

**No. 1****Monday, 3 October 2005****Highlights****Official Visits**

Her Excellency **Madam Chandrika Bandaranaike Kumaratunga**, President of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:00 noon.

His Excellency, **Mr John Agyekum Kufuor**, President of the Republic of Ghana, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:25 p.m.

*Delegates are requested to be seated in Room I at 11:45 a.m.*

**Special Announcements**

The election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference will be held during the Plenary session at 3:00 p.m. in Room I.

The exhibition “Oman: Heritage and Civilization” will be inaugurated by His Excellency Mr. Yahya Bin Saud Al Sulaimi, Minister of Education of Oman at 6:00 p.m. on the 7<sup>th</sup> floor, to be followed by a concert of the Royal Oman Symphony Orchestra at 8:00 p.m. in Room I.

**Programme of meetings****Today, 3 October**

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
12:00 noon	Nominations Committee Credentials Committee	IV VIII
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
5:00 p.m.	Legal Committee	VI



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# Welcome

Welcome to the 33<sup>rd</sup> session of the General Conference of UNESCO.

This *Mini Journal* provides you with an updated summary of the work of the General Conference on a daily basis. It is published in English and French, and will be distributed every day directly in your pigeonholes before 9:00 a.m. Other copies will be available at the document distribution center in the basement. Each issue of the Mini-Journal provides information on the day's meetings, brief summaries of work carried out the previous day, a provisional agenda for the following day's meetings, and a list of the speakers at the plenary meetings for the day.

More detailed and constantly updated information is available in the Webzine at the following address: <http://www.unesco.org/confgen/>. The Webzine includes information on the progress of the work of the General Conference, in particular with regard to Commissions and Committees, Draft Resolutions, elections, and other practical information, as well as details on the numerous events and meetings organized during the session. So that you can consult the Web on a daily basis, computer terminals are available in the Conference Hall (close to the Delegates' Reception) and in the basement between Rooms X and XI.

In addition, several Flash supplements will be published on specific topics. The first Flash is at your disposal this morning. It gives an overview of the events organized within the scope of or during the General Conference.

Finally, we are pleased to inform everyone that during the Conference, important live events will be made available to a wider audience via *webcast*.

We hope that your stay will be both enjoyable and productive. Do not hesitate to contact us for further information through extension numbers 85222, 84212 and 85118. If there is information that you would like to be featured on the Web, please contact the Delegates' Information Office as soon as possible ([s.coudray@unesco.org](mailto:s.coudray@unesco.org) or [d.padilla@unesco.org](mailto:d.padilla@unesco.org)).

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## Monday, 3 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	1.1 Opening of the session by the President of the 32 <sup>nd</sup> session of the General Conference	
	1.2 Establishment of the Credentials Committee and report by the Committee to the General Conference	
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
<b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
	1.5 Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference and of the Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees Examination of candidatures Distribution of <i>an informal document</i> reflecting the current status of candidatures of Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees	
<b>Credentials Committee</b>		
<b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>VIII</b>
	1.2 Establishment of the Credentials Committee and report by the Committee to the General Conference	
<b>Plenary</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Second Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	1.4 Adoption of the agenda	
	1.5 Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference and of the Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees	
	1.7 Admission to the work of the General Conference of observers from international non-governmental organizations other than those maintaining formal or operational relations with UNESCO, and recommendations of the Executive Board thereon	
	1.6 Organization of the work of the session	
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>VI</b>
	1.5 Election of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and Rapporteur	
	1.4 Adoption of the timetable	

## **Provisional schedule of meetings**

### **Tomorrow, Tuesday, 4 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
9:00 a.m	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Nominations Committee	IV

During the general policy debate, the allowed time for speakers is 8 minutes. A visual and sound system to gauge interventions has been put in place as indicated in 33 C/2.

The provisional list of speakers is available online.

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## No. 2

### Tuesday, 4 October 2005

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#### Special Announcements

- ▶ The elections to the UNESCO International Institute for Higher Education in Latin America and the Caribbean (IESALC) will be held today from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X.
- ▶ To mark the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of UNESCO, the General Conference will hold an exceptional session tomorrow, Wednesday, 5 October at 3:00 p.m. in Room I. Due to limited available space in Room I, live transmission of the event will be broadcast in Room IV.
- ▶ The 15<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of States Parties to the *World Heritage Convention* will be held in Room IV on 10-11 October. During the meeting, the General Assembly will elect twelve (12) new members to the World Heritage Committee<sup>1</sup>.

#### Programme of meetings

##### Today, 4 October

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9:00 a.m.	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
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1 The World Heritage Centre would also like to remind all States Parties candidates to the World Heritage Committee to be current with their contributions to the World Heritage Fund, before Friday, 7 October at 6:00 p.m.



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## Agenda of meetings

# Tuesday, 4 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>General Committee</b>		
9:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b>	X
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	I
	1.4 Adoption of the agenda	
	1.6 Organization of the work of the session Introduction to the General Policy Debate	
	2.1 Report of the Director-General on the activities of the Organization in 2002-2003, introduced by the Chairperson of the Executive Board	
	2.2 Report by the Executive Board on its own activities in 2004-2005 including its methods of work General Policy debate	
<b>Commission II</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b>	II
	Opening: Election of four Vice Chairs and the Rapporteur Organization and methods of work of the Commission and adoption of the timetable of work	
	<b>Debate 1:</b>	
	3.2 Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013 (34C/4)	
	<b>Debate 2:</b>	
	3.1 Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009 (34C/5) Presentations by the Chairpersons of UNESCO's education institutes	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b>	X
	Election of the Commission Bureau: Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteur Organization of the work of the Commission: Adoption of the timetable of the Commission	
	1.3 Report by the Director-General on communications received from Member States invoking the provisions of Article IV.C, paragraph 8(c), of the Constitution Setting up of the Working Group on Member State's contributions	
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b>	VI
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 (Consideration of draft resolutions considered prima facie inadmissible by the Director-General)	

## Tuesday, 4 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Fourth Meeting</b> General Policy debate (continuation)	I
<b>Commission II</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b> <b>Debate 3:</b> 4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 - Part II.A: Major Programme I - Education	II
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b> 10.5 Scale of assessments and currency of Member States' contributions 10.6 Collection of Member States' contributions 10.7 Working Capital Fund: level and administration	XI
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b> 4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 (Consideration of draft resolutions considered prima facie inadmissible by the Director-General) (continuation) 7.1 Legal framework for the elaboration, examination, adoption and follow-up of declarations, charters and other similar standard-setting instruments adopted by the General Conference and not covered by the Rules of Procedure concerning recommendations to Member States and international conventions covered by the terms of Article IV, paragraph 4, of the Constitution	VI
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b> 1.5 Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference and of the Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees ( <i>Continuation if necessary</i> ) 12.1 Election of Members of the Executive Board (Examination of candidatures)	IV

## No. 3

Wednesday, 5 October 2005

Ceremony to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of UNESCO

To mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of UNESCO, the Plenary of the General Conference will hold an exceptional Session at **3:15p.m.** in Room I. The ceremony will be honored by the official visit of **His Excellency Mr Hamid Kzai**, the President of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan and **His Excellency Mr Horst Kler**, President of the Federal Republic of Germany who will both address the delegates.

During the ceremony, Ludwig van Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 in D minor, op. 125 (listed under the Memory of the World Register) will be performed by the Frankfurt Radio Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Eliahu Inbal, and UNESCO Choir. This will be followed by the projection of the film "Impulse" which recalls the key moments in the history of UNESCO.

*Delegates are requested to be seated in Room I at 3:00 p.m. at the latest after which doors will be closed until the end of the ceremony. Live broadcast of the entire ceremony will be available in Room IV.*

The ceremony will be followed by the inauguration of the Exhibition "Education for All" by the Director-General in the presence of Her Royal Highness Princess Firyal, UNESCO Goodwill Ambassador for Education for All, and the launching of Literacy Initiative for Empowerment (LIFE) at **7:00 p.m.** in Hall Ségur.



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## Programme of meetings

## Today, Wednesday, 5 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
3:00 p.m.	Ceremony to mark the 60th anniversary of UNESCO	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI



## Agenda of meetings

# Wednesday, 5 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Commission II</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007- Part II.A: Major Programme I- Education	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	4.1 Methods of preparing the budget and budget estimates for 2006-2007 and budgeting techniques ( <i>continuation</i> )	
	4.5 Adoption of the provisional budget ceiling for 2006-2007	
	10.2 Financial report and audited financial statements relating to the accounts of UNESCO for the financial period ended 31 December 2003, and report by the External Auditor	
	10.3 Financial report and interim financial statements relating to the accounts of UNESCO as at 31 December 2004 for the financial period ending 31 December 2005	
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	<b>VI</b>
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 (Consideration of draft resolutions considered prima facie inadmissible by the Director-General) ( <i>continuation</i> )	
	7.1 Legal framework for the elaboration, examination, adoption and follow-up of declarations, charters and other similar standard-setting instruments adopted by the General Conference and not covered by the Rules of Procedure concerning recommendations to Member States and international conventions covered by the terms of Article IV, paragraph 4, of the Constitution	

## Wednesday, 5 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
3:00 p.m.	Ceremony to mark the 6 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of UNESCO	I
<b>Commission II</b>		
3:00 p.m.	Fourth Meeting	II
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007- Part II.A: Major Programme I- Education ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
3:00 p.m.	Fourth Meeting	XI
	10.3 Financial report and interim financial statements relating to the accounts of UNESCO as at 31 December 2004 for the financial period ending 31 December 2005 ( <i>continuation if necessary</i> )	
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
3:00 p.m.	Fifth Meeting	VI
	7.1 Legal framework for the elaboration, examination, adoption and follow-up of declarations, charters and other similar standard-setting instruments adopted by the General Conference and not covered by the Rules of Procedure concerning recommendations to Member States and international conventions covered by the terms of Article IV, paragraph 4, of the Constitution ( <i>continuation</i> )	
	8.5 Preparation of a comprehensive report by the Director-General to the General Conference on UNESCO's standard-setting instruments	

### List of Speakers: Plenary Meeting

The speakers listed below are scheduled to participate in the general policy debate this morning.

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Venezuela, United Republic of Tanzania, Lebanon, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Australia, Belgium, United States of America, India, Gabon, China, Iran

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## **Yesterday, 4 October: Brief summary of meetings**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
General Committee		
Plenary	1.4; 1.6; 2.1; 2.2; General policy debate	
Commission II	3.2	33 C/COM.I, II, III, IV, V/DR.1; 33 C/COM.I, II, III, IV, V/DR.2
Administrative Commission	1.3; 10.5; 10.6; 10.7; 4.1	
Legal Committee	4.2	MS/DR. 47, 67, 79, 86, 121, 122, and 123
Nominations Committee	1.5; 12.1	

## **Provisional schedule of meetings**

### **Tomorrow, Thursday, 6 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
	Nominations Committee	IV

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## No. 4

Thursday, 6 October 2005

General Conference Paris 2005

### Highlights

- ▶ The **Round Table on “Promoting Sustainability through Education: Objectives, Strategies and UNESCO’s Mission in the UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development”**, organized by the Swedish and German National Commissions for UNESCO in cooperation with the Education Sector, is held today from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Room II.
- ▶ The **Round Table on HIV/AIDS and Education: Policies and Progress** takes place today from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Room XII.

### Special Announcement

- ▶ The **Ministerial Round Table “Education for All”** will start tomorrow, 7 October from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X. It will continue on Saturday, 8 October from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the same room.

*Participants attending the Round Table must have a **special badge** which can be withdrawn, as from 3:00 p.m. today, at the reception desk in front of Room X.*



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### Programme of meetings

#### Today, Thursday, 6 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Nominations Committee	IV

## Agenda of meetings

# Thursday, 6 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Seventh Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Commission II</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.A: Major Programme I – Education	
	Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 (proposed resolutions and draft resolutions submitted by the Member States) ( <i>continuation</i> )	
5.24	Proposed Establishment of the International Centre for Girls' and Women's Education in Africa (CIEFFA), under the auspices of UNESCO, in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso	
5.8	Cooperation between UNESCO and OECD in drafting guidelines on "Quality Provision in Cross-Border Higher Education"	
5.23	Preliminary report on the desirability and scope of an international charter on traditional sports and games	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007	

## Thursday, 6 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b> General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	I
<b>Commission II</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	II
	8.1 Draft international convention against doping in sport	
	5.3 Implementation of 32C/Resolution 54 concerning educational and cultural institutions in the occupied Arab territories	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	XI
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	IV
	1.5 Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference and of the Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees ( <i>Continuation of examination of candidatures</i> )	
	12.1 Election of Members of the Executive Board ( <i>Continuation of examination of candidatures</i> )	

### List of Speakers: Plenary Meeting

The speakers listed below are scheduled to participate in the general policy debate on Thursday, 6 October, morning and afternoon.

Morning	Afternoon
Yemen, Saudi Arabia, Afghanistan, Malaysia, Barbados, Haiti, Nigeria, Tunisia, Kuwait, Iraq, Sweden, Lesotho, Swaziland, Netherlands, Czech Republic, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Trinidad and Tobago, Palestine, Organisation of the Islamic Conference	Myanmar, Spain, Cameroon, Finland, Azerbaijan, Angola, Bulgaria, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Jamaica, Philippines, Colombia, Paraguay, Norway, Latvia, Guyana, Burundi, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Iceland, Honduras

## **Yesterday, 5 October: Brief summary of meetings**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
<b>Plenary</b> Commission II	General policy debate 4.2	33 C/DR.51; 33 C/DR.1; 33 C/DR.15; 33 C/DR.26; 33 C/DR.38; 33 C/DR.9; 33C/DR.16; 33 C/DR.33; 33 C/DR.34; 33 C/DR.35; 33 C/DR.55; 33 /DR.69
Administrative Commission	4.1; 4.5; 10.3; 10.2	
Legal Committee	4.2; 7.1; 8.5	

## **Provisional schedule of meetings**

### **Tomorrow, Friday, 7 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	IV
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Commission III	II
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI
	Commission III	II

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## No.5

Friday, 7 October 2005

## Highlights

- The **Ministerial Round Table “Education for All”** begins today from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X. It will continue tomorrow, Saturday, 8 October from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the same room.

*Due to the very limited space, only Ministers or Heads of Delegations with a **special badge** which they can withdraw upon registration, may access Room X.*

*Interested delegates may follow the debates and deliberations live in Room XII or via webcast on UNESCO’s General Conference website.*

- The **elections to the World Heritage Committee** will start on Monday morning, 10 October in Room VIII (For more details, please consult the General Conference website under the heading “Elections”).

## Programme of meetings

Today, Friday, 7 October

Time	Organ	Room
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	IV
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
	Legal Committee	VI

## Provisional schedule of meetings

Tomorrow, Saturday, 8 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI



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## Agenda of meetings

# Friday, 7 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>General Committee</b>		
9:00 a.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	Report by the President on the General Committee meeting	
	General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Commission III</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	Election of four Vice-Chairpersons and a Rapporteur	
	Organization and methods of work of the Commission, and adoption of the timetable	
	Statement on behalf of the Chairpersons of the six science programmes (IBSP, IGCP, IHP, IOC, MAB, MOST)	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007.	
	Part II.A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 ( <i>continuation</i> )	

## Friday, 7 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Ninth Meeting</b>  General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	I
<b>Commission III</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Second Meeting</b>  4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007.  Part II.A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences (continuation and conclusion)  Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007. Part II.A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences  5.11 Proclamation of a world philosophy day  5.4 Celebration of an international year of global consciousness and the ethics of dialogue among peoples	II
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Seventh Meeting</b>  10.1 Report by the Director-General on the implementation of the reform process	XI
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>  Examination and adoption of the report of the Legal Committee	VI

## List of Speakers: Plenary Meeting

The speakers of countries listed below are scheduled to participate in the general policy debate on Friday, 7 October, morning and afternoon.

Morning	Afternoon
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Kiribati
Malawi	Uzbekistan
Namibia	British Virgin Islands
Qatar	Ireland
Togo	Nepal
Serbia and Montenegro	Armenia
Syrian Arab Republic	Bhutan
Denmark	Mozambique
Pakistan	Ecuador
Hungary	Brunei Darussalam
Mauritania	Mauritius
Germany	Slovakia
Thailand	Maldives
Japan	Bangladesh
Ukraine	Botswana
New Zealand	Bahamas
Republic of Moldova	Viet Nam
Chile	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
	Democratic People's Republic of Korea
	Madagascar

### Yesterday, 6 October: Brief summary of meetings

Organ	Items considered	DRs examined
<b>Plenary</b>	General policy debate	
Commission II	4.2; 5.24; 5.8; 5.23	33 C/DR.76; 33C/DR. 7; 33C/DR.32; 33C/DR.28; 33C/DR.38; 33C/DR.2; 33C/DR.18; 33C/DR.8; 33C/DR.62; 33C/DR.51
Administrative Commission	4.2	
Nominations Committee	1.5; 12.1	

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## No.6

Saturday, 8 October 2005

## Highlights

- The **Ministerial Round Table on “Education for All”** continues today from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X.

*Debates may be followed live in Room XII or via webcast on UNESCO’s General Conference website.*

- The **15<sup>th</sup> session of the General Assembly of States Parties to the World Heritage Convention** begins on Monday, 10 October from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room IV. Information on the elections to the World Heritage Committee, including the list of candidates, is available on the website of the General Conference under the heading “Elections”. The results of each round will be announced during the Plenary in Room IV.

## Programme of meetings

Today, Saturday, 8 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
10:30 a.m.	Legal Committee	VI

## Provisional schedule of meetings

Monday, 10 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	XII
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	XII
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI



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# Saturday, 8 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Tenth Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	First report of the Legal Committee	
	General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	
<b>Commission III</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007.	
	Part II.A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences (continuation and conclusion)	
	Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007. Part II.A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences	
5.11	Proclamation of a world philosophy day	
5.4	Celebration of an international year of global consciousness and the ethics of dialogue among peoples	
	Noting of reports of COMEST, IBC and IGBC, and MOST	
3.2	Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013	
3.1	Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009	

## Saturday, 8 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
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### ***Administrative Commission***

10:00 a.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b>	XI
	10.1 Report by the Director-General on the implementation of the reform process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Part I. Staff Policy (<i>continuation</i>)</li> <li>- Part II. New Management Style</li> </ul> 10.8 Staff Regulations and Staff Rules 10.9 Staff salaries, allowances and benefits	

### ***Legal Committee***

10:30 a.m.	<b>Seventh Meeting</b>	VI
	9.2 Report by the Director-General concerning the protection of the name and logo of UNESCO in the Member States	

### **List of Speakers: Plenary Meeting**

The speakers of countries or organizations listed below are scheduled to participate in the general policy debate this morning.

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Cote d'Ivoire  
 Sudan  
 Benin  
 Cambodia  
 Cyprus  
 Burkina Faso  
 Andorra  
 Senegal  
 Turkey  
 Mongolia  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Portugal  
 Albania  
 Egypt  
 Morocco  
 Monaco  
 Samoa  
 Estonia  
 Fiji  
 World Islamic Call Society (WICS)

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## **Yesterday, 7 October: Brief summary of meetings**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
General Committee		
<b>Plenary</b>	4.5; General policy debate	
Commission III	4.2	33 C/DR. 3; 33 C/DR.24; 33 C/DR.25; 33 C/DR.42; 33 C/DR.53; 33 C/DR.64; 33 C/DR.71; 33 C/DR.72; 33 C/DR.73
Administrative Commission	4.2; 10.1	
Legal Committee	Reports; 6.3	

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**No.7****Monday, 10 October 2005****Highlights****Official Visits**

- ▶ His Excellency **Mr Ivo Miro Jović**, Chairman of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:00 noon.
- ▶ His Excellency **Mr Emomali Rakhmonov**, President of the Republic of Tajikistan, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:25 p.m..

*Delegates are requested to be seated in Room I at 11:45 a.m.*

**Special Announcements**

The 15<sup>th</sup> session of the General Assembly of States Parties to the World Heritage Convention begins today from *10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room IV.*

The elections to the World Heritage Committee start this morning in *Room VIII.*

The Meeting of African Ministers of Education will be held from *3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X.*

Within the framework of the Days of the Republic of Tajikistan, an exhibition will be inaugurated in *Hall Ségur* at *11:15 a.m.* and a Tajik cultural evening will be held at *8:00 p.m.* in *Room I.*

**Programme of meetings****Today, Monday, 10 October**

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	XII
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission II	XII
	Commission III	II
	Administrative Commission	XI



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Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Eleventh Meeting</b> General Policy debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	I
<b>Commission II</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Seventh Meeting</b> Presentation of the EFA Ministerial Round Table Communiqué <b>Debate 5</b> 5.18 Education for All: assessment and future prospects	XII
<b>Commission III</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fourth Meeting</b> 3.1 Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009 ( <i>continuation and conclusion</i> ) 8.2 Draft declaration on universal norms on bioethics 5.28 Report by the Director-General on the advisability of elaborating an international declaration on science ethics to serve as a basis for an ethical code of conduct for scientists	II
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Ninth Meeting</b> 1.3 Report by the Director-General on communications received from Member States invoking the provisions of Article IV.C, paragraph 8(c), of the Constitution ( <i>continuation</i> ) 10.6 Collection of Member States' contributions <i>Examination of the Draft Resolutions relating to Item 10.3 and 10.1, Part II.</i> 10.10 Report by the Director-General on the situation concerning the geographical distribution of the staff	XI

## Monday, 10 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Twelfth Meeting</b> First report by the Chairperson of the Credentials Committee General Policy Debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	<b>I</b>
<b>Commission II</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b> <b>Debate 5</b> ( <i>continuation</i> )	<b>XII</b>
<b>Commission III</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b> 4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 Part II.A: Major Programme II – Natural Sciences	<b>II</b>
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Tenth Meeting</b> 10.11 United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and UNESCO Staff Pension Committee 10.12 Report by the Director-General on the state of the Medical Benefits Fund and appointment of Member States' representatives to the Board of Management for 2006-2007	<b>XI</b>

### List of Speakers: Plenary Meeting

The speakers of countries or states listed below are scheduled to participate in the general policy debate on Monday, 10 October, morning and afternoon.

Morning	Afternoon
Jordan, Central African Republic, South Africa, Israel, Niger, Ethiopia, Zambia, Cuba, Panama	Suriname, Eritrea, Seychelles, Canada, Poland, Zimbabwe, Congo, Gambia, Guinea, Georgia, Brazil, Cape Verde, Palau, Netherlands Antilles, Chad, Uruguay, Comores, Mali, Holy See

### **Brief summary of meetings: Saturday, 8 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
<b>Plenary</b>	4.2; General Policy debate	
Commission III	4.2; 5.11; 5.4; 3.2	33 C/DR.72; 33 C/COM.I,II,III,IV,V/DR.2
Administrative Commission	10.1; 10.8; 10.9	
Legal Committee	9.2	

### **Provisional schedule of meetings**

#### **Tomorrow, Tuesday, 11 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII

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**No. 8****Tuesday, 11 October 2005****Highlights****Official Visits**

- ▶ His Excellency **Mr Thaksin Shinawatra**, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:00 noon.
- ▶ His Excellency **Mr Jorge Sampaio**, President of the Portuguese Republic, on official visit to the thirty-third session of the General Conference, will address the Delegates at the Plenary today at 12:25 p.m..

*Delegates are requested to be seated in Room I at 11:45 a.m.*

**Special Announcements**

- ▶ The 15<sup>th</sup> session of **the General Assembly of States Parties to the World Heritage Convention** continues today from *10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room IV.*

Yesterday, 10 October, the General Assembly elected the Republic of Mauritius to the reserved seat of the World Heritage Committee. The elections continue today in Room VIII.

The results will be announced at the Plenary session in Room IV and will be available on the website of the General Conference under the heading "Elections".

- ▶ Inauguration by the UNESCO Director-General of the exhibition "**60 years – 60 posters**" tracing the Organization's history and high points through a series of posters created over the past six decades by artists from around the world *7:00 p.m. in the Foyer in front of Room I*

**Programme of meetings****Today, Tuesday, 11 October**

Time	Organ	Room
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
10:30 a.m.	Legal Committee	VI
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII



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# Tuesday, 11 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>General Committee</b>		
9:00 a.m.	<b>Third Meeting</b>	X
<b>Plenary</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Thirteenth Meeting</b> Report by the President on the General Committee meeting Second and Third Reports by the Chairperson of the Legal Committee on Items 7.1 and 8.5 General Policy Debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	I
<b>Commission I</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b> Election of the Bureau of the Commission: Four Vice-Chairpersons and a Rapporteur (upon recommendation of the Nominations Committee) Organization of the work and methods of work of the Commission Adoption of the timetable 3.2 Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013	XI
<b>Commission III</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Sixth Meeting</b> 4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 (Part II.A: Major Programme II - Natural Sciences ( <i>continuation and conclusion</i> ) Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007	II
<b>Commission V</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b> Opening Election of the Bureau of the Commission: Four Vice-Chairpersons and a Rapporteur (upon recommendation of the Nominations Committee) 4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 - Part II.A: Major Programme V – Communication and Information	XII
<b>Legal Committee</b>		
10:30 a.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b> Examination and adoption of the reports of the Legal Committee on Items 6.3 and 9.2	VI

## Tuesday, 11 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Fourteenth Meeting</b> Report by the Chairperson of the Administrative Commission on Item 1.3 General Policy Debate ( <i>continuation</i> )	<b>I</b>
<b>Commission I</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Second Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	3.1 Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009	
<b>Commission III</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Seventh Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	5.6 Strategy for establishing a global tsunami warning system	
	5.9 Establishment of a regional centre for biotechnology training and education in India, under the auspices of UNESCO	
	5.25 Report by the Director-General on a feasibility study for the establishment of an international centre of excellence in Venezuela under the auspices of UNESCO	
	5.26 Report by the Director-General on a feasibility study for granting the status of a regional institute under the auspices of UNESCO to the Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada (IMPA) in Brazil	
<b>Commission V</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Second Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
	4.2 Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 - Part II.A: Major Programme V – Communication and Information ( <i>continuation</i> )	

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Morning	Afternoon
Lithuania, Russian Federation, Algeria, Romania, Argentina, Peru, Slovenia, Tonga, ALECSO	Malta, Rwanda, Nicaragua, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, Somalia, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Vanuatu, Sri Lanka, Djibouti, Bolivia, NGO-UNESCO Liaison Committee (NGO-UNESCO), World Confederation of Teachers (WCT), Education International (EI), Arab Institute for Human Rights (AIHR), Coordinating Committee for International Voluntary Service (CCIVS), Arab Bureau of Education for the Gulf States (ABEGS), World Conference of Religions for Peace (WCRP), Social Sciences Council (CISS/ISSC), World Association of Girls Guides and Girls Scouts, European Academy of Arts, Sciences and Humanities (EAASH), International Pen (PEN), Parliamentary Assembly of the Francophonie, Inter-Parliamentary Union, World Federation of UNESCO Clubs, Centres and Associations (WFUCA)

## **Brief summary of meetings: Monday, 10 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
<b>Plenary</b> Commission II	4.2; General Policy debate 5.18	33 C/COM.II/DR.2; 33 C/COM.II/DR.3; 33 C/COM.II/DR.4; 33 C/COM.II/DR.5; 33 C/COM.II/DR.6
Commission III	3.1; 8.2; 5.28	33 C/COM.I,II,III,IV,V/DR.1; 33 C/COM.II,III,IV,V/DR.1 33 C/DR.34
Administrative Commission	1.3; 10.10; 10.11; 10.12	

## **Provisional schedule of meetings**

### **Tomorrow, Wednesday, 12 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
	Nominations Committee	IV
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
	Administrative Commission	IV

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## No. 9

Wednesday, 12 October 2005

### Appointment of the Director-General

► The 33<sup>rd</sup> session of the General Conference will proceed with the **appointment of the Director-General** in a private meeting this morning, immediately after the reply by the Director-General to the General Policy debate, which will take place in a public meeting. The result will be announced after the vote in Room I.

### Special Announcements

► On 10 and 11 October 2005, the 15<sup>th</sup> session of the General Assembly of States Parties to the World Heritage Convention, under the Chairmanship of His Excellency the Ambassador of France to UNESCO, Mr Guéguinou, elected the 12 following States Parties to the World Heritage Committee: Canada, Cuba, Israel, Kenya, Korea (Republic of), Madagascar, Mauritius, Morocco, Peru, Spain, Tunisia, United States of America.

► The **election of Members of the Executive Board** will be held on Friday, 14 October 2005 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room V.

*Delegates are kindly invited to collect the ballot papers on Thursday, 13 October from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in Room V.*

► The **Ministerial Round Table “The Basic Sciences: The Science Lever for Development”** will begin on 13 October from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X. Debates may be followed live in Room VIII or via webcast on UNESCO’s General Conference website.

*Registration for the Round Table will take place outside Room X as from 3:00 p.m. today.*

### Programme of meetings

#### Today, Wednesday, 12 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
	Nominations Committee	IV
3:00 p.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	II
	Commission V	XII
	Administrative Commission	IV



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# Wednesday, 12 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Plenary</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Fifteenth Meeting</b>	<b>I</b>
	General Policy debate: reply by the Director-General	
11.1	Appointment of the Director-General ( <i>private meeting</i> )	
<b>Commission I</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Third Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	<b>Continuation of Debate 3</b>	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.B: Participation Programme and Part III.B: External Relations and Cooperation	
5.1	Proposals by Member States for the celebration of anniversaries in 2006-2007 with which UNESCO could be associated	
6.4	Definition of regions with a view to the execution by the Organization of regional activities	
<b>Commission III</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Eighth Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
5.14	Proclamation of 2008 as a United Nations International Year of Planet Earth	
5.30	Proclamation of 2009 as International Year of Astronomy	
5.10	Establishment of an international centre for water hazard and risk management (ICHARM) in Tsukuba, Japan, under the auspices of UNESCO	
5.16	Proposal for the establishment of an IHP-HELP centre for water law, policy and science at the University of Dundee, United Kingdom	
5.32	Proposed establishment of the Regional Water Centre for Arid and Semi-Arid Zones of Latin America and the Caribbean (CAZALAC) under the auspices of UNESCO, in La Serena (Chile)	
<b>Commission V</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Third Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 - Part II.A: Major Programme V – Communication and Information	
3.2	Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013	
3.1	Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009	

## Wednesday, 12 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
1.5	Election of the President and Vice-Presidents of the General Conference and of the Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteurs of the commissions and committees ( <i>continuation</i> )	
12.1	Election of Members of the Executive Board Information on the final status of candidatures for election of Members of the Executive Board Discussion on practical arrangements for the election of Members of the Executive Board Simulation of voting exercise	
<b>Commission I</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	<b>Continuation and conclusion of Debate 3</b> Consideration of draft resolutions concerning Debate 3 Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.B: Participation Programme and Part III.B: External Relations and Cooperation Recommendations concerning Items 5.1 and 6.4	
<b>Commission III</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Ninth Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
5.27	Proposed establishment of the European Regional Centre for Ecohydrology Lodz, Poland, under the auspices of UNESCO	
5.20	Proposal for the establishment of a Regional Centre on Urban Water Management under the auspices of UNESCO in Colombia Noting of reports of IOC, MAB, IGCP, IHP and UNESCO-IHE	
<b>Commission V</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
5.7	UNESCO and the World Summit on the Information Society	
5.17	Declaration on Media and Good Governance	
5.19	Second World Information Technology Forum (WITFOR) 2005: Gabarone Protocol	
<b>Administrative Commission</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Eleventh Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
	Adoption of the report of the Administrative Commission	

## **Brief summary of meetings: Tuesday, 11 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
General Committee		
<b>Plenary</b>	General Policy debate	
Commission I	3.2; 3.1	33 C/COM.I.II.III.IV.V/DR.2 33 C/COM.I.II.III.IV.V/DR.1
Commission III	4.2; 5.6; 5.9; 5.25; 5.26	33 C/DR.7; 33 C/DR.12; 33 C/DR.17; 33 C/DR.21; 33 C/DR.28; 33 C/DR.30; 33 C/DR.31; 33 C/DR.37; 33 C/DR.39; 33 C/DR.40; 33 C/DR.41; 33 C/DR.52; 33 C/DR.61; 33 C/DR.66; 33 C/DR.77.
Commission V	4.2	33 C/DRs 19, 20, 75
Legal Committee	Adoption of reports on Items 6.3 and 9.2	

## **Provisional schedule of meetings**

### **Tomorrow, Thursday, 13 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
10:00 a.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
	Nominations Committee	IV
3:00 p.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
	Administrative Commission	IV

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**Thursday, 13 October 2005**

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### Highlight

► The **Ministerial Round Table “The Basic Sciences: The Science Lever for Development”** begins today, 13 October from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X. It will continue tomorrow, 14 October from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the same room.

*Due to limited space, debates will be retransmitted live in Room VIII and via webcast on UNESCO’s General Conference website.*

### Special Announcements

► The meeting of the Conciliation and Good Offices Commission responsible for seeking the settlement of any disputes which may arise between States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education begins today, from 10:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room VI.

► The **election of Members of the Executive Board** will be held tomorrow from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room V.

Delegates are kindly invited to collect the ballot papers today **between 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. in Room V.**

The results of the vote will be announced in Plenary meeting (Room I) in the late afternoon on Friday, 14 October 2005.

### Programme of meetings

#### Today, Thursday, 13 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
	Nominations Committee	IV
3:00 p.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
	Administrative Commission	IV



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# Thursday, 13 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Commission I</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	<b>Continuation of Debate 4</b>	
9.2	Report by the Director-General concerning the protection of the name and logo of UNESCO in the Member States Recommendations concerning Item 9.2	
	<b>Debate 5</b>	
6.6	Use of languages in UNESCO Recommendations concerning Item 6.6	
<b>Commission IV</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>First Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	Opening: Election of the Bureau of the Commission: 4 Vice-Chairpersons and a Rapporteur (on the recommendation of the Nominations Committee) Organization of the work of the Commission Adoption of the timetable	
<b>Commission V</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
5.7	UNESCO and the World Summit on the Information Society	
5.17	Declaration on Media and Good Governance	
5.19	Second World Information Technology Forum (WITFOR) 2005: Gabarone Protocol	
8.4	Establishment of a system of reports by Member States to the General Conference on measures taken to implement the Recommendation concerning the Promotion and Use of Multilingualism and Universal Access to Cyberspace	
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
12.2 - 12.16	(Examination of candidatures)	
12.2	Election of the members of the Legal Committee for the 34th session of the General Conference	
12.3	Election of members of the Headquarters Committee	
12.4	Election of an External Auditor	
12.5	Election of members of the Conciliation and Good Offices Commission responsible for seeking the settlement of any disputes that may arise between States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education	
12.6	Election of members of the Council of the UNESCO International Bureau of Education (IBE)	
12.7	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council for the Information for All Programme (IFAP)	
12.8	Election of members of the International Coordinating Council of the Programme on Man and the Biosphere (MAB)	
12.9	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the International Hydrological Programme (IHP)	
12.10	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit Appropriation (ICPRCP)	

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Time	Agenda Item	Room
12.11	Election of the members of the Executive Committee of the International Campaign for the Establishment of the Nubia Museum in Aswan and the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization in Cairo	
12.12	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC)	
12.13	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the Management of Social Transformations (MOST) Programme	
12.14	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Bioethics Committee (IGBC)	
12.15	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport (CIGEPS)	
12.16	Election of members of the Governing Board of the UNESCO Institute for Statistics (UIS)	
 <b>Commission I</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	<b>Continuation of Debate 4</b>	
	<b>Debate 8</b>	
6.1	Report by the ad hoc working group on relations between the three organs of UNESCO	
6.5	Size of the Executive Board Recommendations concerning Items 6.1 and 6.5	
	<b>Debate 6</b>	
6.2	Implementation of 32 C/Resolution: grouping of Member States for the purpose of elections to the Executive Board – Recommendations of the Executive Board Recommendations concerning Item 6.2	
	<b>Debate 7</b>	
5.21	Reflection on the future of UNESCO Recommendations concerning Item 5.21	
 <b>Commission IV</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Second Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	<b>Debate 1</b>	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007	
 <b>Commission V</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
8.4	Establishment of a system of reports by Member States to the General Conference on measures taken to implement the Recommendation concerning the Promotion and Use of Multilingualism and Universal Access to Cyberspace	
5.33	Commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the adoption of the Recommendation for the Safeguarding and Preservation of Moving Images and Proclamation of the World Day for Audiovisual Heritage	
 <b>Administrative Commission</b>		
<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Presentation of candidatures to the post of External Auditor</b>	<b>IV</b>

### **Brief summary of meetings: Wednesday, 12 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
<b>Plenary</b>	General Policy debate: reply by the Director-General; 11.1	
Commission I	4.2	33 C/DR. 11
Commission III	5.14; 5.30; 5.10; 5.16; 5.32; 5.27; 5.20	33 C/COM.III/DR.1Rev.; 33 C/COM.III.DR.2
Commission V	4.2; 3.2; 3.1; 5.7; 5.17; 5.19	33 C/DRs 5, 13, 28, 34, 44, 45, 54, 57, 67, 68, 74; 33 C/COM.I.II.III.IV.V/DR.1 33 C/COM.II.III.IV.V/DR.1
Administrative Commission	Adoption of the Commission Report	
Nominations Committee	1.5; 12.1	

### **Provisional schedule of meetings**

#### **Tomorrow, Friday, 14 October**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Organ</u>	<u>Room</u>
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	IV
10:00 a.m.	Commission I Commission IV	XI II
3:00 p.m.	Commission I Commission IV	XI II

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**Friday, 14 October 2005**

**Election of Members of the Executive Board**

► The election of Members of the Executive Board will be held **today from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room V** (located on the ground floor near the Delegates' Information Office). The **results** of the vote will be announced in **Plenary meeting (Room I) around 5:30 p.m.**

**Special Announcements**

► The Ministerial Round Table “The Basic Sciences: The Science Lever for Development” continues today, **from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room X.**

*Due to limited space, debates will be retransmitted live in Room IX and via webcast on UNESCO's General Conference website.*

► The Conciliation and Good Offices Commission responsible for seeking the settlement of any disputes which may arise between States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education will meet to adopt its report **today at 3:00 p.m. in Room VI.**

**Programme of meetings**

**Today, Friday, 14 October**

Time	Organ	Room
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	IV
10:00 a.m.	Commission I Commission IV	XI II
3:00 p.m.	Commission I Commission IV	XI II

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**Tomorrow, Saturday, 15 October**

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	Commission I Commission II Commission IV Nominations Committee	XI XII II IV

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# Friday, 14 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>General Committee</b>		
9:00 a.m.	Fourth Meeting	IV
<b>Commission I</b>		
10:00 a.m.	Seventh Meeting	XI
	<b>Continuation of Debate 7</b>	
5.21	Reflection on the future of UNESCO Recommendations concerning Item 5.21	
	<b>Debate 8</b>	
6.1	Report by the ad hoc working group on relations between the three organs of UNESCO	
6.5	Size of the Executive Board Recommendations concerning Items 6.1 and 6.5	
<b>Commission IV</b>		
10:00 a.m.	Third Meeting	II
	<b>Debate 1</b>	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 ( <i>continuation and conclusion</i> ) Reply by the representative of the Director-General	
	<b>Debate 2</b>	
3.2	Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013	

## Friday, 14 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Commission I</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b>	XI
	<b>Debate 9</b>	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.A: UNESCO Institute for Statistics	
	Recommendations concerning the adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.A: UNESCO Institute for Statistics	
	Recommendation concerning Item 6.2 – Implementation of 32 C/Resolution 79: grouping of Member States for the purpose of elections to the Executive Board – Recommendations of the Executive Board.	
	Recommendations concerning Item 6.2	
<b>Commission IV</b>		
3:00 p.m.	<b>Fourth Meeting</b>	II
	<b>Debate 2</b>	
3.2	Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy 2008-2013 ( <i>continuation and conclusion</i> )	
	<b>Debate 3</b>	
3.1	Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009	
	Reply by the representative of the Director-General	

**Brief summary of meetings: Thursday, 13 October**

Organ	Items considered	DRs examined
Commission I	9.2; 6.6; 5.21	33 C/COM.I/DR.2; 33 C/COM.I/DR.5
Commission IV	4.2	
Commission V	5.7; 5.17; 5.19; 8.4; 5.33	33 C/41 33 C/COM.V/DR.2; 33 C/COM.V/DR.3; 33 C/COM.V/DR.4; 33 C/COM.V/DR.5; 33 C/40; 33 C/COM.V/DR.1
Administrative Commission	<i>Presentation of candidatures to the post of External Auditor</i>	
Nominations Committee	12.2 - 12.16	

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### Saturday, 15 October 2005

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#### Special Announcements

► The Informal Information Meeting with the States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education and with other Member States for the Preparation of Reports for the Seventh Consultation of Member States on the Implementation of the Convention and the Recommendation against Discrimination in Education (1960) takes place today from **9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Room IX.**

► The elections of an External Auditor and of members of the Commissions, Committees and other subsidiary organs of the General Conference established by the General Conference will be held on **Tuesday, 18 October 2005 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room IV.**

The ballot papers will be distributed at the opening of the meeting on Tuesday and the **results** will be announced **around 6:00 p.m. in Room IV.**

#### Programme of meetings

##### Today, Saturday, 15 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission II	XII
	Commission IV	II
	Nominations Committee	IV

#### Provisional schedule of meetings

##### Monday, 17 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	IV
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
3:00 p.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II



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# Saturday, 15 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Commission I</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Ninth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
	<b>Continuation of Debate 10</b>	
4.2	Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2006-2007 – Part II.C: Programme related services; Chapter 1: Coordination of action to benefit Africa; Chapter 2: Fellowships Programme; Chapter 3: Public information; Chapter 4: Strategic planning and programme monitoring; Chapter 5: Budget preparation and monitoring	
14.1	Strengthening of cooperation with the Republic of the Sudan;	
14.2	Strengthening of cooperation with Somalia;	
14.3	Strengthening of cooperation with Guinea-Bissau.	
<b>Commission II</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Ninth Meeting</b>	<b>XII</b>
5.36	Sickle-cell anaemia, a public health priority Examination and adoption of the report of Commission II	
<b>Commission IV</b>		
10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
	<b>Debate 4</b>	
5.15	Universal Forum of Cultures – 2007 in Monterey, Mexico	
5.12	Strategy to facilitate the restitution of stolen or illicitly exported cultural property Report on the 2004-2005 activities and the thirteenth session of the Intergovernmental Committee for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit Appropriation	
5.13	Cultural objects displaced in connection with the Second World War Reply by the representative of the Director-General	

## Saturday, 15 October

Time	Agenda Item	Room
<b>Nominations Committee</b>		
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
	Items 12.2 - 12.16 ( <i>continuation of examination of candidatures</i> )	
12.2	Election of the members of the Legal Committee for the 34th session of the General Conference	
12.3	Election of members of the Headquarters Committee	
12.4	Election of an External Auditor	
12.5	Election of members of the Conciliation and Good Offices Commission responsible for seeking the settlement of any disputes that may arise between States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education	
12.6	Election of members of the Council of the UNESCO International Bureau of Education (IBE)	
12.7	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council for the Information for All Programme (IFAP)	
12.8	Election of members of the International Coordinating Council of the Programme on Man and the Biosphere (MAB)	
12.9	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the International Hydrological Programme (IHP)	
12.10	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit Appropriation (ICPRCP)	
12.11	Election of the members of the Executive Committee of the International Campaign for the Establishment of the Nubia Museum in Aswan and the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization in Cairo	
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12.14	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Bioethics Committee (IGBC)	
12.15	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport (CIGEPS)	
12.16	Election of members of the Governing Board of the UNESCO Institute for Statistics (UIS)	

**Brief summary of meetings: Friday, 14 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
General Committee		
Commission I	5.21; 6.2; 6.5; 4.2: 33 C/5, Part II.A	33 C/COM.I/DR.5; 33 C/DR.8
Commission IV	4.2	33 C/DR.37 (COM.III,IV); 33 C/DR.47 (COM.IV); 33 C/DR.49 (COM.IV)

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# No. 13

Monday, 17 October 2005

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## Special Announcement

► The elections of an External Auditor and of members of the Commissions, Committees and other subsidiary organs of the General Conference established by the General Conference will be held **tomorrow, Tuesday, 18 October 2005 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room IV.**

The ballot papers will be distributed at the opening of the meeting tomorrow and the **results** will be announced **around 6:00 p.m. in Room IV.**

## Programme of meetings

### Today, Monday, 17 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission III	IV
	Commission IV	II
	Commission V	XII
3:00 p.m.	Commission I	XI
	Commission IV	II

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### Tuesday, 18 October

Time	Organ	Room
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	Commission IV	II
	Nominations Committee	IV
5:30 p.m.	Nominations Committee	IV



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# Monday, 17 October

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### **Commission I**

<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Tenth Meeting</b>	<b>XI</b>
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#### **Continuation of Debate 10**

- 14.1 Strengthening of cooperation with the Republic of the Sudan;
- 14.2 Strengthening of cooperation with Somalia;
- 14.3 Strengthening of cooperation with Guinea-Bissau.  
Recommendations concerning Items 14.1, 14.2 and 14.3.

#### **Debate 11**

- 6.3 Principles and guidelines regarding the establishment and operation of UNESCO institutes and centres (category I) and institutes and centres under the auspices of UNESCO (category II)
- 5.29 Proposal for the establishment of the ARTEK International Youth and Children Centre under the auspices of UNESCO  
Recommendations concerning Items 6.3 and 5.29

#### **Debate 8**

- 6.1 Report by the ad hoc working group on relations between the three organs of UNESCO
- 6.5 Size of the Executive Board  
Recommendations concerning Items 6.1 and 6.5

### **Commission III**

<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Tenth Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
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Examination and adoption of the draft report of Commission III

### **Commission IV**

<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Sixth Meeting</b>	<b>II</b>
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#### **Debate 5**

- 8.3 Preliminary Report by the Director-General setting out the situation to be regulated and the possible scope of the regulating action proposed, accompanied by the preliminary draft of a Convention on the protection of the Diversity of cultural contents and artistic expressions  
Reply by the Representative of the Director-General

## Monday, 17 October

Time                      Agenda Item                      Room

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### **Commission V**

**10:00 a.m.**            **Seventh Meeting**                      **XII**  
Examination and adoption of the report of the  
Commission

### **Commission I**

**3:00 p.m.**            **Eleventh Meeting**                      **XI**  
**Continuation of Debate 8**

### **Commission IV**

**3:00 p.m.**            **Seventh Meeting**                      **II**  
**Debate 6**  
5.34    31<sup>st</sup> biennial ITI World Congress (Manila, Philippines)  
5.22    The South-South Cultural Forum in UNESCO  
12.10   Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee  
for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its  
Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit  
Appropriation (ICPRCP)  
12.11   Election of the members of the Executive Committee of  
the International Campaign for the Establishment of the  
Nubia Museum in Aswan and the National Museum of  
Egyptian Civilization in Cairo  
Report by the Director-General on the activities of the  
International Fund for the promotion of Culture (2004-  
2005)  
Reply by the Representative of the Director-General

**Brief summary of meetings: Saturday, 15 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
Commission I	4.2	
Commission II	5.36; Adoption of the report of the Commission	33 C/COM.II/DR.7
Commission IV	5.15; 5.12; 5.13	33 C/COM.IV/DR.2
Nominations Committee	12.2 - 12.16	

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Tuesday, 18 October 2005

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## Elections of an External Auditor and of members of the Commissions, Committees and other subsidiary organs of the General Conference.

► The elections of an External Auditor and of members of the Commissions, Committees and other subsidiary organs of the General Conference established by the General Conference are held **today from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room IV.**

The ballot papers are distributed today at the opening of the meeting and the **results** will be announced **around 5:00 p.m. in Room IV.** All delegates are requested to be present in Room IV at 10:00 a.m. for these elections.

### Programme of meetings

#### Today, Tuesday, 18 October

Time	Organ	Room
9:00 a.m.	General Committee	X
10:00 a.m.	Commission IV	II
	Nominations Committee	IV
5:00 p.m.	Nominations Committee	IV

### Provisional schedule of meetings

#### Wednesday, 19 October

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI



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### **General Committee**

9:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Meeting</b>	<b>X</b>
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### **Commission IV**

10:00 a.m.	<b>Eighth Meeting</b> <b>Debate 7</b>	<b>II</b>
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- 5.22 The South-South Cultural Forum in UNESCO
- 5.31 Proposal for the establishment of a regional centre for the safeguarding of the intangible cultural heritage (Cuzco, Republic of Peru), under the auspices of UNESCO
- 5.37 African Position Paper on the State of World Heritage in Africa and Proposal for the Creation of an African World Heritage Fund  
Report of the Intergovernmental Committee for the protection of the World Cultural and Natural Heritage on its activities (2004-2005)
- 5.5 The misuse of religious expressions and symbols
- 5.2 Jerusalem and the implementation of 32 C/Resolution 39
- 5.3 Implementation of 32 C/Resolution 54 concerning institutions in the occupied Arab territories  
Reply by the Representative of the Director-General

### **Nominations Committee**

10:00 a.m.	<b>Seventh Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
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- 12.2 - 12.16 (*Elections*)
- 12.2 Election of the members of the Legal Committee for the 34th session of the General Conference
- 12.3 Election of members of the Headquarters Committee
- 12.4 Election of an External Auditor
- 12.5 Election of members of the Conciliation and Good Offices Commission responsible for seeking the settlement of any disputes that may arise between States Parties to the Convention against Discrimination in Education
- 12.6 Election of members of the Council of the UNESCO International Bureau of Education (IBE)
- 12.7 Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council for the Information for All Programme (IFAP)

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12.8	Election of members of the International Coordinating Council of the Programme on Man and the Biosphere (MAB)	
12.9	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the International Hydrological Programme (IHP)	
12.10	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Promoting the Return of Cultural Property to its Countries of Origin or its Restitution in Case of Illicit Appropriation (ICPRCP)	
12.11	Election of the members of the Executive Committee of the International Campaign for the Establishment of the Nubia Museum in Aswan and the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization in Cairo	
12.12	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC)	
12.13	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Council of the Management of Social Transformations (MOST) Programme	
12.14	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Bioethics Committee (IGBC)	
12.15	Election of members of the Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport (CIGEPS)	
12.16	Election of members of the Governing Board of the UNESCO Institute for Statistics (UIS)	

### ***Nominations Committee***

<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Eighth Meeting</b>	<b>IV</b>
	Announcement of the results of the elections of an External Auditor and of the members of the Commissions, Committees and other subsidiary organs established by the General Conference (Items 12.2 – 12.16)	

**Brief summary of meetings: Monday, 17 October**

<u>Organ</u>	<u>Items considered</u>	<u>DRs examined</u>
Commission I	14.1; 14.2; 14.3; 6.3; 5.29; 6.1; 6.5	
Commission III	Adoption of the report of the Commission	
Commission IV	8.3; 5.34	33 C/COM.IV/DR.3 Rev.; 33 C/COM.IV.DR.4 + Corr. (English and Arabic); 33 C/COM.IV/DR.1
Commission V	Adoption of the report of the Commission	

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**No. 15****Wednesday, 19 October 2005****Highlights**

- ▶ The Extra-ordinary session of the Intergovernmental Council of the MOST Programme: Elections of the MOST IGC Bureau will be held **today from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon in Room XIII.**
- ▶ The High-Level Experts' Meeting on the UNESCO Teacher Training Initiative in Sub-Saharan Africa will begin **today from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room XII.** It will continue on 20 and 21 October 2005.
- ▶ The Joint session of the IGC Bureau and the Scientific Advisory Committee Members of the MOST Programme will begin **today from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room XIII.** It will continue tomorrow from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the same room.

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Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission I	XI

**Provisional schedule of meetings****Thursday, 20 October**

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10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission IV	II
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I



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### ***Plenary Meeting***

10:00 a.m.	<b>Seventeenth Meeting</b>	I
	Second Report by the Chairperson of the Credentials Committee	
13.1	Venue of the 34 <sup>th</sup> session of the General Conference	
	Report of Commission II: resolutions and recommendations	
8.1	Draft International Convention against Doping in Sport	

### ***Plenary Meeting***

3:00 p.m.	<b>Eighteenth Meeting</b>	I
	Report of Commission III: resolutions and recommendations	
8.2	Draft Declaration on Universal Norms on Bioethics	
	Report of the Administrative Commission: resolutions and recommendations	

### ***Commission I***

3:00 p.m.	<b>Twelfth Meeting</b>	XI
	Adoption of the report of the Commission	

### **Brief summary of meetings: Tuesday, 18 October**

Organ	Items considered	DRs examined
General Committee		
Commission IV	5.22; 5.31; 5.37; 5.5; 5.2; 5.3	33 C/COM.IV/DR.5
Nominations Committee	12.2 - 12.16 ( <i>Elections</i> )	

**No. 16****Thursday, 20 October 2005****Ceremony for the installation  
of the Director-General of UNESCO**

► The ceremony for the installation of Mr Koïchiro Matsuura as Director-General of UNESCO will be held during the 21<sup>st</sup> Plenary Meeting tomorrow at 10:00 a.m. in Room I.

**Highlight**

► The High-Level Experts' Meeting on the UNESCO Teacher Training Initiative in Sub-Saharan Africa resumes **today from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Room XII**. It will continue tomorrow from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the same room.

**Programme of meetings****Today, Thursday, 20 October**

Time	Organ	Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
	Commission IV	II
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
4:30 p.m.	Joint meeting of Administrative Commission and Programme Commissions	XI
5:15 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I

**Provisional schedule of meetings****Friday, 21 October**

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10:00 a.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I
3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I



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### **Plenary Meeting**

10:00 a.m.	<b>Nineteenth Meeting</b> Report of the Nominations Committee Report of Commission V: resolutions and recommendations	I
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### **Commission IV**

10:00 a.m.	<b>Ninth Meeting</b> Examination and adoption of the written report of Commission IV Conclusion of the Commission's work	II
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### **Plenary Meeting**

3:00 p.m.	<b>Twentieth Meeting</b> Report of Commission I: resolutions and recommendations	I
4:30 p.m.	Joint meeting of Administrative Commission and Programme Commissions	XI

### **Plenary Meeting**

5:15 p.m.	<b>Twentieth Meeting (continuation)</b> Report of Commission IV: resolutions and recommendations 8.3 Preliminary Report by the Director-General setting out the situation to be regulated and the possible scope of the regulating action proposed, accompanied by the preliminary draft of a Convention on the protection of the Diversity of cultural contents and artistic expressions	I
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### **Brief summary of meetings: Wednesday, 19 October**

Organ	Items considered	DRs examined
<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	Second Report of the Credentials Committee; 13.1; 8.1; Report of Commission II; Report of Commission III; 8.2; Report of Administrative Commission	
Commission I	Adoption of the Commission's report	

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## **Ceremony for the installation of the Director-General**

► The ceremony for the installation of Mr Koïchiro Matsuura as Director-General of UNESCO will be held during the 21<sup>st</sup> Plenary Meeting today at 10:00 a.m. in Room I.

## **Highlights**

► The Plenary Meeting will adopt the Appropriation Resolution for 2006-2007 at 3:00 p.m. in Room I, and then proceed to the formal closure of the 33<sup>rd</sup> session of the General Conference.

► The first Meeting of the 173<sup>rd</sup> session of the Executive Board will be held on Monday, 24 October 2005 at 11:00 a.m. in Room X.



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3:00 p.m.	<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	I

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### ***Plenary Meeting***

10:00 a.m.	<b>Twenty-first Meeting</b> Installation of Mr Koïchiro Matsuura as Director-General of UNESCO	<b>I</b>
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### ***Plenary Meeting***

3:00 p.m.	<b>Twenty-second Meeting</b> 4.3 Adoption of the Appropriation Resolution for 2006-2007 Closure of the 33rd session of the General Conference	<b>I</b>
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### **Brief summary of meetings: Thursday, 20 October**

Organ	Items considered	DRs examined
<b>Plenary Meeting</b>	Report of the Nominations Committee; Report of Commission V; Report of Commission IV; 8.3	
Commission IV	Adoption of the Commission's report	

# Farewell

Three weeks ago, we welcomed you to the 33<sup>rd</sup> session of the General Conference, providing you with information tools such as the website of the General Conference, the Mini Journal, the Flash supplements, the screens, and the live *webcast* covering some of the Conference's major events. We hope that these tools provided you with the necessary information and helped facilitate your work throughout the General Conference.

During the last three weeks, more than 400,000 pages of the website have been consulted, representing an average of 3,500 visitors a day, of which 60% are external. These figures surpass the already high number of consulted pages recorded two years ago. Furthermore, as a new service, the *webcast* recorded over 10,000 hits.

The following figures of participation have been recorded for the current session: 3,733 participants; 188 Member States, four Associate Member States and two Non-Member States registered, 3,203 delegates of whom eight Heads of State and Government, two Vice-Presidents, seven Deputy Prime Ministers, and 218 Ministers. In addition, there were 350 journalists and 495 observers (473 of whom were from non-governmental and intergovernmental organizations, 13 from other UN agencies, and nine from other entities).

We are now bidding you farewell and wishing you a safe trip home. We look forward to welcoming you again to the 34<sup>th</sup> session of the General Conference.

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