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Programme of meetings and agenda

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Official meetings

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General Assembly

Seventy-fourth session

15:00 **■** [webcast]

1st plenary meeting

General Assembly Hall

Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly

Minute of silent prayer or meditation

Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee

Organization of work of the seventy-fourth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chair of the Committee on Conferences

A/74/340

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Security Council

11:00 **■** [webcast] 8620th meeting

Security Council Chamber

Adoption of the agenda

The situation in Afghanistan

S/2019/703

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Think Green!



The General Assembly will take note of the letter from the Secretary-General concerning three Member States in arrears in the payment of financial contributions to the United Nations within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter.

A/74/327

For more information, please visit the website of the Presidency of the Security Council.

Link: Website

Contact: SCAD SCSB (dppa-scsb3@un.org,

212-963-5258)

General Assembly

Seventy-fourth session

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10

Board of Auditors

United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10

Executive meeting

Security Council

Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions

15:00 - 18:00 Closed Conference Room 7

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-fourth session

23 September 2019

09:00 High-level plenary meeting → [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

15:00 High-level plenary meeting → [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

Universal Health Coverage

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level meeting on universal health coverage, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 73/131 and decision 73/522.

The list of speakers will open on 19 August 2019, at 9:00.

The list of speakers will be closed on 16 September 2019, at 17:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *three minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *five minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 15 August 2019, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 6 August 2019, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and Provisional programme

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11:00

Multi-stakeholder panel **■** [webcast]

Economic and Social Council Chamber

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15:00

Economic and Social Council Chamber

Universal Health Coverage

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High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development under the auspices of the General Assembly

24 September 2019

15:00 **■** [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

25 September 2019

Trusteeship Council Chamber
Trusteeship Council Chamber

The President of the General Assembly will convene the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development under the auspices of the General Assembly pursuant to resolution 67/290 and decision 72/522.

Delegations of participating States and the European Union wishing to deliver a statement on behalf of a group of States during the plenary segments to be held on 24 September 2019 from 16:00 to 17:00, and 25 September 2019, from 17:05 to 17:50, are invited to inscribe on the list of speakers beginning on 22 July 2019 by contacting the ECOSOC Affairs Branch.

Delegations inscribing in plenary segments may not inscribe in any of the Leaders Dialogues.

All other delegations are invited to indicate two preferred options for the Leaders Dialogues through the e-speakers module in e-deleGATE.

Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 28 June 2019, 18 July 2019 and 23 July 2019, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of participants are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal by 6 September 2019.

For participation and seating arrangements, intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions that do not have access to edeleGATE, should send their delegation lists to the General Assembly and ECOSOC Affairs Division by 15:00, 10 September 2019.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and Website

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High-level commemorative event of the General Assembly "Thirtieth anniversary of the adoption of the Convention on the Rights of the Child"

25 September 2019

08:30

■ [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Intergovernmental organizations wishing to attend the event should send their expressions of interest to United Nations Children's Fund Secretariat by 12:00, on 19 September 2019 noting that only 10 passes will be available and given on a first come first serve basis.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 13 September 2019, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Contacts: Sangeeta Sharma (sharma7@un.org), Prince Gregorio (UNICEF Secretariat) (pgregorio@unicef.org), Vincent Wilkinson (wilkinsonv@un.org, 212-963-7011)

High-Level Dialogue on Financing for Development

26 September 2019

10:00 **■** [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the Secretary-General A/74/260

10:00: Opening of the session10:30: Interactive dialogue 1

11:45: Interactive dialogue 2

15:00 **■** [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the Secretary-General A/74/260

15:00: Interactive dialogue 3

16:25: Interactive dialogue 4

17:45: Closing of the session

The President of the General Assembly will convene the High-Level Dialogue on Financing for Development on 26 September 2019 pursuant to resolution 69/313.

Delegations wishing to engage in the interactive dialogues are invited to express their interest through the e-speakers module in e-deleGATE, indicating which dialogue, from 29 July 2019 to 10 September 2019.

Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 22 July 2019 and 25 July 2019, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

For participation and seating arrangements, intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions, should send their delegation lists to the General Assembly and ECOSOC Affairs Division by 15:00, 10 September 2019.

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contacts: Jonathan Viera - OPGA (henry.vierasalazar@un.org) and Raffaella De Lia, DGACM (IGOs/UN System) (delia@un.org)

High-level plenary meeting to commemorate and promote the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons

26 September 2019

11:00 **webcast**

Conference Room 4

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level plenary meeting to commemorate and promote the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 73/40.

The list of speakers will open on 26 August 2019 at 09:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

The time limit for interventions is *four minutes*.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 19 July 2019, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contacts: Sonia Elliott (elliotts@un.org); Alexander Lomaia (lomaia@un.org); Lidija Komatina, for inquiries regarding the e-list of speakers (komatina@un.org); Gerard Cianciulli (cianciulli@un.org)

15:00

High-level plenary meeting - Small Island Developing States Accelerated Modalities of Action (SAMOA) Pathway

27 September 2019

10:00 **■** [webcast]

■ [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Trusteeship Council Chamber

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level review of the Small Island Developing States Accelerated Modalities of Action (SAMOA) Pathway in accordance with General Assembly resolutions 71/225 and 72/307, and decision 73/522.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 31 July 2019, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Delegations wishing to engage in the interactive dialogues are invited to express their interest through the e-speakers module in e-deleGATE, indicating which dialogue, from 5 August 2019 to 6 September 2019.

For participation and seating arrangements, intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commission should send their delegation lists to the General Assembly and ECOSOC Affairs Division by 15:00, 10 September 2019.

Contact: Nehali Anupriya, Office of the President of the General Assembly (nehali.anupriya@un.org) and Paolo Dua, DGACM (IGO/UN System) (duap@un.org)

General Committee

18 September 2019

10:00

1st meeting (closed)

Economic and Social Council Chamber

Organization of work of the seventy-fourth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum of the Secretary-General - A/BUR/74/1

General Assembly

Seventy-fourth session

First Committee

Seventy-fourth session

3 October 2019

15:00 - 18:00

Organizational meeting — [webcast]

Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

7 October 2019

10:00 - 13:00

2nd plenary meeting **—** [webcast]

Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 7 to 16 October 2019.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 9 September 2019.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 8 October 2019, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of 8 minutes for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and 13 minutes for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 to 31 October 2019.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 10 October 2019 and close on 22 October 2019, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and Website

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-fourth session

3 October 2019

10:00 - 13:00

1st plenary meeting **—** [webcast]

Conference Room 4

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers through the Committee's website.

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

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Second Committee

Seventy-fourth session

2 October 2019

10:00 - 10:30

1st plenary meeting **—** [webcast]

Conference Room 2

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website and Side Events

Contacts: Mary Constable (constablem@un.org), Paolo Dua (duap@un.org), Jose Tanoy (tanoy@un.org), PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) (papersmart2@un.org)

7 October 2019

10:00 - 13:00

2nd plenary meeting **■** [webcast]

Conference Room 2

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general debate and general discussion of individual agenda items will open on 25 September 2019, at 09:00.

Permanent missions and observer States are reminded that requests for inscription should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers system.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 25 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of their representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 17:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website and Side events

Contacts: Mary Constable (constablem@un.org), Paolo Dua (duap@un.org), Jose Tanoy (tanoy@un.org), PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) (papersmart2@un.org)

Third Committee

Seventy-fourth session

1 October 2019

10:00 - 13:00

1st plenary meeting **—** [webcast]

Conference Room 1

The Third Committee will consider its proposed organization of work and other organizational matters and begin its substantive work for the session.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general discussion on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 16 September 2019.

An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

In accordance with established practice, the time limits of 5 minutes for individual Member States and 12 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during the general discussion will be observed.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Please include the following text in the subject line of the email "Third Committee list of speakers"

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible to the secretariat of the Committee.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions that do not have access to e-deleGATE are kindly requested to email their list of participants to the secretariat of the Third Committee.

Link: e-deleGATE Portal and Website

Contacts: List of speakers for IGOs, Observers, UN system, specialized agencies and regional commissions (leonc@un.org), Room reservations for informal consultations

(leonc@un.org), List of participants (Intergovernmental organizations and UN system) (laabas@un.org)

Fifth Committee

Seventy-fourth session (7 October-13 December 2019)

7 October 2019

10:00

1st meeting **—** [webcast]

Conference Room 3

The list of speakers for the general discussion on all agenda items before the Committee is open.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Climate Action Summit 2019

23 September 2019

10:00 - 13:00

■ [webcast]

General Assembly Hall

15:00 - 19:00

■ [webcast]

General Assembly Hall

The Secretary-General will host the Climate Action Summit on 23 September 2019.

Summit events will take place during the preceding weekend, on 21 September 2019 and 22 September 2019 at United Nations Headquarters.

Four note verbales were issued on behalf of the Secretary-General on the organization of the Summit on 20 March 2019, 26 June 2019, 11 July 2019 and 9 September 2019.

National commitments and coalition initiatives will be presented.

Heads of State or Government that have been invited to present on 23 September 2019 will have one opportunity to speak (national commitment and/or in support of one coalition initiative).

Statements will be limited to *three minutes* for Heads of State or Government and *two minutes* for non-government speakers.

Missions should kindly be aware that, in fairness to all speakers, time limits will be strictly enforced, and speakers will be interrupted should they exceed the time limit.

Should speakers wish to present longer statements, missions are encouraged to send the full versions of their national announcement to the Climate Action Summit Team for posting on the Climate Action Summit website at the conclusion of the Summit.

Link: Website

Contact: Climate Action Summit Team (ClimateActionSummitPlans@un.org)

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 16 September 2019

Security Council

[archived video]

8619th meeting

The situation in the Middle East

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Yemen to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the following briefers to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure: Mr. Martin Griffiths, Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for Yemen; and Mr. Mark Lowcock, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Mr. Griffiths (via video-teleconference from Geneva) and Mr. Lowcock.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, the United States, Kuwait, Equatorial Guinea, the Dominican Republic, Belgium, South Africa, France, Peru, China, Poland, Côte d'Ivoire, Germany, Indonesia, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of the Russian Federation.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Yemen.

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

107th - 108th plenary meetings

The summary of the 107th and 108th plenary meetings of the General Assembly will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2019/180).

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Eastern European Group (at the expert level)

10:00 - 11:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9
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Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (GRULAC) (monthly meeting)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8
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Arab Group (on First Committee (at the expert level)

11:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 11

Press conferences

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Event entitled "International Day of Peace Student Observance" (A/RES/55/282) (organized by the Department of Global Communications (DGC))

20 September 2019

09:30 - 12:30 Conference Room 4

Contact: Bo Li (li15@un.org, 212-963-4303)

Group of 77 (Thirty-first annual meeting of Senior Officials)

26 September 2019

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 1

Group of 77 (Forty-third annual meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs)

27 September 2019

11:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Event entitled "Combatting Human Trafficking in Migration Context: Best Practices, Challenges and the Global Compact for Migration" (A/RES/73/195) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Bahrain, Nigeria and the Philippines, in collaboration with the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and the International Organization for Migration (IOM))

27 September 2019

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 8

Contact: Patrick Ruiz (nypm3com@gmail.com; 212-764-1300)

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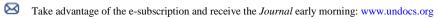
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