.com/en/)