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## Committee on Conferences

## Calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations

 for 2003
## Note by the Secretariat

1. The Secretariat is circulating herewith, as an annex to the present note, the calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 2003 as adopted by the General Assembly in its resolution 57/283 of 20 December 2002, taking into account other resolutions and decisions adopted by the Assembly at its fifty-seventh session.
2. The calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations for 2003 is also contained in the annex.

Annex

## Calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations and of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations, 2003

The following abbreviations are used in the present annex:

## In the column headed "Organ"

| ECA | Economic Commission for Africa |
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| ECE | Economic Commission for Europe |
| ECLAC | Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean |
| ESCAP | Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific |
| ESCWA | Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia |
| FAO | Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations |
| IAEA | International Atomic Energy Agency |
| ICAO | International Civil Aviation Organization |
| ICSC | International Civil Service Commission |
| IFAD | International Fund for Agricultural Development |
| ILO | International Labour Organization |
| IMF | International Monetary Fund |
| IMO | International Maritime Organization |
| INSTRAW | International Research and Training Institute for the |
| Advancement of Women |  |
| ITU | International Telecommunication Union |
| UNCCD | United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification |
| UNCITRAL | United Nations Commission on International Trade Law |
| UNCTAD | United Nations Conference on Trade and Development |
| UNDP | United Nations Development Programme |
| UNEP | United Nations Environment Programme |
| UNESCO | United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization |
| UNFCCC | United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change |
| UNFPA | United Nations Population Fund |
| UNHCR | Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees |
| United Nations Children's Fund |  |
| United Nations Industrial Development Organization |  |
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| UNITAR | United Nations Institute for Training and Research |
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| UNRWA | United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine <br> Refugees in the Near East <br> UNU |
| United Nations University |  |
| UPU | Universal Postal Union |
| WFP | World Food Programme |
| WHO | World Health Organization |
| WIPO | World Intellectual Property Organization |
| WMO | World Meteorological Organization |

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ST Secretariat or secretariats

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| PV | Verbatim |
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| A | Arabic |
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- A. Calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations, 2003

|  | Organ | Dates (2003) | Location | Membership | Servicing ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  | Periodicity |
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| 1. | Military Staff Committee [Charter] | 3 January, once every fortnight thereafter | New York | 5 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{CEFR}) \end{gathered}$ | T | PV | Every second Friday |
| 2. | Commission on Human Rights, intersessional working group on enforced or involuntary disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221] | 6-17 January | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 3. | Economic and Social Council, election of Bureau [Charter] | 7 January | New York | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 4. | Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, resumed 2002 session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/224] | 8-24 January | New York | 19 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 5. | UNICEF, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162] | 13-17 January | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 6. | UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget, fortieth session, first part [UNCTAD resolution $114(\mathrm{~V})$ and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)] | 13-17 January | Geneva | b | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (ACEFRS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 7. | Ad Hoc Committee on the elaboration of a convention against corruption, fourth session [General Assembly resolution 56/260] | 13-24 January | Vienna | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 8. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, twenty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions $34 / 180$ and 51/68] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 13-31 January | New York | 23 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 9. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, thirty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and $49 / 211]^{\text {c }}$ | 13-31 January | Geneva | 10 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (ACEFRS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | SR | Three sessions per year |
| 10. | UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162] | 20-24 January | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 11. | UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 20-24 January | Geneva | b | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (ACEFRS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 12. | United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees [General Assembly resolution 46/122] | 20-24 January | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |


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| 13. | Conference on Disarmament, first part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L] | 20 January- <br> 28 March | Geneva | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session in three parts per year |
| 14. | Commission on Human Rights, intergovernmental working group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270] | 20-31 January | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 15. | UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, extraordinary meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] | 23 January | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 16. | Commission on Sustainable Development, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1997/63] | 27 January | New York | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 17. | United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 913 (X)] | 27-31 January | Vienna | 21 G | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 18. | Economic and Social Council, organizational session [Charter] | 28-31 January | New York | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 19. | Consultative Committee on the United Nations Development Fund for Women, forty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 31/133 and 39/125] | January | New York | 5 G | - | - | - | One session per year |
| 20. | United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | January/February <br> (1 meeting) | New York | 12 E | - | - | - | Three sessions of one meeting each per year |
| 21. | UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 3-6 February | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 22. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94 and 51/68] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 3-7 February | New York | 4 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 23. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Optional Protocol [General Assembly resolution $55 / 70]^{\text {c }}$ | 3-7 February | New York | 5 E | - | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 24. | Assembly of the States parties of the International Criminal Court, resumed first session [Decision of the States parties at its third meeting (9 September 2002) and General Assembly resolution 57/23] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 3-7 February and 21-23 April | New York | 139 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 25. | Commission on Human Rights, working group of experts on people of African descent [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270] | 3-7 February | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 26. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, $47 / 112$ and $49 / 211]^{\text {c }}$ | 3-7 February | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 27. | International Narcotics Control Board, seventy-sixth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, $\operatorname{article} 11]^{c}$ | 3-7 February | Vienna | 13 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two or three sessions per year |
| 28. | UNEP, Governing Council, twenty-second session/Global Ministerial Environment Forum [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185] | 3-7 February | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |
| 29. | Commission on Human Rights, open-ended working group on the right to development [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/271] | 3-14 February | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 30. | Special meeting of the States parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] | 4 February | New York | 149 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | SR | - |  |
| 31. | Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)] | 4 February28 March | New York | 16 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 32. | Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K] | 5-7 February | New York | 23 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 33. | WFP, Executive Board, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution $50 / 8]^{\text {d }}$ | 5-7 February | Rome | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 34. | Ninth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child [General Assembly resolution 44/25] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 10 February | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session every two years |
| 35. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Situations [Economic and Social Council resolution 1990/41] | 10-14 February | Geneva | 5 E | I (EFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 36. | Commission for Social Development, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7] | 10-21 February | New York | 46 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 37. | Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Scientific and Technical Subcommittee, fortieth session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)] | 17-28 February | Vienna | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 38. | Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | 18-19 February | New York | $11-12 \mathrm{E}$ | - | - | - | Four or five meetings per year |
| 39. | UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eightysecond meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] | 20 February | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four sessions per year |


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| 40. | United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees [General Assembly resolution 40/131] | 24-26 February and 31 March4 April | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\text { EFRS }) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 41. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, twentyeighth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 24-28 February | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 42. | Ad Hoc Committee on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and their Properties [General Assembly resolution 57/16] | 24-28 February | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 43. | UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 24-28 February | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 44. | Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group, substantive session [General Assembly resolution 48/42] | 27 February- <br> 28 March | New York | 113 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 45. | Commission on Human Rights, working group on structural adjustment programmes [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/57] | February/March (2 weeks) | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 46. | Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)] | February/March | New York | 25 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR ${ }^{\text {e }}$ |  |
| 47. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, third session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 3-7 March | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 48. | Group of governmental experts on tracing (illicit small arms and light weapons), second session [General Assembly resolution 56/24 U] | 3-7 March | Geneva | 25 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 49. | Commission on the Status of Women, forty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 1999/257] | 3-14 March | New York | 45 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 50. | Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, sixty-second session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 3-21 March | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 51. | General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter] | 3-28 March | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 52. | ECE, fifty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)] | 4-6 March | Geneva | 55 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFR}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 53. | Statistical Commission, thirty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8] | 4-7 March | New York | 24 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |


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| 54. | Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 10-14 March | Geneva | 9 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\text { EFRS }) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 55. | Group of governmental experts of the States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects, first session [Decision of the States parties, December 2001] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 10-14 March | Geneva | 89 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 56. | Ad Hoc Committee on the elaboration of a convention against corruption, fifth session [General Assembly resolution 56/260] | 10-21 March | Vienna | 189 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 57. | Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), forty-seventh session ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 11-13 March | Geneva | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Four sessions per year |
| 58. | Committee for the United Nations Population Award [General Assembly resolution 36/201] | 12 March and 19 April | New York | 10 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 59. | Group of Governmental Experts on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms [General Assembly resolution 55/33 U] | 17-21 March | New York | 25 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 60. | Human Rights Committee, seventy-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 17 March-4 April | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | SR | Three sessions per year |
| 61. | Commission on Human Rights, fifty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II)] | 17 March- <br> 24 April $^{\mathrm{f}}$ | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 62. | Ad Hoc Committee on the scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel [General Assembly resolution 57/28] | 24-28 March | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 63. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \text { March- } \\ & 4 \text { April } \end{aligned}$ | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 64. | Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Legal Subcommittee, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 1472 (XIV)] | 24 March- <br> 4 April | Vienna | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR ${ }^{\text {g }}$ | One session per year |
| 65. | General meeting between representatives of the Caribbean Community and its associated institutions and of the United Nations system [General Assembly resolution 57/41] | 27-28 March | New York | To be determined | To be determined | T | - |  |


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| 66. | Ad Hoc Committee established by General Assembly resolution 51/210 of 17 December 1996 [General Assembly resolution 57/27] | 31 March-2 April | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 67. | Commission on Population and Development, thirty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55] | 31 March-4 April | New York | 47 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 68. | Disarmament Commission [General Assembly resolution S-10/2] | 31 March- <br> 17 April | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session per year |
| 69. | ICSC, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)] | 31 March18 April | Bangkok | 15 E | I (EFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 70. | INSTRAW, Board of Trustees, twenty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 33/187 and 34/157] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | March/April ${ }^{\text {h }}$ <br> (1 week) | Santo <br> Domingo | 11 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 71. | United Nations seminar on assistance to the Palestinian people [General Assembly resolution 57/107] | March/April ${ }^{\text {h }}$ (2 days) | Paris <br> (UNESCO <br> headquarters) | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 72. | United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | March/April ${ }^{\text {h }}$ <br> (1 meeting) | New York | 12 E | - | - | - | Three sessions of one meeting each per year |
| 73. | Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat [General Assembly resolution 56/206] | 3 April | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four meetings per year |
| 74. | Committee for Development Policy, fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46] | 7-11 April | New York | 24 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 75. | Committee of Experts on Public Administration [Economic and Social Council resolution 2001/45] | 7-11 April | New York | 24 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 76. | Advisory Group of the United Nations Trust Fund for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People [General Assembly resolution 48/163] | 7-11 April | Geneva | 10 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{ES}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 77. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 7-11 April | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 78. | Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [General Assembly resolution 3349 (XXIX)] | 7-17 April | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 79. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, forty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39] | 8-15 April | Vienna | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 80. | Committee of the Whole of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs [Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/39] | 8-17 April <br> (4 days) | Vienna | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |


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| 81. | Economic and Social Council, special high-level meeting with the Bretton Woods institutions and the World Trade Organization [General Assembly resolution 50/227] | 14 April | New York | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 82. | ESCWA, Preparatory Committee [Economic and Social Council resolution 1994/26] | 14-15 April | Beirut | 13 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session every two years |
| 83. | ESCWA, twenty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1818 (LV), 2089 (LXIII) and 1994/26] | 16-17 April | Beirut | 13 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session every two years |
| 84. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, ministerial level, fortysixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39] | 16-17 April | Vienna | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 85. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, sixty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221] | 21-24 April | New York | 5 E | I <br> (AEFS) | T | - |  |
| 86. | Committee against Torture, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolution 56/44] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 22-24 April | Geneva | 4 E | I (EFRS) | T | - |  |
| 87. | ESCAP, fifty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)] | 24-30 April ${ }^{\text {h }}$ | Bangkok | 52 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{CEFR}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 88. | United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321] | 25-26 April | Paris <br> (UNESCO <br> headquarters) | 26 ST | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 89. | Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 28 April-2 May | New York | 21 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 90. | Committee against Torture, thirtieth session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 28 April-6 May | Geneva | 10 E | I (EFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 91. | Committee on Information, twenty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 33/115 C] | 28 April-9 May | New York | 98 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 92. | Commission on Sustainable Development, eleventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/207] | 28 April-9 May | New York | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 93. | Preparatory Committee for the 2005 Review Conference of the States Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, second session [General Assembly resolution $55 / 33 \mathrm{D}]^{\text {c d }}$ | 28 April-9 May | Geneva | 187 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 94. | Economic and Social Council, resumed organizational session [Charter] | 29-30 April | New York | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 95. | UNITAR, Board of Trustees, forty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227] | $\operatorname{April}^{\text {h }}$ (1 week) | Geneva | 28 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |


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| 96. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Electronic Commerce, forty-first session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 5-9 May | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 97. | Commission on Science and Technology for Development, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/75] | 5-9 May | Geneva | 33 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 98. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Arbitrary Detention, thirty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2000/263] | 5-9 May | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 99. | Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme, nineteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/1 and General Assembly resolution 56/206] | 5-9 May | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |
| 100. | Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297] | 5-23 May | New York | 19 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 101. | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, thirtieth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 5-23 May | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 102. | General Assembly, Fifth Committee, resumed session [Charter] | 5-30 May | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 103. | International Law Commission, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 174 (II)] | 5 May-6 June and 7 July-8 August | Geneva | 34 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 104. | Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)] | 6 May-18 July | New York | 16 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 105. | Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | 12-13 May | New York | 11-12 E | - | - | - | Four or five meetings per year |
| 106. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, thirty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 12-16 May | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 107. | Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Minorities [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/246] | 12-16 May | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 108. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General | 12-16 May | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 109. | Group of Governmental Experts on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms [General Assembly resolution 55/33 U] | 12-23 May | New York | 25 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 110. | Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22] | 12-23 May | New York | 16 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 111. | United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-second session [General Assembly resolution 36/151] | 12-28 May | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFS}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 112. | Conference on Disarmament, second part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L] | 12 May-27 June | Geneva | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session in three parts per year |
| 113. | Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, twelfth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1] | 13-22 May | Vienna | 40 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 114. | Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, parallel meetings for informal consultations and working groups [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/232] | 13-22 May <br> (12 meetings) | Vienna | 40 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 115. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, thirty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 19 May-6 June | Geneva | 10 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Three sessions per year |
| 116. | UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget, fortieth session, second part [UNCTAD resolution $114(\mathrm{~V})$ and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)] | 21-23 May | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 117. | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 26-30 May | Geneva | 5 E | I $(\mathrm{EFRS})$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 118. | WFP, Executive Board, annual session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 26-30 May | Rome | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 119. | United Nations Forum on Forests [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/35 and decision 2001/218] | 26 May-6 June | Geneva | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 120. | International Narcotics Control Board, seventy-seventh session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, $\operatorname{article} 11]^{c}$ | 26 May-6 June | Vienna | 13 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two or three sessions per year |
| 121. | High-level Committee on the Review of Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 33/134] | 27-30 May | New York | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |


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| 122. | Regional seminar to review the situation in Non-SelfGoverning Territories under the Second Decade on the Eradication of Colonialism [General Assembly resolution 55/147] | May (3 days) | To be determined | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 123. | United Nations international meeting in support of Middle East peace on the question of Palestine [General Assembly resolution 57/107] | May (2 days) | Kyiv | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFR) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 124. | United Nations NGO event in support of Palestinian people [General Assembly resolution 56/33] | May (1 day) | Kyiv | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFR}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 125. | Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [General Assembly resolution 52/12 B] | May (1 day) | New York | $\begin{gathered} 36 \mathrm{G} / 36 \mathrm{G} / \\ 36 \mathrm{G} \end{gathered}$ | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 126. | Committee for Programme and Coordination, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93] | May (1 day) | New York | 34 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 127. | United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Committee of Actuaries [General Assembly resolution 1561 (XV), article XXIX] | 2-4 June | New York | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{ER}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 128. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 2-4 June | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 129. | Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283] | 2-5 June | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 130. | UNICEF, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162] | 2-6 June | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 131. | Group of governmental experts on tracing (illicit small arms and light weapons), third session [General Assembly resolution 56/24 U] | 2-6 June | New York | 25 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 132. | Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea [General Assembly resolution 57/141] | 2-6 June | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 133. | Ad Hoc Committee to elaborate a convention on the rights of persons with disabilities [General Assembly resolution 57/229] | 16-27 June | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 134. | WFP, Executive Board, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 2-6 June | Rome | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 135. | UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention [General Assembly decision 56/199] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 2-13 June | Bonn | 186 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 136. | Committee on Contributions, sixty-third session [General Assembly resolution 14 (I) A] | 2-27 June | New York | 18 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 137. | Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat [General Assembly resolution 56/206] | 4 June | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four meetings per year |
| 138. | Meeting of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea [General Assembly resolutions $37 / 66$ and 49/28] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 9-13 June | New York | 138 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 139. | UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162] | 9-20 June | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 140. | Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93] | 9 June-3 July | New York | 34 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 141. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, $47 / 112$ and 49/211] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 10-13 June | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 142. | Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, fortysixth session [General Assembly resolution 1472 A (XIV)] | 11-20 June | Vienna | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV ${ }^{\text {g }}$ | One session per year |
| 143. | Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery [Economic and Social Council decision 16 (LVI)] | 16-20 June | Geneva | 5 E | I (EFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 144. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 16-20 June | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 145. | Group of governmental experts of the States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects, second session [Decision of the States parties, December 2001] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 16-27 June | Geneva | 89 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 146. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Optional Protocol [General Assembly resolution $55 / 70]^{\text {c }}$ | 23-27 June | New York | 5 E | - | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 147. | Sixth meeting of governmental experts from landlocked and transit developing countries and representatives of donor countries and financial and development institutions and first session of the open-ended preparatory committee of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation [General Assembly resolution 57/242] | 23-27 June | New York | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 148. | United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 A (IV)] | 23 June-25 July | Geneva | 7 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | $P V^{i}$ | Two sessions per year |
| 149. | Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), forty-eighth session ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 24-26 June | Geneva | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Four sessions per year |
| 150. | Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 24-27 June | Geneva | 8 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 151. | United Nations Board of Auditors [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)] | 26-27 June | New York | 3 E | - | - | - | One session per year |
| 152. | Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65] | 30 June-4 July | Geneva | 23 G | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 153. | United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, thirty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2205 (XXI)] | 30 June-11 July | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 154. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, twenty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions $34 / 180$ and 51/68] | 30 June-18 July | New York | 23 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 155. | Economic and Social Council, substantive session [Charter] | 30 June-25 July | Geneva | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 156. | United Nations regional meeting for Asia and the Pacific on the question of Palestine [General Assembly resolution 57/107] | June (3 days) | To be determined | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 157. | Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31] | June (1 day) | New York | 19 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 158. | International Law Seminar [General Assembly resolution 49/51] | June-July (3 weeks) | Geneva | 30 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | - | - | One session per year |
| 159. | Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)] | June/July (6-8 meetings per week, up to 30 meetings) | New York | 25 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR ${ }^{\text {e }}$ |  |
| 160. | Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters [General Assembly resolution 37/99 K] | June/July (3-4 days) | New York | 20 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 161. | UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eightythird meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] | June/July (1 day) | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four sessions per year |
| 162. | UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 2-4 July | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 163. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 7-9 July | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 164. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 7-9 July | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 165. | Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65] | 7-9 July | Geneva | 23 G | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 166. | Biennial meeting of States to consider the implementation of the Programme of Action on Small Arms [General Assembly resolution 56/24 V] | 7-11 July | New York | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 167. | United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Standing Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | 7-11 July | New York | 15 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session every two years |
| 168. | Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 7-11 July | Geneva | 9 E | I (EFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 169. | Ad Hoc Committee on the Indian Ocean [General Assembly resolution 56/16] | 8-9 July | New York | 44 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session every two years |


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| 170. | Sixteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/221] | 14-18 July | Okinawa | 51 G | I (CEFR) | T | - | One session every three years |
| 171. | ICSC, fifty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)] | 14-25 July | New York | 15 E | I $(\mathrm{EFRS})$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 172. | Human Rights Committee, seventy-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 14 July-8 August | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | SR | Three sessions per year |
| 173. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 16-18 July | Geneva | To be determined | I (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 174. | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94 and 51/68] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 21-25 July | New York | 4 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFS}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 175. | Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Indigenous Populations [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34] | 21-25 July | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 176. | Group of Governmental Experts on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms [General Assembly resolution 55/33 U] | 21 July-1 August | New York | 22 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 177. | Ad Hoc Committee on the elaboration of a convention against corruption, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 56/260] | 21 July-1 August | Vienna | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 178. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 28-30 July | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 179. | Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, fifty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II)] | 28 July-15 August | Geneva | 26 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 180. | Conference on Disarmament, third part [General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L] | 28 July- <br> 10 September | Geneva | 61 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session in three parts per year |
| 181. | Assembly of States parties of the International Criminal Court, Budget and Finance Committee [Decision of the States parties at its third meeting (9 September 2002) and General Assembly resolution 57/23] ${ }^{\text {cd }}$ | 4-8 August | New York | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 182. | Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, sixty-third session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 4-22 August | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 183. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, seventieth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221] | 11-15 August | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (AEFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 184. | Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Communications [Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII)] | 18-29 August | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 185. | Commission on Human Rights, intersessional meeting of the intergovernmental working group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action [General Assembly resolution 57/195] | 18-29 August | Geneva | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 186. | Meeting of Senior Officials and second session of the open-ended intergovernmental preparatory committee of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation [General Assembly resolution 57/242] | 25-27 August | Almaty | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 187. | Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf [annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 25-29 August | New York | 21 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 188. | UNCCD, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, sixth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 56/196] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 25 August- <br> 5 September | Havana | 185 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |
| 189. | International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation [General Assembly resolution 57/242] | 28-29 August | Almaty | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 190. | Meeting of experts of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 18-29 August | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 191. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Arbitrary Detention, thirty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2000/263] | 1-5 September | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |


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| 192. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Insolvency Law, twentyninth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 1-5 September | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 193. | Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions [General Assembly resolution 173 (II)] | 2 September- <br> 19 December | New York | 16 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 194. | Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat [General Assembly resolution 56/206] | 4 September | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four meetings per year |
| 195. | United Nations international meeting of civil society in support of the Palestinian people [General Assembly resolution 57/107] | 4-5 September | New York | To be determined | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 196. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 8-10 September | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 197. | UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and $48 / 162]^{\text {d }}$ | 8-12 September | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 198. | Assembly of the States parties of the International Criminal Court, second session [Decision of the States parties at its third meeting (9 September 2002) and General Assembly resolution 57/23] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 8-12 September | New York | 139 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 199. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Security Interests, fourth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 8-12 September | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 200. | General Assembly, fifty-eighth session [Charter] | 9 September- <br> December | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{PV} / \\ & \mathrm{SR}^{\mathrm{j}} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 201. | UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162] | 15-19 September | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 202. | UNCTAD, Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, forty-first session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)] | 15-19 September | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 203. | Fifth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction [article 11, paragraph 2, of the Convention] ${ }^{\text {cd }}$ | 15-19 September | Bangkok | 129 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 204. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, thirty-fourth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and $49 / 211]^{\text {c }}$ | 15 September- <br> 3 October | Geneva | 10 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Three sessions per year |


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| 205. | Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | 18-19 September | New York | $11-12 \mathrm{E}$ | - | - | - | Four or five meetings per year |
| 206. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 24-26 September | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 207. | UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/67] | 29 September- <br> 1 October | Geneva | 34 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 208. | Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), forty-ninth session ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | September (3 days) | Geneva | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Four sessions per year |
| 209. | UNRWA, Advisory Commission [General Assembly resolution 302 (IV)] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | September (1 day) | Amman | 10 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 210. | UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eighty-fourth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] | September/ October (1 day) | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four sessions per year |
| 211. | United Nations Staff Pension Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | September/ <br> October <br> (1 meeting) | New York | 12 E | - | - | - | Three sessions of one meeting each per year |
| 212. | Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 6-10 October | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 213. | UNHCR, Executive Committee, fifty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)] | 6-10 October | Geneva | 64 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 214. | UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution $114(\mathrm{~V})$ ] | 6-17 October | Geneva | 148 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 215. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Transport Law, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 6-17 October | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 216. | Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 13-17 October | Geneva | 9 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFRS}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Three sessions per year |
| 217. | WFP, Executive Board, third regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 20-24 October | Rome | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 218. | Human Rights Committee, seventy-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 20 October- <br> 7 November | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | SR | Three sessions per year |
| 219. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 22-24 October | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 220. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 29-31 October | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 221. | International Narcotics Control Board, seventy-eighth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11] ${ }^{c}$ | 29 October- <br> 14 November | Vienna | 13 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two or three sessions per year |
| 222. | Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, thirty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 2099 (XX)] | October (2 days) | New York | 25 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 223. | United Nations Administrative Tribunal [General Assembly resolution 351 (IV)] | October/ <br> November <br> (5 weeks) | New York | 7 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | $P V^{i}$ | Two sessions per year |
| 224. | General Assembly, high-level dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership [General Assembly resolutions 53/181 and 55/193] | October <br> (3 days) | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session every two years |
| 225. | United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321] | October/ <br> November <br> (2-3 days) | New York | 26 ST | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (E F) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 226. | Committee against Torture, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolution 56/44] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 3-7 November | Geneva | 4 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EFRS}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 227. | UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 4-7 November | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 228. | Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283] | 10-13 November | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | Two sessions per year |


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| 229. | Annual meeting of the States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction [Decision of the States parties at its Fifth Review Conference] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 10-14 November | Geneva | 144 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 230. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Arbitration, thirty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 10-14 November | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 231. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, seventy-first session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/221] | 10-19 November | Geneva | 5 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{AEFS}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 232. | Committee against Torture, thirty-first session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 10-21 November | Geneva | 10 E | I (EFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 233. | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, thirty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 10-28 November | Geneva | 18 E | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | SR | Two sessions per year |
| 234. | Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency [General Assembly resolutions 347 (IV) and 1438 (XIV)] | 11-18 November | Vienna | 9 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | - | - | One session per year |
| 235. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 17-21 November | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 236. | UNCITRAL, Working Group on Electronic Commerce, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 33/92] | 17-21 November | Vienna | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |
| 237. | Group of governmental experts of the States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects, third session [Decision of the States parties, December 2001] ${ }^{\text {c d }}$ | 17-24 November | Geneva | 89 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 238. | United Nations Board of Auditors, special session [General Assembly resolution 74 (I)] | 19 November | Vienna | 3 E | - | - | - | One session per year |
| 239. | Commission on Human Rights, Working Group on Arbitrary Detention, thirty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2000/263] | 19-28 November | Geneva | 5 E | I (EFS) | T | - |  |
| 240. | Investments Committee [General Assembly resolution 248 (III)] | 24-26 November | New York | $11-12 \mathrm{E}$ | - | - | - | Four or five meetings per year |


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| 241. | Fifth Annual Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol II to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [article 13, paragraph 1, of Amended Protocol] ${ }^{\mathrm{c} \text { d }}$ | 26 November | Geneva | 69 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 242. | Annual Meeting of States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects [Convention] ${ }^{\mathrm{c} \text { d }}$ | 27-28 November | Geneva | 89 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | One session per year |
| 243. | Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, Special Meeting in Observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolutions 32/40 B and 33/28] | 28 November | New York | 25 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session per year |
| 244. | UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | November (1 week) | Geneva | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 245. | United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities [General Assembly resolution 32/197] | November (1 day) | New York | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session per year |
| 246. | Ninth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | November (1 day) | Geneva | 139 G | I (EFRS) | T | SR | One session every two years |
| 247. | Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [General Assembly resolution 1729 (XVI)] | November (1 meeting) | New York | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One meeting per year |
| 248. | UNDP, Inter-Agency Consultative Meeting [General Assembly resolution 32/197] | November/ December (3 days) | New York | 33 ST | - | - | - |  |
| 249. | UNICEF, Executive Board, extraordinary budgetary session [Executive Board decision 2000/7] | 1-2 December | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session every two years |
| 250. | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group [Economic and Social | 1-5 December | Geneva | 5 E | I <br> (EFRS) | T | - | Two sessions per year |


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| 251. | Preparatory process meetings for the eleventh session of UNCTAD [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 1-5 December | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 252. | Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65] | 1-10 December | Geneva | 22 G | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 253. | UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, ninth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 56/199] ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 1-12 December | Milan | 186 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 254. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, resumed forty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39] | 8-10 December | Vienna | 53 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |
| 255. | UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | 8-12 December | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 256. | Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65] | 10-12 December | Geneva | 22 G | I <br> (CEFRS) | T | - | One or two sessions per year |
| 257. | Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat [General Assembly resolution 56/206] | 11 December | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four meetings per year |
| 258. | UNU, Council, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)] | December <br> (1 week) | Tokyo | 28 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 259. | Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991), fiftieth session ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | December <br> (3 days) | Geneva | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | Four sessions per year |
| 260. | High-level political conference for the purpose of signing the United Nations convention against corruption [General Assembly resolution 57/169] | December <br> (3 days) | Mexico | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 261. | Disarmament Commission, organizational session [General Assembly resolution S-10/2] | December (2 days) | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | One session per year |
| 262. | Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [General Assembly resolution 55/75] | December (1 meeting) | Geneva | 193 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One meeting per year |
| 263. | UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, eightyfifth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2] | December | Nairobi | 58 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | Four sessions per year |


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| 264. | UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | As required (up to 30 meetings) | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 265. | UNCTAD, seminars and study groups [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | As required (up to 30 meetings) | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 266. | UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | As required (up to 20 meetings) | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 267. | UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167] | As required (3 days) | Geneva | b | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 268. | UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX) and 48/162] | As required | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 269. | UNICEF, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162] | As required | New York | 36 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 270. | Trusteeship Council (and drafting committees) [Charter] | As required | New York | 5 G | I (CEFR) | T | $P V^{\text {d }}$ | As required |
| 271. | Security Council [Charter] | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | PV | As required |
| 272. | Security Council Committee of Experts [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1 st meeting, 1946] | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 273. | Security Council, Committee on the Admission of New Members [decision taken by the Security Council at its 42nd meeting, 1946] | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 274. | Security Council, Committee on Council Meetings away from Headquarters [decision taken by the Security Council at its 1625 th meeting] | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 275. | Security Council Commission established under Security Council resolution 446 (1979) | As required | New York | 3 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 276. | Security Council, Ad Hoc Committee established under Security Council resolution 507 (1982) | As required | New York | 4 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |


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| 277. | Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1990) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 278. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 748 (1992) concerning the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 279. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 280. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 864 (1993) concerning Angola | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 281. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 282. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 985 (1995) concerning Liberia | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 283. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 284. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1160 (1998) | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 285. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Afghanistan | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 286. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1298 (2000) concerning the situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 287. | Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism | As required | New York | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 288. | Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991) ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | As required | Geneva | 15 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 289. | United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine [General Assembly resolution 194 (III)] | As required | New York | 3 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | As required |
| 290. | Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group [General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)] | As required | New York | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 291. | Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People [General Assembly resolution 3376 (XXX)] | As required | New York | 25 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | As required |
| 292. | Committee on Conferences [General Assembly resolution 43/222 B] | As required | New York | 21 G | I <br> (AEFRS) | T | - | As required |


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| 293. | Committee on Relations with the Host Country [General Assembly resolution 2819 (XXVI)] | As required | New York | 19 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 294. | Economic and Social Council, informal consultations [General Assembly resolution 50/227] | As required | New York | 54 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | As required |
| 295. | ECE, committees and working groups [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)] | As required | Geneva | 55 G | To be determined | T | - |  |
| 296. | International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [Security Council resolution 808 (1993) and General Assembly resolution 47/235] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | As required | The Hague | 11 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | As required |
| 297. | International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [Security Council resolution 955 (1994)] ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | As required | Arusha | 11 E | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ (\mathrm{EF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | As required |
| 298. | Ad Hoc Committee on the Elaboration of a Convention against Transnational Organized Crime (on Rules of Procedure for the Conference of States Parties) [General Assembly resolution 55/25] ${ }^{\mathrm{c}, \mathrm{k}}$ | To be determined (2 weeks) | Vienna | 194 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 299. | Ad Hoc Group of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII) and 1765 (LIV)] | To be determined (1 week) | New York | 25 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One session every two years |
| 300. | Group of government experts on the relationship between disarmament and development, first session [General Assembly resolution 57/75] | To be determined (1 week) | New York | 24 E | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - | One week |
| 301. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Asia and the Pacific region [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15] | To be determined (1 week) | Bangkok | 51 G | I (CEFR) | T | - | One session per year |
| 302. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean region [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15] | To be determined (1 week) | Santiago | 41 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 303. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, African region [Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11] | To be determined (1 week) | Addis Ababa | 53 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |


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| 304. | Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East [Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)] | To be determined (1 week) | A capital in the region | 23 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AER}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 305. | General meeting on cooperation between the representatives of the secretariats of the United Nations system and the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States and its specialized organizations [General Assembly resolutions 45/82 and 50/16] | To be determined (3 days) | To be determined | 27 ST | I $(\mathrm{AEF})$ | T | - | One session every two years |
| 306. | ECLAC, Committee of the Whole, twenty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 106 (VI)] | To be determined (2 days) | Santiago | 41 G | $\begin{gathered} \text { I } \\ \text { (EFS) } \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session every two years |
| 307. | First meeting of the States parties to the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families [General Assembly resolution 57/218] | To be determined (1 day) | New York | To be determined | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR | To be convened no later than six months after the date of the entry into force of the Convention |
| 308. | General Assembly, Fourth Committee, resumed session [Charter] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | SR |  |
| 309. | Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/24] | To be determined | New York | 54 G | - | T | - |  |
| 310. | Open-ended working group to consider the objectives and agenda, including the possible establishment of the preparatory committee, for the fourth special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament [General Assembly resolution 57/61] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 311. | Open-ended ad hoc working group on the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic and social fields [General Assembly resolution 57/270] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 312. | Working Group on the Future Operations of INSTRAW [General Assembly resolution 57/175] | To be determined | New York | 11 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 313. | High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Financial Situation of the United Nations [General Assembly resolution 49/143] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 314. | Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [General Assembly resolutions 2656 (XXV) and 57/118] | To be determined | New York | 9 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |


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| 315. | Informal Open-ended Working Group on an Agenda for Peace and/or its sub-groups [General Assembly resolution 47/120] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 316. | Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters Related to the Security Council [General Assembly decision 56/477] | To be determined | New York | 191 G | I <br> (ACEFRS) | T | - |  |
| 317. | Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories [General Assembly resolutions 2443 (XXIII) and 57/124] | To be determined | Geneva | 3 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | $P V^{\text {e }}$ |  |
| 318. | ECA, Committee of Experts of the Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, twenty-second meeting [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)] | To be determined | Addis Ababa | 53 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - |  |
| 319. | ECA, Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, thirty-sixth session of the Commission [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)] | To be determined | Addis Ababa | 53 G | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I} \\ (\mathrm{AEF}) \end{gathered}$ | T | - | One session per year |
| 320. | General meeting of representatives of the United Nations system and of the Organization of American States [General Assembly resolution 55/15] | To be determined | To be determined | To be determined | - | T | - | One session every two years |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated. Languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned and, in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.
${ }^{\mathrm{b}}$ Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9)
Treaty bodies.
${ }^{d}$ Conference services are funded from outside the regular budget of the United Nations
For plenary meetings only
${ }^{\mathrm{f}}$ The General Assembly, in its decision 57/584, invited the Economic and Social Council to review its decision $2002 / 281$ of 25 July 2002 with a view to ensuring that additional meetings of the Commission on Human Rights are not required in connection with its fifty-ninth session.
${ }^{g}$ The General Assembly, in paragraph 8 of its resolution 53/45, noted with satisfaction that, in accordance with paragraph 9 of Assembly resolution $52 / 56$, the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, at its forty-first session, had reviewed further its requirements for unedited verbatim transcripts and agreed to continue the use of those transcripts.
${ }^{h}$ Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution $56 / 242$ and as decided by the Assembly previously, United Nations intergovernmental bodies are requested to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday, which falls on 25 April 2003
When holding oral hearings.
${ }^{\mathrm{j}}$ It has been the practice to provide verbatim records for plenary and First Committee meetings only.
${ }^{k}$ To meet in advance of the first session of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention against Transnational Organized Crime in order to prepare the draft rules of procedure for the Conference.
B. Calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations, 2003

|  | Organ | Dates (2003) | Location |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | ICAO, Committee | 13-31 January | Montreal |
| 2. | IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee | 20 January | Vienna |
| 3. | WHO, Executive Board | 20-28 January | Geneva |
| 4. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings | 17 February-7 March | Vienna |
| 5. | ICAO, Council | 17 February-14 March | Montreal |
| 6. | IFAD, Governing Council | 19-20 February | Rome |
| 7. | IAEA, Board of Governors | 17-20 March | Vienna |
| 8. | Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council | 18-21 March | The Hague |
| 9. | ILO, Governing Body and its committees | March | Geneva |
| 10. | IFAD, Executive Board | 9-10 April | Rome |
| 11. | ICAO, Committee | 14 April-2 May | Montreal |
| 12. | UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee, nineteenth session | 28-30 April | Vienna |
| 13. | Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, First Review Conference of the Chemical Weapons Convention | 28 April-9 May | The Hague |
| 14. | UPU, Postal Operations Council | April | Berne |
| 15. | IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee | 5-8 May | Vienna |
| 16. | World Meteorological Congress | 5-24 May | Geneva |
| 17. | WHO, World Health Assembly, fifty-sixth session | 19-28 May | Geneva |
| 18. | ICAO, Council | 20 May-13 June | Montreal |
| 19. | WMO, Executive Council | 26-28 May | Geneva |
| 20. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings | 26 May-6 June | Vienna |
| 21. | UNESCO, Executive Board | May/June | Paris |
| 22. | ILO, General Conference | 3-19 June | Geneva |
| 23. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings | 10-13 June | Vienna |
| 24. | IAEA, Board of Governors | 16-20 June | Vienna |
| 25. | FAO, Council | 23-28 June | Rome |


|  | Organ | Dates (2003) | Location |
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| 26. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, twentieth session | 24-27 June | Vienna |
| 27. | Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council | 24-27 June | The Hague |
| 28. | ITU, Council | June | Geneva |
| 29. | ILO, Governing Body and its committees | June | Geneva |
| 30. | IMO, Council | June | London |
| 31. | International Seabed Authority, Assembly, ninth session | 28 July-8 August | Kingston |
| 32. | UNIDO, Industrial Development Board | 26-28 August | Vienna |
| 33. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings | 1-12 September | Vienna |
| 34. | IAEA, Board of Governors | 8-11 September | Vienna |
| 35. | IFAD, Executive Board | 10-11 September | Rome |
| 36. | IAEA, General Conference | 15-19 September | Vienna |
| 37. | IAEA, Board of Governors | 22 September | Vienna |
| 38. | Annual meetings of the Boards of Governors of the World Bank Group and the International Monetary Fund | 23-24 September | Dubai |
| 39. | Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council | 23-26 September | The Hague |
| 40. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty, Working Group A and informal/expert meeting | 29 September-3 October | Vienna |
| 41. | Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty | September | Vienna or New York |
| 42. | WIPO, Assemblies of Member States | September/October | Geneva |
| 43. | ICAO, Committee | 6-24 October | Montreal |
| 44. | World Food Day | 16 October | Montreal |
| 45. | Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, eighth session | 20-24 October | The Hague |
| 46. | UPU, Council of Administration | October | Berne |
| 47. | UNESCO, Executive Board | October | Paris |
| 48. | UNESCO, General Conference | October/November | Paris |
| 49. | Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, twenty-first session | 10-14 November | Vienna |
| 50. | ICAO, Council | 10 November-5 December | Montreal |
| 51. | IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee | 17-19 November | Vienna |


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| 52. | IAEA, Board of Governors | $20-21$ November | Vienna |
| 53. | FAO, Council | $26-28$ November | Rome |
| 54. | FAO, Conference | 29 November-10 December | Rome |
| 55. | ILO, Governing Body and its committees | November | Geneva |
| 56. | IMO, Council | November | London |
| 57. | IMO, Assembly | November | London |
| 58. | IMO, Council | November | London |
| 59. | UNIDO, General Conference, tenth session | $1-5$ December | Vienna |
| 60. | Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council | $2-5$ December | The Hague |
| 61. | ITU, World Summit on the Information Society | $10-12$ December | Geneva |
| 62. | FAO, Council | 11 December | Rome |
| 63. | IFAD, Executive Board | $17-18$ December | Rome |

