

DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE 58TH SESSION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (24 FEBRUARY – 4 APRIL 2025)

*Version of 11 February 2025 (PROVISIONAL AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE)**

		WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5	WEEK 6
		24 February	3 March	10 March	17 March	24 March	31 March
M O N D A Y	9.00 – 12.00	ITEM 1 Opening of session High-level segment (HLS)	- Global update by the HC (presentation only) - ID on HC oral update on Myanmar (cont'd)	ITEM 3 - ID with SR disabilities <i>accessible</i>	General debate on ITEM 3 (cont'd)	ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes (Norway, Albania, DRC, Côte d'Ivoire, Portugal, Bhutan, Dominica, DPRK, Brunei Darussalam, Costa Rica, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Qatar, Nicaragua)	
	12.00 – 15.00	HLS (cont'd)	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	UN Holiday
	15.00 – 16.00	HLS (cont'd)	General debate on ITEM 2 (cont'd)	ANNUAL DEBATE ON RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (HRC res. 7/9, 55/8, 57/6) <i>accessible</i>	General debate on ITEM 3 (cont'd)	ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes	
	16.00 – 18.00	ANNUAL HIGH-LEVEL MAINSTREAMING PANEL (HRC res. 16/21 and 57/4) <i>accessible</i>		- ID with IE foreign debt			
T U E S D A Y	10.00 – 12.00	BIENNIAL HIGH-LEVEL PANEL ON DEATH PENALTY (HRC res. 26/2 and 54/35) <i>accessible</i>	General debate on ITEM 2 (cont'd)	- ID with IE foreign debt (cont'd)	ITEM 4 - Joint ID with SR on Islamic Republic of Iran and FFM Iran (res. 55/19)	ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes	- EID on oral update of HC and team of experts on DRC (res. 57/34)
	12.00 – 13.00	HLS (cont'd)	ITEM 3 - ID with SR torture	- ID with SR food	- ID with COI on Syrian Arab Republic (res. 55/22)		- ID on OHCHR report on technical assistance for South Sudan (HRC res. 55/26)
	13.00 – 15.00	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
	15.00 – 18.00	HLS (cont'd)	- ID with SR torture (cont'd) - ID with SR freedom of religion or belief	- ID with SR food (cont'd) - ID with SR on human rights and counter-terrorism	- ID with COI on Syrian Arab Republic (cont'd) - ID with FFM on Venezuela (res. 57/36) - ID with COI Ukraine (res. 55/23)	ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes	- High-level dialogue on Central African Republic (res. 57/35) - Presentation by VF Technical Cooperation, HC annual presentation on technical cooperation and HC oral update on Georgia, followed by General debate
W E D N E S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	HLS (cont'd)	PANEL ON EARLY WARNING AND GENOCIDE PREVENTION (HRC res. 55/13) <i>accessible</i>	- ID with SR privacy - ID with SRSG on violence against children	- ID with COI Ukraine (cont'd) - ID on Group of Experts on Belarus (res. 55/27)	ITEM 6 - UPR outcomes General debate on ITEM 6 ITEM 7 - Presentation of SG/HC reports followed by General debate	General debate on ITEM 10 (cont'd) ITEM 1 Decisions and conclusions
	13.00 – 15.00	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
	15.00 – 18.00	HLS (cont'd) General segment	- ID with SR freedom of religion or belief (cont'd) - EID on OHCHR report on transitional justice	- ID with SRSG on violence against children (cont'd) - ID with SRSG on children and armed conflict	- ID with SR on DPRK (res. 55/21) - ID with SR on Myanmar (res. 55/20)	General debate on ITEM 7 (cont'd) ITEM 8 General debate	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)

		27 February		6 March		13 March		20 March		27 March		3 April	
T H U R S D A Y	10.00 – 13.00	Item 2 - ID on HC report on OPT (res. 55/28)	9.30 – 12.30	- ID with SR human rights defenders	9.30 – 10.30	- ID with SRSG on children and armed conflict (cont'd)	9.30 – 10.30	Presentation of HC report on DPRK (res. 52/28, 55/21) and oral update on Venezuela (res. 57/36) followed by General debate	9.30 – 12.30	General debate on ITEM 8 (cont'd)	10.00 – 13.00	ITEM 9 Presentation of report of IGWG on DDPA, followed by General debate	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
	13.00 – 15.00	- EID on Eritrea (res. 56/17)	12.30 – 14.30	- ID with SR cultural rights	12.30 – 14.30	ANNUAL DISCUSSION ON RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (HRC res. 7/29 and 55/29) <i>accessible</i>	12.30 – 14.30		BREAK	12.30 – 14.30	BREAK		
	15.00 – 18.00	- EID on Eritrea (cont'd)	14.30 – 16.30	PANEL ON HIV RESPONSE AND LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND (HRC res. 56/20) <i>accessible</i>	14.30 – 16.30	ANNUAL DISCUSSION ON RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (HRC res. 7/29 and 55/29) <i>accessible</i>	14.30 – 17.30	General debate on ITEM 4 (cont'd)	14.30 – 16.30	COMMEMORATION OF INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (panel, GA res. 79/161)	15.00 – 18.00	General debate on ITEM 9 (cont'd)	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
		- EID on HC report on the Sudan (with assistance of designated Expert, res. S-36/1)	16.30 – 17.30	- ID with SR cultural rights (cont'd)	16.30 – 17.30	- ID with SR sale of children	16.30 – 17.30		16.30 – 17.30				
		28 February		7 March		14 March		21 March		28 March		4 April	
F R I D A Y	9.30 – 12.30	- EID on Sudan (cont'd)	9.30 – 11.30	PANEL ON RIGHTS TO WORK AND TO SOCIAL SECURITY (HRC res. 55/9)	9.30 – 12.30	- ID with SR sale of children (cont'd)	9.30 – 12.30	General debate on ITEM 4 (cont'd)	9.30 – 12.30	General debate on ITEM 9 (cont'd)	10.00 – 13.00	ITEM 10 - ID with IE on Mali (res. 55/25)	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd)
	12.30 – 14.30	- ID on report of Commission of Human Rights in South Sudan (res. 55/1)	11.30 – 12.30	- ID with SR adequate housing	12.30 – 14.30	- ID with SR environment	12.30 – 14.30		ITEM 3 - ID with SR minorities	12.30 – 14.30	- ID with HC on Haiti (with participation of human rights expert, HRC res. 55/24)		
	12.30 – 14.30	- ID on report of Group of Human Rights Experts on Nicaragua (HRC res. 52/2)	12.30 – 14.30	BREAK	12.30 – 14.30	BREAK	12.30 – 14.30	BREAK	12.30 – 14.30	BREAK	13.00 – 15.00	BREAK	
	14.30 – 17.30	- ID on report of Group of Human Rights Experts on Nicaragua (cont'd)	14.30 – 17.30	- ID with SR adequate housing (cont'd)	14.30 – 17.30	- ID with SR environment (cont'd)	14.30 – 17.30	ITEM 5 Presentation of reports of Forum on Minority Issues and Social Forum; annual report of SPs, followed by General debate	14.30 – 17.30	- ID with HC on Haiti (cont'd)	15.00 – 18.00	Decisions and conclusions (cont'd) Appointment of mandate holders Adoption of session report	
	- ID with SR Afghanistan (res. 57/3)	17.30 – 18.00	- ID with IE albinism	17.30 – 18.00	- Presentation of reports of IGWG TNCs, SG/HC/OHCHR thematic reports, followed by General debate	17.30 – 18.00	17.30 – 18.00		- ID on HC oral update on Ukraine (HRC res. 53/30)				

*Timing and duration of interactive dialogues and debates depends on the actual number of inscribed speakers.

** Reports on OHCHR activities in Colombia; Guatemala; and Honduras, and other reports (Cyprus) and oral updates (Nicaragua, Sri Lanka)