

Luis Neves, GeSI Managing Director



Luis Neves joined the Global e-Sustainability Initiative as Managing Director at the end of 2017, after having served for ten years as Chairman of the GeSI Board. During that time, he was also Group Climate Change and Sustainability Officer and Vice President of Corporate Responsibility at Deutsche Telekom, which he joined in 2004. Prior to that, Luis had worked for Marconi Telecom in Portugal, and served in a variety of roles in international bodies including the European Commission, the United Nations Global Compact, and the European Round Table of Industrialists Climate Change Group. As GeSI Chairman, Luis was the driving force behind the SMART series of reports, assessing and quantifying the potential contribution of ICT in the transition to a low-carbon, sustainable economy; and he was instrumental in the development of the GeSI #SystemTransformation report, building on the SMART work findings to evaluate the fundamental role ICT will play in supporting the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.