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Roadmap for meetings of the Governing Bodies of UN-Habitat

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Meetings of the UN-Habitat Executive Board	Meetings of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters	Meetings of the Bureau of the Executive Board	Meetings of the Bureau of the CPR and of the UN-Habitat Assembly	Meetings of the OECPR / UN-Habitat Assembly	Meetings for the Open-ended Intergovernmental Expert Working Group on Adequate Housing for All	Other meetings /official holidays
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January 2026		
		<p>1 January – New Year’s Day (UN official holiday)</p> <p>19-23 January – World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2025 (Davos, Switzerland)</p> <p>26 January – International Day of Clean Energy</p> <p>27 January – ECOSOC Partnerships Forum 2026 (NYC, USA)</p>
February 2026		
<p>Friday 13 February 2026 – Meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board (Pending final confirmation) 10:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Additional information available here</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board to be held from 21 to 22 April 2026 	<p>2 February – World Wetlands Day</p> <p>20 February – World Day of Social Justice</p> <p>24–27 February – 13th Asia-Pacific Forum on Sustainable Development (APFSD) (Bangkok, Thailand)</p>
<p>Wednesday 18 February 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on the Financial Status and Sustainable Cities and Communities Foundation - Proposed work programme and Budget for 2027 	

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<p>Wednesday 25 February 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on the implementation of the 2026-2029 Strategic plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o an update on the baseline of monitoring framework o update on structure and division of responsibilities o draft resource mobilization strategy - Status of implementation of all resolutions adopted by the United Nations Habitat Assembly 	
March 2026		
<p>Wednesday 4 March 2026 – Joint Bureaux meeting of the Bureau of the United Nations Habitat Assembly, Bureau of the CPR and Bureau of the Executive Board Time TBC, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Additional information available here</p>	<p>Reflections on 2025 and Review of activities for 2026-2027, including, WUF13, HLPF, GA High Level meeting on New Urban Agenda, Implementation of the Strategic Plan 2026 to 2029, OECPR-4, etc.</p>	<p>5-7 March – World Sustainable Development Summit (New Delhi, India) 8 March – International Women’s Day 9-20 March – The seventieth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (NYC, USA) 12-14 March – XII Global Baku Forum (Baku, Azerbaijan) 21 March – International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination 22 March – World Water Day 23 – 24 March – ADC Retreat 26-28 March – Fourteenth World Trade Organization (WTO) Ministerial Conference (MC14) (Yaoundé, Cameroon) 30 March – International Day of Zero Waste 31 March–2 April – 2026 Arab Regional Forum on Sustainable Development Dates (Beirut, Lebanon)</p>
<p>Wednesday 11 March 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Normative and operative activities of UN-Habitat, including the work of UNITAC - Preparations for the General Assembly High Level Meeting on the implmentation of the New Urban Agenda - Update on the preparations for the thirteenth session of the World Urban Forum (WUF13) 	
<p>Wednesday 25 March 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on activities in Ukraine and Gaza - Informal consultations on the draft decisions to be considered by the Executive Board at its 2026 first session 	
April 2026		
<p>Wednesday 1 April 2026 – Briefing by the Executive Director to Member States on the Executive Board session 9:00 – 10:30 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Briefing by the Executive Director on the status of preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board</p>	<p>3 April – Good Friday/Orthodox Good Friday (UN official holiday) 6 April – Easter Monday (UN official holiday)</p>

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<p>Wednesday 1 April 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 10:30 – 13:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board - Informal consultations on the draft decisions to be considered by the Executive Board at its 2026 first session</p>	<p>7 April – World Health Day 7-9 April TBC – Africa Urban Forum (Nairobi, Kenya) 13-17 April – 2026 Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Forum on Sustainable Development (RFSD) (Santiago, Chile) 14-16 April – ECOSOC Youth Forum (NYC, USA) 20-24 April – ECOSOC Forum on Financing for Development Follow-Up (NYC, USA) 21-22 April – 2026 UN Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) Regional Forum on Sustainable Development (RFSD) (Geneva, Switzerland) 22 April – International Mother Earth Day 28-30 April – Twelfth Session of the Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development (Kampala, Uganda)</p>
<p>TBC Wednesday 1 April – Thursday 2 April – Informal meetings between the Executive Director of UN-Habitat and the regional groups in Nairobi Detailed time with each regional group TBC, Hybrid meeting, CR9</p>	<p>Preparations for and expectations of the 2026 first session of the Executive Board, thirteenth session of the World Urban Forum, High-level meeting on New Urban Agenda, third session of the Open-ended Expert Working Group on Adequate Housing for all, and report on the work of UN-Habitat in the region</p>	
<p>Monday 13 April 2026 – Meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board 10:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Additional information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the 2026 first session of the Executive Board</p>	
<p>Tuesday 21 April – Wednesday 22 April 2026 Additional information available here</p>	<p>First session of the Executive Board for the year 2026</p>	
May 2026		
<p>Monday 18 May – Friday 22 May 2026</p>	<p>Thirteenth World Urban Forum Baku, Azerbaijan Additional information available here</p>	<p>7-8 May – Central Asia Urban Forum (Almaty, Kazakhstan) 31 May – 5 June – Eco Expo Central Asia 2026 (Samarkand, Uzbekistan) 25-28 May – 4th High level International Conference on International Decade for Action “Water for Sustainable Development” (Dushanbe, Tajikistan)</p>
<p>Wednesday 20 May 2026 – Joint Bureaux meeting of the Bureau of the United Nations Habitat Assembly, Bureau of the CPR and Bureau of the Executive Board Time TBC, Hybrid meeting, Azerbaijan/WUF 13 sidelines</p>	<p>Review of WUF 13, HLPF, General Assembly High Level meeting on New Urban Agenda, Implementation of the Strategic Plan 2026 to 2029 including resource mobilization, fourth meeting of the OECPR</p>	

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June 2026		
<p>10 June 2026 – Meeting of ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing on the preparations for High-Level Political Forum (SDG11) - Briefing on the preparations for the High-level meeting on New Urban Agenda - Outcomes of the thirteenth session of the World Urban Forum 	<p>5 June – World Environmental Day 8 June – World Oceans Day 20 June – World Refugee Day 21-24 June – Innovate4Cities Conference (Nairobi, Kenya)</p>
July - August 2026		
<i>Holiday Break</i>		<p>6-13 July – High-level Political Forum on sustainable development (NYC, USA) 11 July – World Population Day 16-17 July – High-level meeting on the midterm review of the implementation of the New Urban Agenda (NYC, USA)</p>
September 2026		
<p>Wednesday 9 September 2026 – Induction Seminar for Member States 9:00 – 13:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<p>Induction seminar for new (and old) delegates from Permanent and Observer Missions to UN-Habitat, providing and overview of the work of UN-Habitat and its governance system</p>	<p>8-22 September – 81st United Nations General Assembly (NYC, USA) 20 September – World Cleanup Day</p>
<p>Friday 11 September 2026 – Meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board 10:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Additional information available here</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026 	
<p>Wednesday 23 September 2026 – Meeting of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026 	
October 2026		
<p>Wednesday 7 October 2026 – Meeting of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Additional information available here</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026 	<p>Urban October 5 October – World Habitat Day 12–13 October – 6th meeting of the UN Forum of Mayors (Geneva, Switzerland)</p>

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<p>Wednesday 21 October 2026 – Meeting of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Addition information available here</p>	<p>- Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026</p>	<p>19–30 October – Seventeenth Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity (COP17) (Yerevan, Armenia) 31 October – World Cities Day</p>
November 2026		
<p>Wednesday 4 November 2026 – Meeting of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 9:00 – 12:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Addition information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026</p>	<p>9-20 November – COP31 (Antalya, Türkiye)</p>
<p>Monday 9 November – Briefing by the Executive Director to Member States on the Executive Board session 9:00 – 10:30 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Addition information available here</p>	<p>- Briefing by the Executive Director on the status of preparations of the 2026 second session of the Executive Board</p>	
<p>Monday 9 November – Meeting of the ad hoc working group on programmatic, budgetary and administrative matters 10:30 – 13:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, CR9 Addition information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026</p>	
<p>Friday 13 November 2026 – Meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board 12:00 – 14:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Addition information available here</p>	<p>Preparations for the second session of the Executive Board 2026</p>	
<p>Friday 13 November 2026 – Joint Bureaux meeting of the Bureau of the United Nations Habitat Assembly, Bureau of the CPR and Bureau of the Executive Board 14:00 – 16:00 EAT, Hybrid meeting, Executive Boardroom Addition information available here</p>		
<p>Tuesday 24 November – Wednesday 25 November 2026 Addition information available here</p>	<p>Second session of the Executive Board 2026</p>	
<p>Thursday 26 November – Friday 27 November 2026 Addition information available here</p>	<p>Third Open-ended Intergovernmental Expert Working Group on Adequate Housing for All</p>	

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December 2026		
		2-4 December – United Nations Water Conference (Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates) 14-15 December – 21 st G20 (Miami, USA)
2027		
March – First session of the Executive Board 2027		29 November-3 December – Eighth session of the Open-ended Committee of the Permanent representatives of UNEP (Nairobi, Kenya) 6-10 December – Eighth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly (Nairobi, Kenya)
14-18 June 2027	Fourth Open-ended meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives	
November – Second session of the Executive Board 2027		
2028		
March/April – First session of the Executive Board 2028		
Fourteenth World Urban Forum		
October/November – Second session of the Executive Board 2028		
2029		
March – First session of the Executive Board 2029		
18-22 June 2029	Fifth open-ended meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives	
25-29 June 2029	Third session of the UN-Habitat Assembly	
29 June 2029 – Second session of the Executive Board 2029		
November – Third session of the Executive Board 2029		