

SUMMARY PROGRAM

ORBICOM 2026 ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

MEDIA, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, AND DEMOCRACY

Communication Imaginaries in a Fragmented Digital World

OCTOBER 26–30, 2026

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	MONDAY, OCTOBER 26	TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27	WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29	FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30
8:30		8:30–9:00 A.M. WELCOME FOR PARTICIPANTS AND SPEAKERS	8:30–9:00 A.M. WELCOME FOR PARTICIPANTS AND SPEAKERS	8:30–9:00 A.M. WELCOME FOR PARTICIPANTS AND SPEAKERS	
9:00		9:00–10:00 A.M. OPENING ADDRESS	9:00–10:00 A.M. PLENARY SESSION AND DISCUSSION	9:00–9:30 A.M. PLENARY SESSION	
10:00		10:00–11:15 A.M. PLENARY SESSION OF THE UNESCO CHAIRS: MIL AND UNESCO 80	10:00–11:15 A.M. PANELS	9:30–11:15 A.M. PANELS	STARTING AT 10 A.M. OPTIONAL CULTURAL ACTIVITIES: A TOUR OF THE MONTREAL BOTANICAL GARDEN AND INDEPENDENT EXPLORATION OF MONTREAL.
11:00		11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. MIL AND UNESCO 80 WORKSHOPS	11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. PANELS	11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. PANELS	
12:00		12:30–2:00 P.M. LUNCH BREAK	12:30–2:00 P.M. LUNCH BREAK	12:30–2:00 P.M. LUNCH BREAK	
1:00	1:30–2:00 P.M. WELCOME				
2:00	2:00–4:00 P.M. ORBICOM AGM	2:00–3:15 P.M. UNESCO PLENARY SESSION	2:00–3:15 P.M. PANELS	2:00–3:15 P.M. PANELS	
3:00		3:15–3:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK	3:15–3:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK	3:15–3:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK	
4:00	4:00–5:00 P.M. PRESENTATION OF THE 3RD EDITION OF COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS	3:30–5:00 P.M. MIL AND UNESCO 80 WORKSHOPS	3:30–5:00 P.M. PANELS	3:30–5:00 P.M. RECOMMANDATIONS MILL WEEK	
5:00					
6:00		5:30 P.M. OPENING COCKTAIL RECEPTION HOSTED BY THE IEIM AND TRIBUTE TO THE GREAT SCIENTISTS			
7:00			7:00 P.M. FESTIVE EVENING	7:00 P.M. ORBICOM FRIENDS' DINNER	

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