The World Summit Award 2003

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The best in e-Content and Creativity

Abdoulaye Wade, President of Senegal

Ion Iliescu, President of Romania

Robert Kocharian, President of the Republic of Armenia

Begum Khaleda Zia, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Franz Morak, Secretary of State for the Arts and Media, Austria

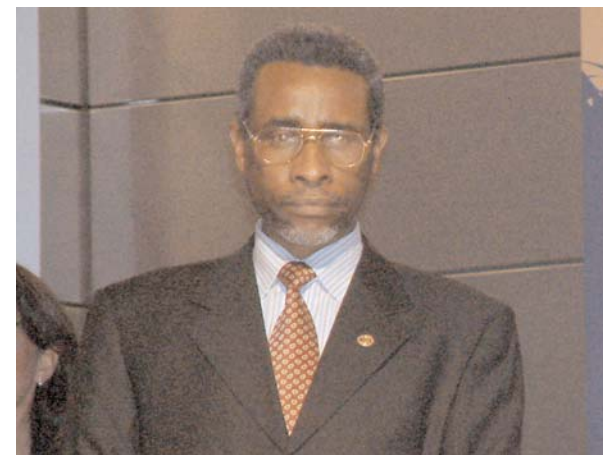**Montassar Ouaili,** Secretary of State to the Minister of Communication Technologies and Transport, Tunisia

Begum Khaleda Zia and her entourage enjoy the showcase event

Peter A. Bruck (Austria) and **Roma Khanna** (Canada), the ceremony hosts for the evening

Abel Rwendeire, Managing Director, Programme Development and Technical Cooperation Division, UNIDO

Abdullah Al Karam, Director Knowledge Village, Dubai with **Peter A. Bruck**

Dan Nica, Minister of Communications and Information Technology, Romania

Paul Meyer, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Canada

Over **500 guests** from all over the globe enjoy the showcase

Franz Morak, Secretary of State for the Arts and Media, Austria hands over the certificates in the category e-culture

The team of **"Art2Life"** from Canada receives a "WSA Best e-Content" certificate

The team of **"Timehunt"** was among 5 selected in the category e-Entertainment

Abdoulaye Wade with the producers of **"Time to Market"** from Senegal

The stage of the World Summit Award Showcase Event

Mary Hanafin T.D, Minister for the Information Society, Ireland and **Bertie Ahern,** Taoiseach (Prime Minister) of Ireland with the team of **"school.ie"**

Erkki Likanen, European Commissioner for Enterprise and Information Society

Waheed AlBalushi, Peter A. Bruck and representatives of the Ministry of Commerce, Bahrain

Partners from Dubai: **Huda Almutawa** and **Omar Saab**

Peter A. Bruck with WSA Jury members **Waheed AlBalushi,** Bahrain and **Sheika Lubna Al Qasimi,** Dubai

Peter A. Bruck with **Abdullah Al Karam,** Director Knowledge Village, Dubai

The **WSA Exhibition Stand** was one of the most visited stands due to the immense variety of projects presented there

The Executive Secretary for e-Government **Christian Rupp** (Austria) at the WSA stand

Franz Morak gets an introduction to the world`s best in e-content

A glimpse of the **WSA Exhibition Stand** at the ICT4D Platform

WSA Jury members: **Andy Carvin, Sona Makulová, Garegin Chugaszyan, Md. AKteruzzaman**

WSA Jury Member **Osama Manzar,** India presents his book **"E-Content: Voices from the Ground"**

Speakers at the Press Conference: **Daniel Annerose, Suzanne Stein, Sheika Lubna Al Qasimi, Osama Manzar, Elizabeth Quat, Waheed AlBalushi, Mingshu Li**

Daniel Annerose, CEO of Manobi, Producer of Time to Market, Senegal

Journalists at the World Summit Award Press Conference

Effat El-Shooky, WSA Jury Member 2003 and Vice President of RITSEC & Director of the Global Distance Learning Center Egypt

Peter A. Bruck, Elizabeth Quat, China and the producers of **"Agricultural Expert System in China"**

WSA Jury members: **Osama Manzar,** India **Elizabeth Quat,** China and **Waheed AlBalushi,** Bahrain