

**40TH SESSION - UNESCO GENERAL CONFERENCE
DELEGATES INFORMATION BUREAU**

CLT COMMISSION

Date	22 nd November 2019	Room	II
N° meeting	5	Hour	From: 10 a.m. To: 1 p.m.

Chairperson(s)	Mr Abbas Salim HALABI	Country	Lebanon
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SUMMARY OF DEBATE(S)

Items examined	Item 3.1 Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy for 2022-2029 (41 C/4) Item 3.2 Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2022-2025 (41 C/5)		
Debate no	1	Debate status	Start and end
Corresponding document(s)	40 C/11 40 C/INF.18 40 C/7		
DRs examined			
Countries that took floor	Switzerland, Canada, Estonia, Denmark, Norway, Finland, Barbados, Russian Federation, Iceland, Sweden, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Turkey, Republic of Korea, Japan, Paraguay, Germany, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, People's Republic of China, Botswana, United Republic of Tanzania, Morocco Observer(s) : International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)		
Summary of debate	<p>The Chairperson opened the meeting with the examination of items 3.1 and 3.2</p> <p>The Director of Strategic Planning Office presented the overall framework for the preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy for 2022-2029 and of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2022-2025.</p> <p>Then, the Assistant Director-General for Culture presented the preparation of both projects for the Culture Programme.</p> <p>22 countries and one observer then took the floor.</p> <p>The Assistant Director-General for Culture answered to these interventions.</p> <p>The Chairperson closed the examination of items 3.1 and 3.2.</p> <p>Finally, the Chairperson closed the Culture Commission by congratulating the Member States and the Secretariat for the fruitful work they have achieved.</p>		

