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Human Rights Council 30th session 14 September – 2 October 2015

The following chart provides a list of themes and countries to be addressed during the upcoming 30th session of the Human Rights Council according to the programme of work. Please note that additional issues (thematic and country situations) can be raised during general debates scheduled to take place throughout the session.

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Advisory Committee	HRC to consider report of Advisory Committee on its 14 th and 15 th sessions (January and August 2015)	A/HRC/30/51	22 Sept.
	HRC to consider final report of the Advisory Committee on the role of local government in the promotion and protection of human rights (see also Local government)	A/HRC/30/49	22 Sept.
	HRC to consider finalized study of the Advisory Committee on the possibilities of using sport and the Olympic ideal to promote human rights (see also Sport)	A/HRC/30/50	22 Sept.
	The Council will elect four new members of the Advisory Committee to fill vacancies	A/HRC/30/17	1 October
African descent, people of	HRC to consider annual report of the Working Group Experts on People of African Descent, including its missions to The Netherlands and Sweden (see also The Netherlands and Sweden)	A/HRC/30/56/ and Add.1-4	28 Sept.
	HRC President to appoint member of Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent to fill vacancy for member from Latin American and Caribbean group	Consultative Group report	2 October
Andorra	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Andorra adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/9	25 Sept.
Austria	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons (Ms. Rosa Kornfeld-Matte) on her mission to Austria (see also Older persons)	A/HRC/30/43/ Add.2	16 Sept.

Belarus	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Belarus adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/3	24 Sept.
Belgium	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery (Ms. Urmila Bhoola) on her mission to Belgium (see also Slavery)	A/HRC/30/35/ Add.2	14 Sept.
Boko Haram	HRC to consider report of the OHCHR on the violations and abuses of human rights committed by Boko Haram	A/HRC/30/67	30 Sept.
Bulgaria	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Bulgaria adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/10	25 Sept.
Burundi	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth , justice , reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence (Mr. Pablo de Greiff) on his mission to Burundi (see also Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence)	A/HRC/30/42/ Add.1	15 Sept.
Cambodia	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia (Ms. Rhona Smith)	A/HRC/30/58	29 Sept.
	HRC to consider report of the Secretary-General on the role and achievements of OHCHR in assisting Cambodia in the promotion and protection of human rights	A/HRC/30/30	30 Sept.
Central African Republic	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic (Ms. Marie-Thérèse Keita Bocoum)	A/HRC/30/59	30 Sept.

Children rights	HRC to consider summary report of the High Commissioner on the outcome of the full-day meeting on the rights of the child with the theme "towards better investment in the rights of the child" held in March 2015	A/HRC/30/62	17 Sept.
Complaint procedure	HRC to consider report of the Complaint Procedure's Working Group on Situations on its 15 th and 16 th sessions (January and July 2015) – Closed meeting	Confidential report	18 Sept.
Cote d'Ivoire	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on the use of mercenaries on its mission to Cote d'Ivoire (see also Mercenaries)	A/HRC/30/34/ Add.1	17 Sept.
Croatia	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Croatia (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.3	15 Sept.
	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Croatia adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/14	25 Sept.
Cultural rights	HRC to consider study of Expert Mechanism on the rights of indigenous peoples on the promotion and protection of the rights of indigenous peoples with respect to their cultural heritage (see also Indigenous peoples)	A/HRC/30/53	22 Sept.
	HRC President to appoint mandate holder to fill vacancy for Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights	Consultative Group report	2 October
Death penalty	HRC to consider annual supplement of the Secretary-general to quinquennial report on capital punishment and on the rights of those facing the death penalty	A/HRC/30/18 HRC res 26/2	17 Sept.

	HRC to consider summary report of OHCHR on the panel discussion held at its 28 th session in March 2015 on the question of the death penalty addressing regional efforts aimed at its abolition	A/HRC/30/21	17 Sept.
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	HRC to hear oral update from the OHCHR on the role and achievements of OHCHR in the DPRK, including towards establishing the field-based structure in the Republic of Korea	Oral update	21 Sept.
	HRC to hold panel discussion on the situation of human rights in the DPRK , including on the issue of international abductions, enforced disappearances and related matters	Concept paper HRC/Res/28/22	21 Sept.
Democratic Republic of the Congo	HRC to consider report of the High Commissioner on the efforts of OHCHR to increase and strengthen its technical assistance programmes and activities aimed at improving the human rights situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	A/HRC/30/32	29 Sept.
	HRC to consider study of the High Commissioner on the impact of technical assistance and capacity-building on the human rights situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	A/HRC/30/33	29 Sept.
Detention	HRC to consider report of Working Group on Arbitrary Detention containing the draft basic principles and guidelines on remedies and procedures on the right of anyone deprived of his or her liberty	A/HRC/30/37	14 Sept.
	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention on its working methods	A/HRC/30/69	14 Sept.
	HRC to consider analytical report of the High Commissioner on the human rights implications of over-incarceration and overcrowding and on alternatives to detention	A/HRC/30/19	17 Sept.

Development, right to	HRC to consider consolidated report of the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner on inter-agency coordination within the UN system on the promotion and realization of the right to development and on activities to strengthen global partnerships for development	A/HRC/30/22	17 Sept.
Disappearances	HRC to consider annual report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, including its study on economic, social and cultural rights, its missions to Croatia, Montenegro and Serbia, including Kosovo, and follow up to its mission to Timor Leste and Mexico (see also Croatia, Montenegro, Serbia, Kosovo, Timor Leste and Mexico)	A/HRC/30/38/ and Add 1-5	15 Sept.
	HRC President to appoint member of Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances to fill vacancy for member from the Eastern European group	Consultative Group report	2 October
Drugs	HRC to consider study of the High Commissioner on the impact of the world drug problem on the enjoyment of human rights	A/HRC/30/65	28 Sept.
	HRC to hold panel discussion on the impact of the world drug problem on the enjoyment of human rights	Concept note HRC/Res/28/28	28 Sept.
Education	HRC to consider summary report of the High Commissioner on the panel discussion on realizing the equal enjoyment of the right to education by every girl held at its 29 th session (June 2015)	A/HRC/30/23	17 Sept.
	HRC to consider evaluation report of OHCHR on the implementation of the second phase of the World Programme for Human Rights Education , based on national reports	A/HRC/30/24	17 Sept.

Environment	Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes (Mr. Baskut Tuncak), including on his mission to Kazakhstan (see also Kazakhstan)	A/HRC/30/40	16 Sept.
Gender	HRC to hold annual discussion on the integration of a gender perspective throughout the work of the HRC and that of its mechanisms with a focus on gender parity (see also Women)	Concept note HRC/Res/6/30	15 Sept.
Governance	HRC to hold a panel discussion on a human rights-based approach to good governance in the public service	Concept paper A/HRC/Res/25/8	24 Sept.
High Commissioner	High Commissioner for Human Rights, Zeid Ra'ad Al Hussein, to deliver oral update to the HRC followed by a general debate	Oral update	14 Sept.
Honduras	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Honduras adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/11	25 Sept.
Indigenous peoples	HRC to consider report of the High Commissioner on the rights of indigenous peoples on relevant developments that contribute to the promotion of, respect for and full application of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples	A/HRC/30/25	17 Sept.
	HRC to consider annual report of Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples (Ms. Victoria Lucia Tauli-Corpuz), including on her mission to Paraguay (see also Paraguay)	A/HRC/30/41	22 Sept.
	HRC to consider report of the Expert Mechanism on the rights of indigenous peoples on its 8 th session (20-24 July 2015)	A/HRC/30/52	22 Sept.

	HRC to consider study of Expert Mechanism on the rights of indigenous peoples on the promotion and protection of the rights of indigenous peoples with respect to their cultural heritage (see also Cultural rights)	A/HRC/30/53	22 Sept.
	HRC to consider final summary on a questionnaire by Expert Mechanism on the rights of indigenous peoples pertaining to the implementation of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples	A/HRC/30/54	22 Sept.
	HRC to hold annual half-day panel discussion on the human rights of indigenous peoples, with a focus on the UN Declaration on the Rights of the Indigenous Peoples	Concept paper HRC/Res/27/13	22 Sept.
International order	HRC to consider the annual report of the Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order (Mr. Alfred de Zayas)	A/HRC/30/44	16 Sept.
Iraq	HRC to consider report of the High Commissioner on technical assistance and capacity-building in strengthening human rights in Iraq in light of the abuses committed by Daesh and associated terrorists groups	A/HRC/30/66	30 Sept.
Jamaica	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Jamaica adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/15	25 Sept.
Journalists, safety of	HRC to consider report of the Secretary-General to the General Assembly on the safety of journalists and the issue of impunity	A/HRC/30/68	17 Sept.
Kazakhstan	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes (Mr. Baskut	A/HRC/30/40/ Add.1	16 Sept.

	Environment)		
Kenya	HRC to consider report of the new Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation (Mr. Leo Heller) on his mission to Kenya (see also Water and sanitation)	A/HRC/30/39/ Add.2	16 Sept.
Kosovo	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Serbia, including Kosovo (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.1	15 Sept.
Liberia	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Liberia adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/4	25 Sept.
Libya	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Libya adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/16	25 Sept.
	HRC to hear oral update by the High Commissioner on the OHCHR mission to investigate violations and abuses of international human rights law committed in Libya since the beginning of 2014, to be followed by an interactive dialogue with participation of SRSG for Libya (Mr. Bernardino Leon)	Oral update	29 Sept.
Local government	HRC to consider final report of the Advisory Committee on the role of local government in the promotion and protection of human rights (see also Advisory Committee)	A/HRC/30/49	22 Sept.
Malawi	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Malawi adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015)	A/HRC/30/5	24 Sept.

(See also Universal Periodic Review)

Tuncak) on his mission to Kazakhstan (see also

Maldives	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Maldives adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/8	24 Sept.
Marshall Islands	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Marshall Islands adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/13	25 Sept.
Mauritius	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons (Ms. Rosa Kornfeld-Matte) on her mission to Mauritius (see also Older persons)	A/HRC/30/43/ Add.3	16 Sept.
Mercenaries	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on the use of mercenaries, including the findings of its global study of national laws and regulations relating to private military and security companies, and also on its mission to Cote d'Ivoire. (see also Cote d'Ivoire)	A/HRC/30/34	16 Sept.
	HRC to consider report of the intergovernmental open-ended working group on private military and security companies on its work to elaborate an international framework on the activities of such companies	A/HRC/30/47	17 Sept.
Mexico	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on follow up to its mission to Mexico (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.4	15 Sept.
Mongolia	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Mongolia adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/6	24 Sept.
Montenegro	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Montenegro (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.2	15 Sept.

Myanmar	HRC to hear oral update on the human rights violations and abuses against Rohingya Muslims and other minorities in Myanmar , particularly the recent incidents of trafficking and forced displacement	Oral update	30 Sept.
National policies	HRC to consider summary report of the High Commissioner on the panel discussion on the issue of national policies and human rights held at the 28 th session (March 2015)	A/HRC/30/28	17 Sept.
Netherlands	HRC to consider report of the Working Group Experts on People of African Descent on its mission to The Netherlands (see also African Descent, people of)	A/HRC/30/56/ Add.1	28 Sept.
Niger	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery (Ms. Urmila Bhoola) on her mission to Niger (<i>see also Slavery</i>)	A/HRC/30/35/ Add.1	14 Sept.
Older persons	Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons (Ms. Rosa Kornfeld-Matte), include on her mission to Austria, Mauritius and Slovenia (see also Austria, Mauritius and Slovenia)	A/HRC/30/43	16 Sept.
Panama	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of Panama adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/7	24 Sept.
Paraguay	HRC to consider report of Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples (Ms. Victoria Lucia Tauli-Corpuz) on her mission to Paraguay (see also Indigenous peoples)	A/HRC/30/41/ Add.1	22 Sept.
Participation, right to	HRC to consider the study of OHCHR on the right to participation in public affairs in the context of existing human rights law	A/HRC/30/26	17 Sept.

Peasants, rights of	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on the rights of peasants on progress made with the draft UN declaration on the rights of peasants	A/HRC/30/55	22 Sept.
Prevention	HRC to consider study of OHCHR on the prevention of human rights violations and its practical implementation	A/HRC/30/20	17 Sept.
Reprisals	HRC to consider the report of the Secretary- General on alleged reprisals against those who seek to cooperate or have cooperated with the United Nations	A/HRC/30/29	22 Sept.
Serbia	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Serbia , including Kosovo (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.1	15 Sept.
Slavery	Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery (Ms. Urmila Bhoola), including a thematic study on enforcing the accountability of States and businesses for preventing, mitigating and redressing contemporary forms of slavery in supply chains, and on her missions to Belgium and Niger (see also Belgium and Niger)	A/HRC/30/35	14 Sept.
Slovenia	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons (Ms. Rosa Kornfeld-Matte) on her mission to Slovenia (see also Older persons)	A/HRC/30/43/ Add.1	16 Sept.
Somalia	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia (Mr. Bahame Nyanduga)	A/HRC/30/57	30 Sept.
South Sudan	HRC to hear oral report on OHCHR mission to improve human rights, accountability, reconciliation and capacity in South Sudan	Oral update	30 Sept.

Special Procedures	HRC to consider the communications report of special procedures	A/HRC/30/27	Multiple dates
Sport	HRC to consider finalized study of the Advisory Committee on the possibilities of using sport and the Olympic ideal to promote human rights (see also Advisory Committee)	A/HRC/30/50	22 Sept.
Sri Lanka	HRC to consider the report of the High Commissioner on promoting reconciliation and accountability in Sri Lanka followed by a discussion	A/HRC/30/61	30 Sept.
Sudan	HRC to consider report of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Sudan (Mr. Aristide Nononsi)	A/HRC/30/60	29 Sept.
Sweden	HRC to consider report of the Working Group Experts on People of African Descent on its mission to Sweden (see also African Descent, people of)	A/HRC/30/56/ Add.2	28 Sept.
Syrian Arab Republic	HRC to consider report of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the Syrian Arab Republic	A/HRC/30/48	21 Sept.
Terrorism	HRC to consider summary report on the panel discussion on the effects of terrorism on the enjoyment by all persons of human rights held at 29 th session (June 2015)	A/HRC/30/64	17 Sept.
Timor Leste	HRC to consider report of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on follow up to its mission to Timor Leste (see also Disappearances)	A/HRC/30/38/ Add.4	15 Sept.
Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of	HRC to consider annual report of Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence	A/HRC/30/42	15 Sept.

non-recurrence	(Mr. Pablo de Greiff), including on his mission to Burundi (see also Burundi)		
Ukraine	HRC to hear oral update from the High Commissioner the findings of periodic reports of OHCHR on the situation of human rights in Ukraine	Oral update	29 Sept.
Unilateral coercive measures	HRC to consider annual report of the Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights (Mr. Idriss Jazairy)	A/HRC/30/45	16 Sept.
	HRC to hold biennial panel discussion on the issue of unilateral coercive measures and human rights	Concept paper HRC/Res/27/21	17 Sept.
United States of America	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcome of the review of United States of America adopted during UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 15 May 2015) (See also Universal Periodic Review)	A/HRC/30/12	24 Sept.
Universal Periodic Review (UPR)	HRC to consider and adopt the final outcomes of the review of 14 countries reviewed during the UPR Working Group's 22 nd session (4 – 5 May 2015) (See also respective countries)	Multiple	24-25 Sept.
Water and sanitation	HRC to consider annual report of the new Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation (Mr. Leo Heller), including a report setting out his priorities and on his mission to Kenya (<i>see also Kenya</i>)	A/HRC/30/39 and Add.1	16 Sept.
Women	HRC to hold annual discussion on the integration of a gender perspective throughout the work of the HRC and that of its mechanism with a focus on gender parity (see also Gender)	Concept note HRC/Res/6/30	15 Sept.
	HRC to consider summary report of OHCHR on the panel discussion on domestic violence against women and girls held during its 29 th session (June	A/HRC/30/70	17 Sept.

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Yemen HRC to consider progress report of OHCHR on the A/HRC/30/31 30 Sept.

situation of human rights in Yemen

^{*}Please note that the dates may change slightly subject to the programme.