

# Human Rights Council

## Twentieth session

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## Bulletin of informal meetings

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Rooms E-3015, E-3007, E-3011, E-3009, and E-3019 have been allocated for meetings of African Union, European Union, GRULAC, JUSCANZ, OIC, and respectively, for the entire duration of the session, and will not be reflected in this document unless specifically requested.

**Wednesday, 20 June 2012**

### MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY PERMANENT MISSIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, OHCHR, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

| Time          | Organized by  | Subject of the meeting  | Type of meeting | Room   |
|---------------|---|---|-----------------|--------|
| 8.00 – 9.45   | Permanent Delegation of the European Union (EU)   | Coordination meeting of the EU human rights experts   | Private         | XXV    |
| 8.00 – 10.00  | Permanent Mission of Belgium  | WEOG meeting  | Private         | XXII   |
| 8.30 – 10.00  | Permanent Mission of the Republic of Cuba   | GRULAC meeting  | Private         | E-3025 |
| 9.00 – 12.00  | African Union (AU)  | African Group meeting   | Private         | XXIV   |
| 9.00 – 13.00  | Global Migration Policy Associates, University of Geneva Graduate Institute and Office of the High Commissioner of Human Rights | Global migration policy symposium   | Public          | XXVII  |
| 9.00 – 10.00  | Permanent Delegation of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC)   | OIC Group meeting   | Private         | XXIII  |
| 9.45 – 13.00  | Permanent Missions of Hungary and Poland  | Launch of the Raphael Lemkin International Prize for the prevention of genocide and mass atrocities | Public          | XXV    |
| 10.00 – 12.00 | Permanent Mission of Germany  | Informal consultations on trafficking in persons  | Public          | XXIII  |
| 10.00 – 12.00 | Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland   | Women, peace and security in the MENA region  | Private         | XXII   |
| 12.00 – 13.00 | Permanent Mission of Mexico   | Informal consultations on draft resolution on human rights of migrants                              | Public          | XXIV   |

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|---------------|--|--|---------|-------|
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Permanent Mission of Australia   | JUSCANZ meeting  | Private | XXVII |
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Permanent Mission of Austria and Office of the High Commissioner of Human Rights | Protection of journalists: UN and regional approaches for better protection  | Public  | XXIII |
| 14.00 – 18.00 | Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland    | Women, peace and security in the MENA region (cont'd)  | Private | XXII  |
| 17.00 – 19.00 | Permanent Mission of Sweden with Core group                                      | Co-sponsors meeting on draft resolution on the promotion, protection and enjoyment of human rights on the internet | Private | XXIII |

### **MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS**

| <b>Time</b>   | <b>Organized by</b>                                       | <b>Subject of the meeting</b>                       | <b>Type of meeting</b> | <b>Room</b> |
|---------------|---|---|------------------------|-------------|
| 12.00 – 14.00 | International Catholic Child Bureau (ICCB)                | Dialogue with Special Rapporteur on cultural rights | Public                 | XXII        |
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Asian Forum for Human Rights and Development (FORUM-ASIA) | Human rights in Malaysia                            | Public                 | XXIV        |
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Worldwide Organization for Women (WOW)                    | Dignity and human rights: missing dialogue          | Public                 | XXV         |
| 15.00 – 17.00 | Action Canada for Population and Development              | Criminal laws and women's right to health           | Public                 | XXIV        |

### **Forthcoming Meetings – Thursday, 21 June 2012**

*Please note that the information on forthcoming events is indicative and may be subject to changes*

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| <b>Time</b>   | <b>Organized by</b>   | <b>Subject of the meeting</b>  | <b>Type of meeting</b> | <b>Room</b> |
|---------------|---|--|------------------------|-------------|
| 8.00 – 10.00  | Permanent Delegation of the European Union (EU)                       | Coordination meeting of the EU human rights experts  | Private                | XXV         |
| 8.30 – 10.00  | Permanent Mission of the Republic of Cuba                             | GRULAC meeting   | Private                | XXVII       |
| 9.00 – 12.00  | African Union (AU)  | African Group meeting  | Private                | XXIV        |
| 9.00 – 10.00  | Permanent Delegation of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) | OIC Group meeting  | Private                | XXIII       |
| 10.00 – 11.00 | Permanent Mission of Portugal   | Informal consultations on the draft resolution on right to education   | Public                 | XXVII       |
| 10.00 – 12.00 | Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation                           | Open ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on human rights and arbitrary deprivation of nationality | Public                 | XXIII       |

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| 10.00 – 12.00 | Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland                                  | Women, peace and security in the MENA region (cont'd)   | Private | XXII  |
| 11.00 – 13.00 | Permanent Mission of France  | Co-sponsors meeting on draft resolution on arbitrary detention  | Private | XXVII |
| 12.00 – 14.00 | Permanent Missions of Costa Rica, Switzerland and Turkey   | Side event on peaceful protests   | Public  | XXIV  |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Permanent Delegation of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation  | OIC Group meeting   | Private | XXIII |
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Permanent Missions of Austria and Switzerland, and Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) | Domestic servitude in diplomatic households – a challenge for the international community                             | Public  | XXV   |
| 13.00 – 15.00 | Permanent Missions of Denmark, Finland, Iceland Norway, and Sweden and International Action for Child Rights   | Children, the indirect victims of violence against women  | Public  | XXVII |
| 14.00 – 18.00 | Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland                                  | Women, peace and security in the MENA region (cont'd)   | Private | XXII  |
| 15.00 – 17.00 | Permanent Mission of Australia   | Informal consultations on National Human Rights Institutions resolution   | Public  | XXV   |
| 16.00 – 18.00 | Permanent Missions of Costa Rica, Poland and the Republic of Croatia   | Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on the right to conscientious objection to military service | Public  | XXIII |

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| <b>Time</b>   | <b>Organized by</b>  | <b>Subject of the meeting</b>   | <b>Type of meeting</b> | <b>Room</b> |
|---------------|--|---|------------------------|-------------|
| 10.00 – 12.00 | American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)  | Human rights in the United States of America: Extra-judicial executions | Public                 | XXV         |
| 12.00 – 13.00 | International Organization for the Right to Education and Freedom of Education | Quality education   | Public                 | XXV         |
| 12.00 – 14.00 | Mouvement contre le racisme et pour l'amitié entre les peuples (MRAP)          | Human rights in China   | Public                 | XXII        |
| 14.00 – 16.00 | International Commission of Jurists (ICJ)                                      | Human rights and business at the Human Rights Council                   | Public                 | XXIV        |
| 14.00 – 16.00 | International Federation of Human Rights Leagues (FIDH)                        | Human rights in Colombia  | Public                 | XVI         |
| 14.00 – 16.00 | World Alliance of Citizen Participation (CIVICUS)                              | Human rights in Ethiopia  | Public                 | XXIII       |
| 15.00 – 17.00 | Nonviolent Radical Party, Transnational and Transparty (NRPTT)                 | Human rights in Kazakhstan  | Public                 | XXVII       |
| 16.00 – 18.00 | Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women (GAATW)                               | Migration and trafficking nexus   | Public                 | XXIV        |