

## **Topics to Be Covered in the SABIT Standards in Information Technology Program**

*This list is by no means exhaustive, but indicates some of the main areas of interest for the delegation. Host companies are invited to discuss these or other topics related to product and manufacturing standards, testing, and certification for information technology hardware and software.*

- Information Technology in the United States: Current Technology and Future Trends
- International standards/ISO
- IT standards development
- Certification
- Calibration
- Laboratory accreditation
- Quality systems
- The U.S. Regulatory System
- Role of Standards in the Information Technology Industry – Hardware and Software
- Conformity Assessment in Information Technology
- Role of Metrology in Information Technology
- Computerized Information Networks
- Achievements in Modern Microelectronics
- Role of Telecommunications in Information Technology
- Encryption Technology
- Role of Government and Private Sector in Information Protection
- Product Safety and Testing
- Manufacturing
- E-Commerce
- Market Surveillance
- Consumer Satisfaction
- Experience/Challenges in Eurasian Markets