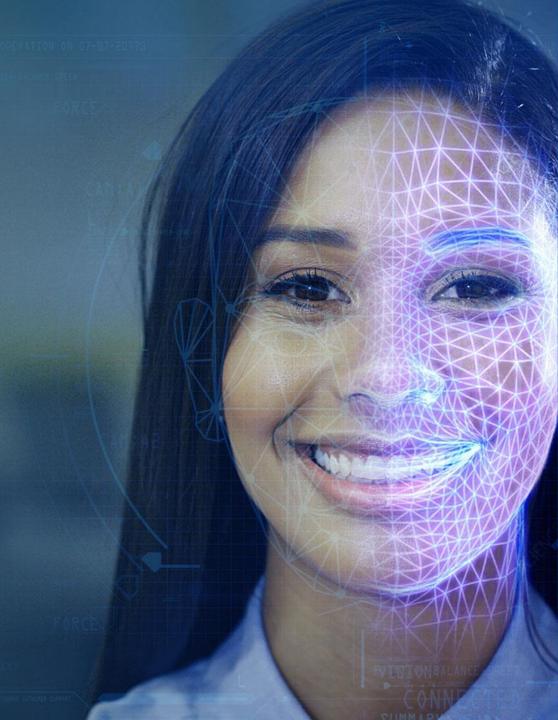# Joint ICAO/INTERPOL

Biometric Forum

Following TRIP2023
14 September 2023 | Montreal, Canada

Responsible Use and Sharing of Biometrics in Counterterrorism

TRIP2023
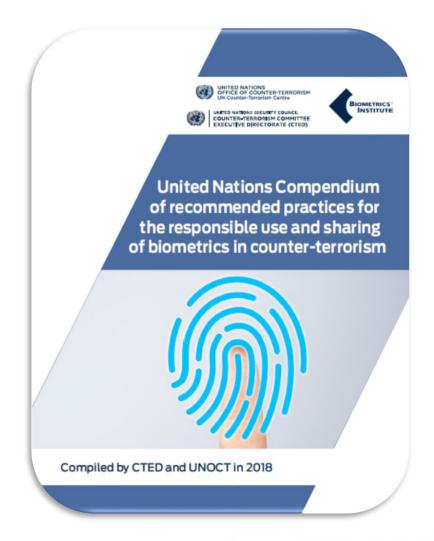
ICAO

Ms. Gladys Tong

United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee
Executive Directorate (CTED)

CTED | UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL
COUNTER-TERRORISM COMMITTEE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORATE

- **Effective tool in response to the security threat posed by terrorists and FTFs**

- **SCR 2322 (2016)**

- **SCR 2396 (2017) – sets the requirement**

- **2018 Addendum to the Guiding Principles on Foreign Terrorist Fighters**

- **CTED Technical Guide**

- **CTC recommendations, incl. on TA needs**

- **Dissemination of good practices**

Verification and identification

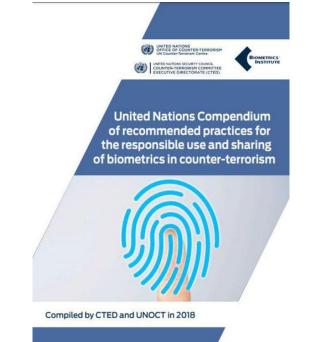**Linking a person to an activity, event, location or another person before, during or after an incident**

Linking one event to another event or multiple events

Locating and linking data across different electronic and digital systems

ICAO TRIP2023

ICAO

CTED | UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL COUNTER-TERRORISM COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE DIRECTORATE

The Compendium 2018

United Nations Compendium of recommended practices for the responsible use and sharing of biometrics in counter-terrorism
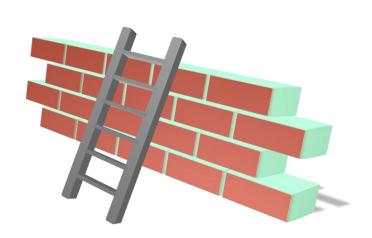
Compiled by CTED and UNOCT in 2018

Systems to collect biometric data to responsibly and properly identify terrorists, including FTFs
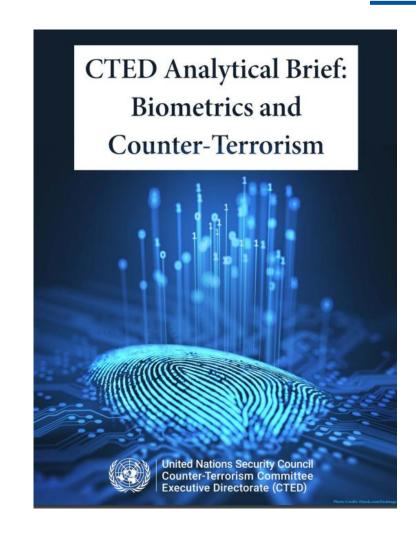
Main Global Implementation Challenges

- **Resources**

- **Legislation, procedures, and protocols**

- **Complex threat landscape**

- **Risk mitigation**

- **Potential vulnerabilities of biometric systems**

Next? Resources?

- **Fast developing technologies (seamless, touchless applications)**

- **Human rights related concerns**

- **Continued cooperation with the Biometrics Institute (cooperation arrangement June 2018)**

- **Cooperation under the Global CT coordination compact BMLE WG, all relevant partner entities as members**

- **Link to other capabilities e.g., UN Countering Terrorist Travel Programme; watchlisting...**

- **Please visit:**
  https://spark.adobe.com/page/lcUsDnbIoyI1N/

CTED Analytical Brief: Biometrics and Counter-Terrorism

United Nations Security Council
Counter-Terrorism Committee
Executive Directorate (CTED)

ICAO TRIP2023

CTED UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL COUNTER-TERRORISM COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE DIRECTORATE

East River, NYC. 11 Sept
Photo Credit: Kiki Chan

Thank you

For more information:

❖Please visit our website: https://www.un.org/sc/ctc/

❖ And follow us on social media:
Twitter: @un_cted
Facebook: @UnitedNationsCTED
Instagram: @un_cted
Flickr: un_cted
YouTube: United Nations CTED

CTED | UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL
COUNTER-TERRORISM COMMITTEE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORATE