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Dubai International Humanitarian Aid & Development Conference & Exhibition

Dubai International Humanitarian Aid & Development Conference & Exhibition 2026

August 24 - 26 2026, Dubai World Trade Centre (DWTC)

Switzerland.

Overview – The Global Humanitarian Market

The global demand for coordinated humanitarian and development action continues to grow. From climate-linked disasters and health system disruptions to large-scale displacement and infrastructure collapse, the need for rapid, reliable, and purpose-aligned solutions has never been greater.

Within this context, Switzerland is globally recognized for its neutrality, engineering excellence, and humanitarian commitment. Swiss companies—large and small—play a crucial role in enabling aid delivery, clean water access, emergency shelter, crisis logistics, sustainable energy, and medical support.

DIHAD 2026 at a Glance

DIHAD 2026 – Dubai International Humanitarian Aid & Development Conference & Exhibition
15–17 May 2026 | Dubai World Trade Centre

DIHAD 2026, held under the slogan "Building Bridges for a Better Tomorrow", is the leading humanitarian platform in the Middle East, where UN agencies, NGOs, government delegations, and private-sector innovators converge to shape the future of global aid and sustainable development.

DIHAD also features a high-level conference program with over 60 expert speakers, addressing urgent topics such as humanitarian logistics, digital innovation, health system resilience, and climate-linked crisis response. This combination of exhibition and strategic dialogue makes DIHAD a critical platform—where practical solutions, funding opportunities, and cross-sector partnerships take shape on a global scale.

Why Exhibit at DIHAD 2026 – Powered by T-LINK

Exhibiting in the SWISS Pavilion at DIHAD positions your organization within a trusted national framework—amplifying credibility, access, and visibility in the global humanitarian sector.

T-LINK ensures seamless participation by managing logistics and execution before, during, and after the event. From stand construction to strategic support, our service lets you stay focused on partnerships and outcomes—while we take care of the rest.

- Prestigious Swiss branding that signals quality, neutrality, and humanitarian alignment
- Prime location in the exhibition hall for maximum visibility and traffic flow
- Turnkey booth setup and seamless on-site coordination by T-LINK
- Shared hospitality and networking areas to host delegations and buyers
- Promotion via official Swiss export channels, including swisstrade.com
- Strategic alignment with procurement expectations from UN agencies, NGOs, and global donors

Key Figures 2025

20'745 Attendees

11'796 SQM Overall Space

1'078 Entities

158 Buyers

160+ Countries

Switzerland.

Registration Form

SWISS Pavilion at Dubai International Humanitarian Aid and Development (DIHAD), 24.08. - 26.08.2026
You will find our General Terms and Conditions on the back side of this registration form. They are an integral part of this contract.

Exhibitor/Company _____ Contact _____

Address _____ Position _____

ZIP/Place _____ E-Mail _____

Phone/Fax _____ Website _____

DIHAD 2026 Participation Costs

EXHIBITION PARTICIPATION FORMULA	PRICE IN CHF
☐ **Joint Area** ▪ With bistro service, drinks, coffee and snacks ▪ Logo wall & individual space for your graphics ▪ Registered as an exhibitor at DIHAD, with access to meeting platforms, exhibitor badges and company details ▪ Invitation "Swiss Evening" (date to be confirmed) ▪ Your own Swisstrade article distribution through the worldwide newsletter	**6'200.–**
☐ **Lounge+** ▪ 1 lockable counter ▪ 1 brochure rack ▪ Lighting, cleaning, utilization of the community zone, incl. service, drinks, snacks ▪ Registered as an exhibitor at DIHAD, with access to meeting platforms, exhibitor badges and company details ▪ Invitation "Swiss Evening" (date to be confirmed) ▪ Your own Swisstrade article distribution through the worldwide newsletter	**7'700.–**

Place/Date _____ Signature/Stamp _____

EXCLUDED SERVICES - PAYMENT CONDITIONS - APPLICATION DEADLINE
Excluded services: individual booth design, additional poster spaces, addition for a corner booth, insurances, transport, individual support by Swiss Embassy and Swiss Business Hub
Payment conditions: 100% with your registration
Registration to T-LINK MANAGEMENT AG, Schwerzistrasse 6, CH- 8807 Freienbach, fairspace@t-link.ch

Upcoming Exhibitons with SWISS Pavilion
tick the appropriate to receive the documentation and further details

☐ **WFES/ADSW** (12th- 14th January 2027) Abu Dhabi

Switzerland.

General Terms and Conditions

T-LINK MANAGEMENET AG / LTD

for official Swiss participation in international trade fairs, other official joint events and Swiss exhibitions abroad

1. Field of application

T-LINK MANAGEMENT AG (T-LINK) organizes Swiss participation on international exhibitions, other associate activities of the Swiss economy as well as international Swiss tradeshows.

2. Tender and execution of contract

Registration for participation in an event/trade fair must be received by T-LINK in writing within the time limit for registration specified in the participation documents.
A registration received in good time does not establish a right to participation or a particular size or location of an assigned booth. Late registrations may be considered only based on available space .
The contract is deemed executed only upon written confirmation of registration by T-LINK.

3. Payment terms

3.1 The full participation price must be paid in full within four weeks before the start of the event/ trade fair; otherwise the Client shall not be entitled to participate.

3.2 In the event that the exhibitor becomes delinquent in a due payment and T-LINK rescinds the contract effective immediately, the registration fees and agreed participation price shall be payable in penalty.

3.3 T-LINK will invoice the costs of Special Services after the close of the event; such charges shall likewise be payable within 10 days.

4. Delivery/changes/delinquency/cancellation

4.1 In the event that an exhibitor elects, after execution of the contract, not to participate or to reduce the previously agreed scope of participation, the registration fee and full participation price for the Basic Services, subject to the limitation in section shall remain due along with compensation for expenses already incurred by T-LINK for special services.

4.2 Cancellation of the contract by the exhibitor is effective only if in written form (by letter or fax). Cancellation by e-mail is not admissible. In the event of timely written withdrawal, the following reductions from the price of participation are granted:
– if received at least six months before the exhibition: 30% reduction;
– if received at least four months before the exhibition: 10% reduction.
If the exhibitor withdraws its registration less than four months before the exhibition, the full participation price and full registration fee are payable.
If the exhibitor arranges for a suitable replacement exhibitor to assume the executed contract under the same terms, the original exhibitor's obligations shall be discharged up to the amount of the payment of the participation price by the replacement exhibitor. The registration fee and additional expenses incurred by T-LINK remain payable in any case. The replacement exhibitor is also required to pay the registration fee.

4.3 T-LINK may undertake a reduction in the registered booth space or a change of location at any time. In this event the exhibitor shall be entitled to withdraw in writing within one week of receiving notification of such a change in the contractual terms if the exhibitor's interests are unreasonably adversely affected thereby.
If the adverse effect is reasonable, the exhibitor may nevertheless withdraw from the contract but shall be liable for the costs of withdrawal. The costs of such withdrawal are calculated as specified in section 4.3.

4.4 If it becomes impossible to participate in a trade fair as planned, the registered trade fair participant shall not be entitled to indemnification for loss of any expected business transactions that would have occurred while taking part in the fair.

5. Special terms for participation in events/trade fairs T-LINK services

5.1 Basic Services: On assuming organizational responsibility, T-LINK undertakes to provide the Client with ideal conditions for participating in the trade fair and to make all arrangements necessary to organize a dignified and unified event in keeping with Switzerland's reputation. The price for Basic Services (participation price) includes rental of the exhibition space and the services specified in the announcement.
T-LINK is the sole principal for the Basic Services vis-à-vis third parties.
T-LINK assigns locations and booth space in cooperation with the trade fair management. T-LINK will make all reasonable efforts to meet exhibitors' wishes in respect of location. Any confirmation of location and size of the exhibition space does not establish a legal claim. T-LINK reserves the right to assign the exhibitor a booth at a location other than that confirmed, to change the size of the exhibitor's space (e.g. in the event of overbooking), to relocate or close entrances and exits to the fairgrounds and halls and to undertake other structural changes in the event that exceptional circumstances give rise to a significant interest on T-LINK's part in undertaking such measures.

5.2 Special Services: All services above and beyond the Basic Services, unless expressly agreed otherwise, are invoiced separately as Special Services on a cost basis including any handling charge. These include, without limitation, additional equipment and furniture, outlets, installations and operating costs for electricity and tele-communications, water, compressed air, gas, etc. as well as services such as additional exhibitor IDs, parking cards, etc.

6. Exhibitor's obligations

6.1 The guidelines and rules established by the trade fair management are binding on all exhibitors. The responsible T-LINK project manager or his or her deputy retain domiciliary rights. T-LINK or third parties appointed by T-LINK represent the interests of the Swiss exhibitors vis-à-vis the trade fair management.

6.2 The design and operation of the rented space must be in harmony with the overall image of the fair. The exhibitor shall comply with the instructions of T-LINK or the trade fair management in this respect. T-LINK's guidelines and instructions apply on a subsidiary basis for the design and operation of booths.

6.3 The exhibitor undertakes to complete the trade fair booth by the opening of the exhibition. The exhibitor is obliged to staff and supply the booth with exhibition materials for the entire time that the exhibition is open and to begin dismantling the booth only after the close of the exhibition.

6.4 Presentations of any kind and special actions (such as noisy or otherwise disruptive demonstrations, sale or free distribution of goods) are subject to express approval by T-LINK. Visual or acoustic disturbance of neighbouring booths or obstructions in the booth and aisle spaces are prohibited. In the event of infringement, T-LINK reserves the right at its own discretion to prohibit troublesome or obstructive presentations and, in the event of repeated infractions, to terminate the booth rental contract with immediate effect.

6.5 The engagement of local personnel, interpreters, etc. is in principle the responsibility of each exhibitor, but may be arranged through T-LINK at the exhibitor's request and expense.

7. Transport, insurance and security measures

7.1 Packing, round-trip transport, customs clearances, storage and insurance of the exhibited goods and empties are the responsibility of each individual exhibitor unless otherwise agreed.

7.2 Participation does not include insurance cover. Securing liability, accident, illness, property, repatriation insurance, etc. is the responsibility of each exhibitor. Even if T-LINK prescribes a freight forwarder, insurer or connecting link for certain activities on a binding basis in individual cases, the legal relations are based solely on the agreements concluded between the exhibitors and the contracting party. T-LINK's role in such cases is solely that of an intermediary. If T-LINK provides the authorities with guarantees for the temporary admission of goods on behalf of exhibitors, the exhibitor undertakes to comply with the associated obligations and hold T-LINK harmless.

8. Assignment/involvement of third parties

8.1 During participation in events/trade fairs, co-exhibitors may use the exhibition space rented by the exhibitor only with the written consent of T-LINK and an additional registration. Co-exhibitors are participants appearing in some form in an exhibitor's booth, whether through lettering, exhibits or entry in the trade fair catalogue. A separate registration fee is charged for each co-exhibitor. When accepting co-exhibitors, the exhibitor is liable to T-LINK for compliance with the present contractual terms and conditions, any individual agreements and for any damage caused by the co-exhibitor.
Presentation of foreign exhibits or licensees of Swiss companies is permitted only with the approval of T-LINK.

9. Warranty and liability

9.1 T-LINK is not liable for late arrival of goods for exhibit, defective support by local representatives of Swiss companies, theft of or damage to goods for exhibits and personal effects, force majeure, official confiscation, etc.

9.2 T-LINK refuses liability for adverse effects or damage occurring to the exhibitor through its own conduct in contravention of the contract. T-LINK is liable to the exhibitor for damage demonstrably caused deliberately or through gross negligence by T-LINK or its contracting partners (booth assemblers, trade fair management, graphic artists, etc.). All further liability of T-LINK is excluded.

9.3 T-LINK bears no responsibility if an event is not held or planned participation does not occur due to unforeseen compelling circumstances. The costs of Basic Services incurred up to this date will be invoiced on a pro rata basis to the registered exhibitors. Expenses for Special Services will be invoiced to the exhibitors on an individual basis.

9.4 T-LINK is not liable to the exhibitor for any consequences arising from the location or surroundings of the booth.

10. Applicable law

Unless and except as these T&C contain provisions to the contrary, the legal relations between the parties are governed exclusively by Swiss law.

11. Jurisdiction

The exclusive place of jurisdiction for the legal relations existing between the parties is Zurich.
Freienbach / Stand: January 2006

SWISS Pavilion @ DIHAD 2025

Exhibitors on the SWISS Pavilion benefit from an uncomplicated preparation and an ideal networking platform to access the local market or to extend present business relations. T-LINK provides a SWISS Pavilion with central hospitality infrastructure. The SWISS Pavilion is strongly supported by the official Swiss Network in the GCC Region, as well as further partners.

Benefit from strong and highly accepted brand "Made in Switzerland". Bring your guest to the inviting hospitality area to hold your meetings or just get into contact with the various delegations, visiting the SWISS Pavilion.

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