

172nd Quarterly meeting of the CPR

24 November 2025

Preparations for the seventh session of the
United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA-7)



Practical information



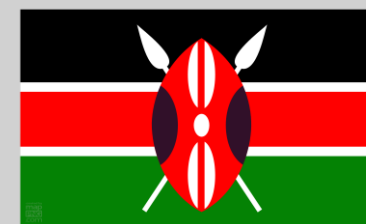
Carlota Estalella Alba
UNEA Coordinator
Governance Affairs Office

Participation (24/11/2025)

Total approved registrations **3,293 (excluding UNEP staff)**

- 1,157 Member States (60 Ministers)
- 98 IGOs
- 1537 NGOs
- 1113 UN entities (including UNEP staff)

Registration for 164 Member States have been approved



Electronic Travel
Authorization (eTA) Kenya

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Registrations and badges



Member States of the United Nations, members of the specialized agencies and regional economic integration organizations can register **online** and **on-site**.

Registration for the rest of categories is now closed.

Collection of badges

Friday, 28 November	8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday, 29 and 30 November	8 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Monday and Tuesday, 1 and 2 December	7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Wednesday to Friday, 3 to 5 December	8 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday to Tuesday, 6 to 9 December	7 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Wednesday, 10 December	7 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Thursday, 11 December	8 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Friday, 12 December	8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Early collection of badges

To collect the badge on behalf of other delegates, the designated individual must present one of the following:

1. An official letter on the mission or organization's letterhead authorizing the bearer to collect badges for the listed individuals ; or
2. Printed event tickets of the participants whose badges are being collected.

Vehicle decals

yvette.kavira@un.org / unep-registration@un.org at least 48-hours in advance with the following information:

- Registration number of vehicle.
- Make and colour of vehicle.
- Driver's name and ID number (must have registered for UNEA on the link: <https://indico.un.org/e/UNEA-7Support>)
- Name of country/mission.
- Name and designation of the dignitaries (Must have registered on: <https://indico.un.org/e/UNEA-7Members>).

Limited parking space

Credentials

Advance scanned copy of credentials, signed by either the Head of State or Government or the minister for foreign affairs through **e-credentials** module on the e-deleGATE platform.

Original hard copy of the credentials submitted to the Law Division of UNEP for the attention of the UNEP Principal Legal Adviser.

Resource mobilization and funding gap

Donors:

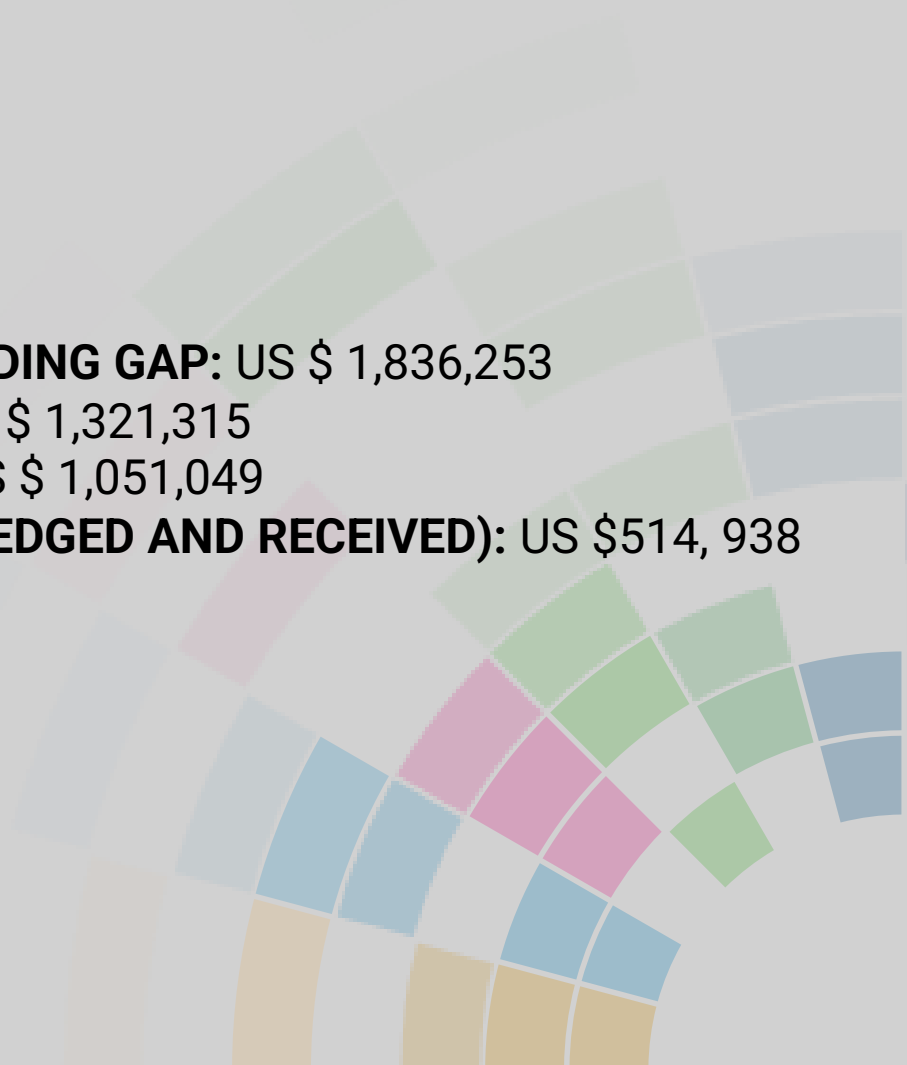
Australia
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European Commission
European Investment Bank
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Germany
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Monaco
Oman
Philippines
Sweden and SIDA
Switzerland

UNEA-7 BUDGET REVISED FUNDING GAP: US \$ 1,836,253

CONTRIBUTIONS PLEDGED: US \$ 1,321,315

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED: US \$ 1,051,049

REMAINING FUNDING GAP (PLEDGED AND RECEIVED): US \$514, 938



Venue

Events & services

Conference Zone

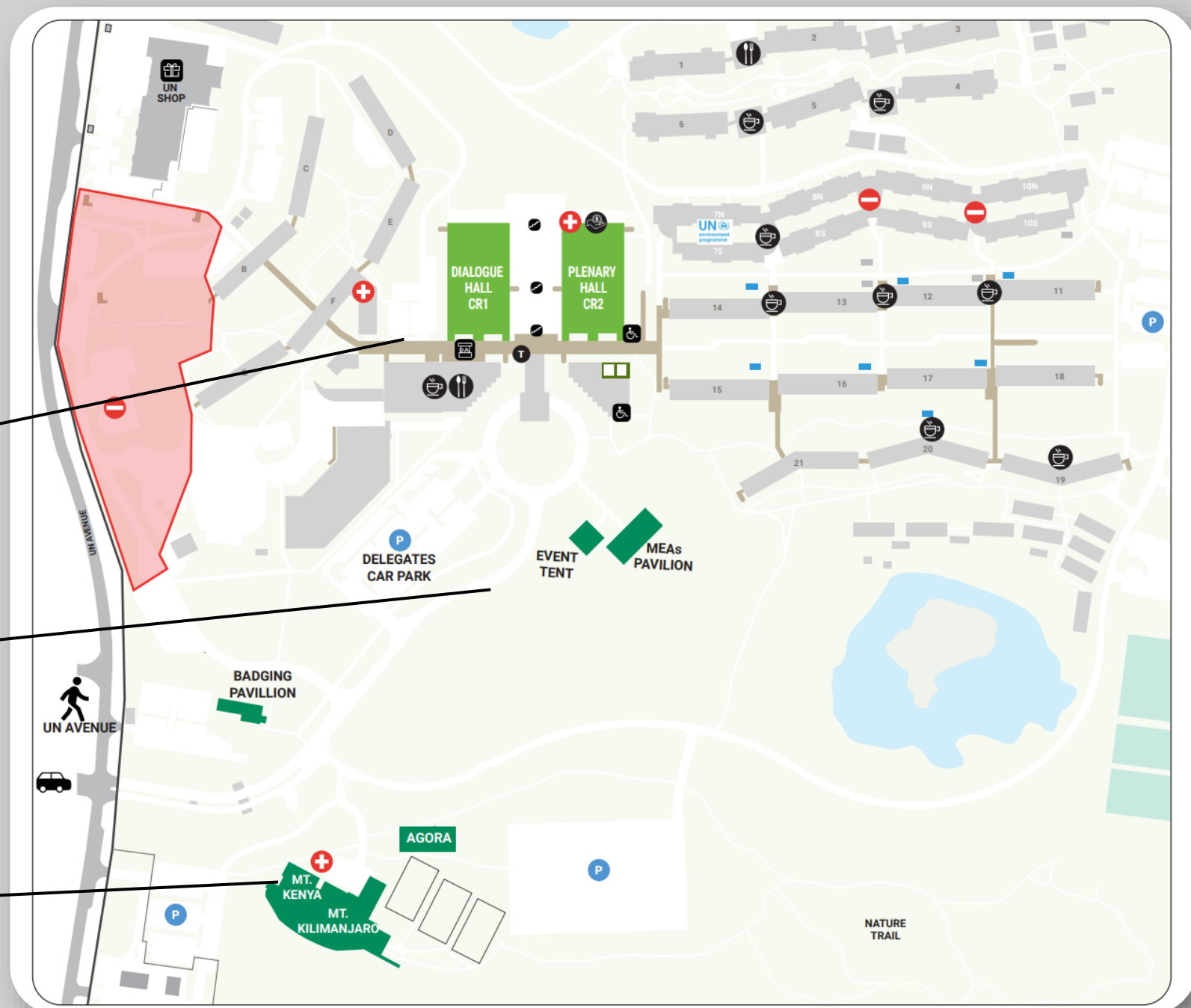
Official meetings of UNEA and the OECPR
Press Centre
Delegates Centre
Information Desk

Helipad

MEAs Pavilion
MEAs event tent

UN Wellness and Events Centre

Official side events
Associated events



Additional arrangements

Catering arrangements for late night negotiations

- The canteens and restaurants will open up to 2230hrs with warm food.
- Kiosk will open from 2300 to 2400 hrs, with flexibility in case negotiations end early.
- UNEP will provide warm and soft drinks and sandwich for 50 pax every evening from 2300hrs.

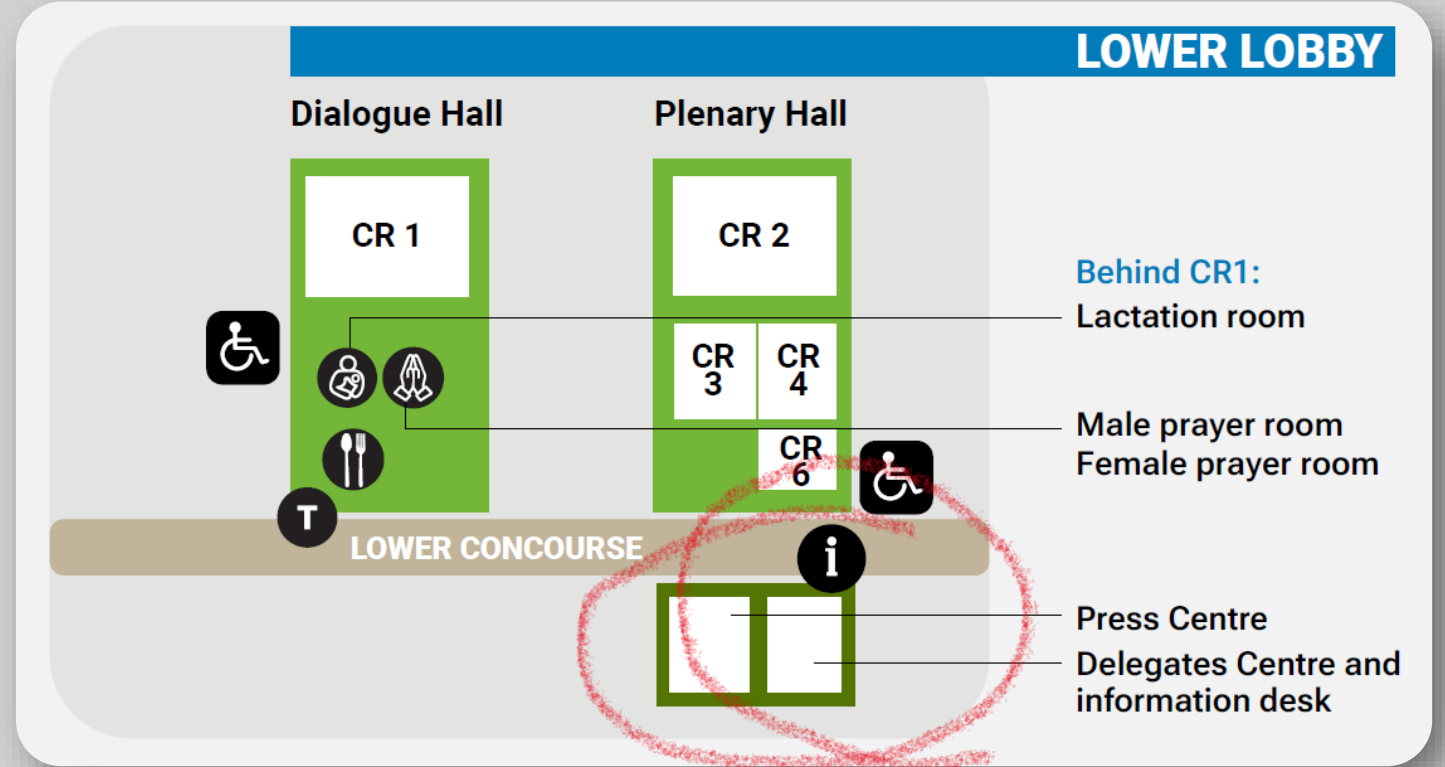
Minors and chaperone forms

Safety and Security

- Where possible, take a taxi rather than walking.
- Caution when walking outside the UNON complex due to uneven terrain or tripping hazards

Booking bi-lateral meetings

- Bilateral meeting room for a 20-minute slot via the [MS Bookings App](#).
- **maximum of 3 reservations per delegation per day.**
- Information Desk and Delegates Centre next to the Press Centre





Seventh session of the United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA-7)


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The seventh session of the United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA-7) will take place from 8 to 12 December 2025 at the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) headquarters in Nairobi, Kenya, on the theme "*Advancing sustainable solutions for a resilient planet*".

UNEA-7 will be preceded by the [seventh meeting of the Open-ended Committee of Permanent Representatives \(OECPR-7\)](#) which will be held from 1 to 5 December 2025.

News and stories



Story

24 Oct 2025

UN gathering to take on



Speech

3 Oct 2025

Lima declaration unites the



Speech

16 Sep 2025

Shaping a more powerful UN

WHEN: 8 Dec 2025 - 12 Dec 2025

WHERE: Nairobi, Kenya

Notifications

[Find your way around the UNEA-7 venue with our Map](#)

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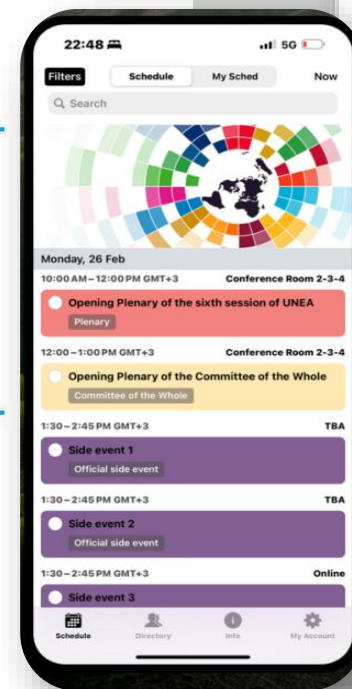
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Documents & Resources: session documentation



Information note for participants

Seventh session of the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme
Nairobi, 8 – 12 December 2025

Seventh meeting of the Open-ended Committee of Permanent Representatives
Nairobi, 1 – 5 December 2025

This Information Note is a "living document" which will be updated regularly. Updated text will be highlighted in blue and revisions will be dated.

Last updated on 23 July 2025.

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Announcements	e-Place	e-Submit	e-Proposals	e-Speakers	e-Credentials
All emails sent by the UNEP Secretariat about UNEA	Folders for documents shared by the UNEP Secretariat (not currently used)	To share documents (inputs, statements...) with the UNEP Secretariat	All resolutions and decisions under consideration at UNEA-7	To inscribe your speaker for national statements at UNEA-7	To share your credentials for UNEA-7 with the UNEP Secretariat

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Announcements

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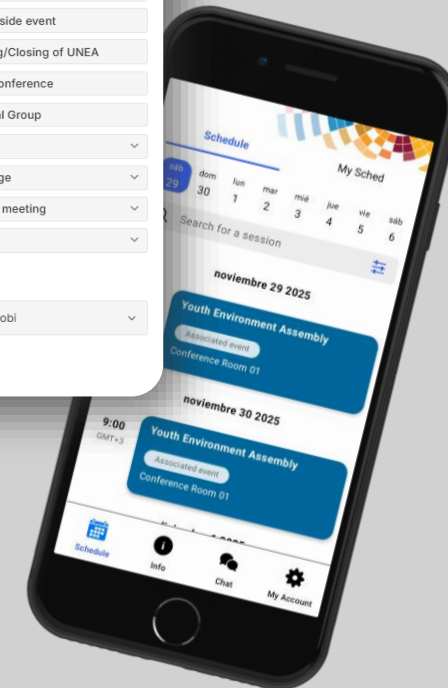
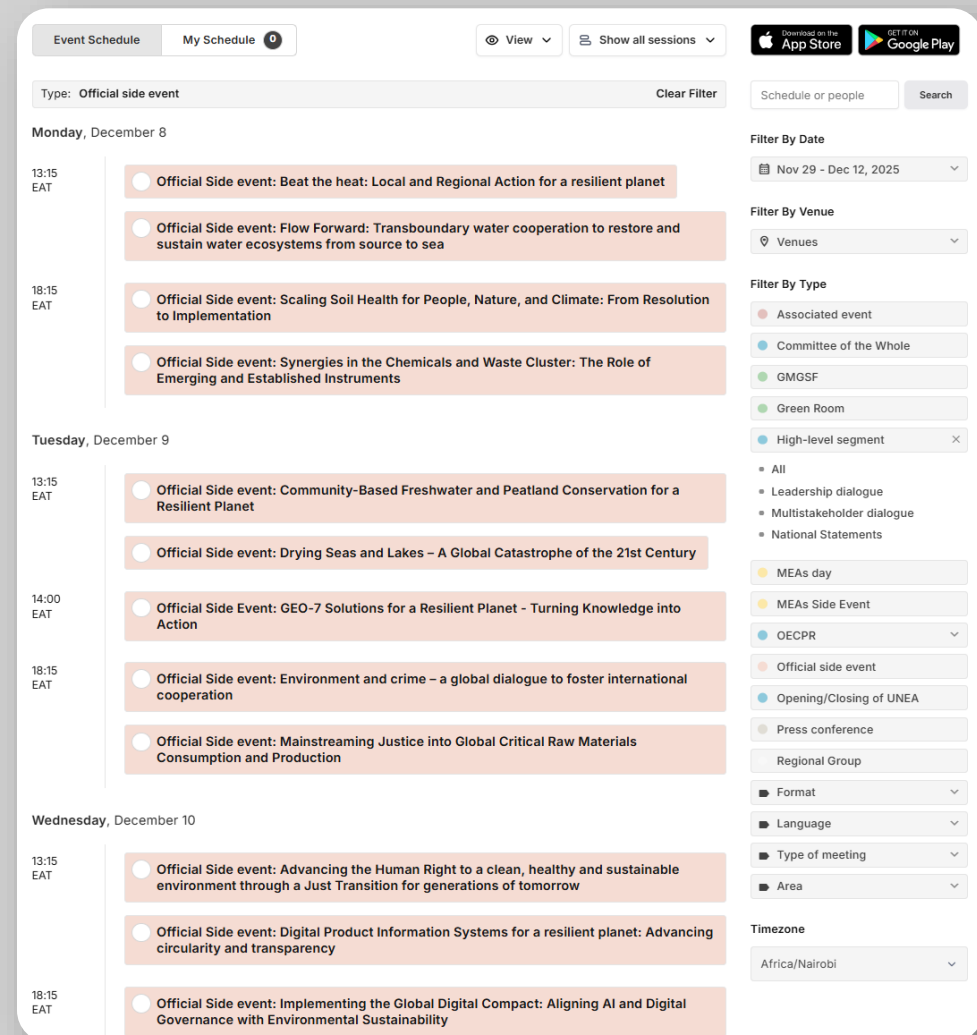
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Events

All events published on live programme
web/app

19 official side events (member state led)
33 Associated events (UNEP led)
38 Green Room events (NGO led)
12 MEAs events (MEAs led)



Q&A



Paving the road to UNEA-7:



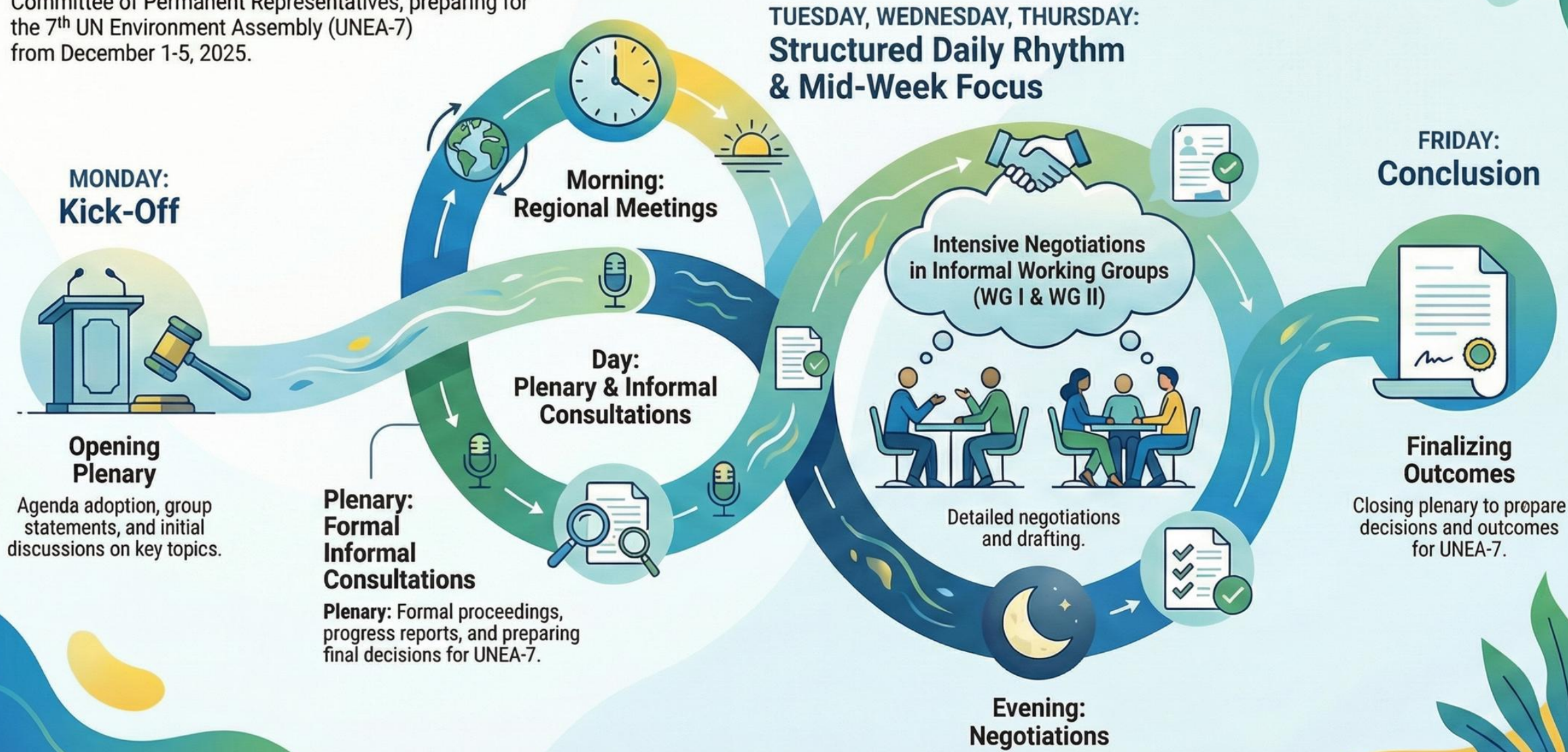
Negotiating the Global Environmental Agenda at OECPR-7



Juan Carlos Vasquez
Deputy Director
Governance Affairs Office

OECPR-7: Agenda at a Glance

A 5-day overview of the 7th meeting of the Open-ended Committee of Permanent Representatives, preparing for the 7th UN Environment Assembly (UNEA-7) from December 1-5, 2025.



Structure for days 1 and 2

	Monday 1 December			Tuesday 2 December		
07:00 - 07:30						
07:30 -08:00						
08:00-08:30	Regional/Political Group meetings			Regional/Political Group meetings		
08:30-09:00						
09:00-09:30						
09:30-10:00						
10:00-10:30	OECPR Opening ACEFRS Report Writing UN WEB TV			Working Group 1 Cluster A	Working Group 2 Cluster B	Plenary meeting on ED's progress reports
10:30-11:00						
11:00-11:30						
11:30-12:00						
12:00-12:30						
12:30-13:00						
13:00-13:30						
13:30-14:00						
14:00-14:30						
14:30-15:00						
15:00-15:30	Working Group 1 Cluster A	Working Group 2 Cluster B	Plenary meeting on ED's progress reports	Working Group 1 Cluster C	Working Group 2 Cluster D	
15:30-16:00						
16:00-16:30						
16:30-17:00						
17:00-17:30						
17:30-18:00						
18:00-18:30						
18:30-19:00						
19:00-19:30	Working Group 1 Cluster C	Working Group 2 Cluster D		Working Group 1 Cluster A	Working Group 2 Cluster B	CPR Bureau Meeting
19:30-20:00						
20:00-20:30						
20:30-21:00						
21:00-21:30						
21:30-22:00						
22:00-22:30	Working Group 1 Cluster A (unless not needed/cancelled)	Working Group 2 Cluster B (unless not needed/cancelled)		Working Group 1 Cluster C (unless not needed/cancelled)	Working Group 2 Cluster D (unless not needed/cancelled)	
22:30-23:00						
23:00-23:30						
23:30-24:00						
00:00-00:30						
00:30-01:00						

Status of drafts (16 Resolutions & 3 Decisions)



CLUSTER A (First reading in Nov)

Draft resolution title	Proponent/s	PPs	OPs
L.13 – <i>Strengthening global response on the management of fires</i>	India	16(19)	4 (11)
L.16 – <i>Strengthening global response on the massive influx of sargassum seaweed blooms</i>	Dominican Republic	17 (18)	4 (6)
L.8 – <i>Active protection of Deep-Sea Ecosystems</i>	Vanuatu	13 (14)	3 (2 bis)
L.5 – <i>Accelerating global action to promote the climate resilience of coral reefs</i>	Fiji	15	8 (15)
L.7 - <i>Preservation of glaciers and the broader cryosphere</i>	Tajikistan	18 (19)	9 (10)
L.6 - <i>Karst ecosystem for Global Water, Biodiversity, Climate Resilience, and Economic Development</i>	Indonesia	7	4 (15)
L.19 - <i>Mother Earth-Centric actions for living well in balance and harmony with Mother Earth</i>	Bolivia *no first reading	6	8

Status of drafts (16 Resolutions & 3 Decisions)



CLUSTER B (First reading in Nov)

Draft resolution title	Proponent/s	PPs	OPs
L.15 - <i>Environmental sustainability of Artificial Intelligence systems</i>	Kenya	11 (15)	11 (17)
L.9 - <i>Enhancing the meaningful participation of Children and Youth in environmental governance</i>	Sri Lanka	5 (7)	6 (9)
L.10 - <i>Promoting sustainable solutions through sport for a resilient planet</i>	Kenya	12 (15)	12 (13)
L.17 - <i>Enhancing international response to address crimes that affect the environment</i>	Kenya	6(10)	8 (9)
L.20 - <i>Maximizing existing resources through enhanced coherence and synergies in multilateral environmental agreements and implementation</i>	Japan and Panama *no first reading of the merged draft	5	5

Status of drafts (16 Resolutions & 3 Decisions)



CLUSTER C (First reading in Nov)			
Draft resolution title	Proponent/s	PPs	OPs
L.11 - <i>Environmental dimensions of Antimicrobial Resistance</i>	Kenya	7 (8)	8 (9)
L.18 - <i>Advancing Options for International Instruments on the Environmentally Sound Management of Minerals and Metals and guidance for mineral resources circularity</i>	Colombia and Oman	11 (18)	10 (14)
L.12 - <i>Sound management of chemicals and waste</i>	Switzerland *no first reading	7	9

Status of drafts (16 Resolutions & 3 Decisions)



CLUSTER D (three readings of Decisions in Sept and October)

Draft resolution/decision title	Submitted by	PPs	OPs
L.2 - Draft decision on <i>Management of trust funds and earmarked contributions</i>	Secretariat	7	4
L.3 - Draft decision on <i>Provisional agenda, dates and venue of UNEA-8</i>	Secretariat	9	7 (11)
L.4 - Draft decision on <i>MTS 2026-2029 and PoW and budget for the biennium 2026-2027</i>	Secretariat	2 (4)	15 (17)
L.19 - Strengthening the <i>role of UNEP HQ in Nairobi</i> to address environmental challenges and enhance multilateral cooperation to address effective multilateral governance	Mexico *No first reading	10	9

Q&A



Meetings of UNEA-7



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Director
Governance Affairs Office

5-days of UNEA

Structure

Scenario note

	Monday, 8 Dec	Tuesday, 9 Dec	MEAs Day Wednesday, 10 Dec		High-level segment Thursday, 11 Dec		Friday, 12 Dec	
8.00 – 9.00	Reg/Pol groups/MG meetings [Restricted]		Reg/Pol groups/MG meetings [Restricted]		Reg/Pol groups/MG meetings [Restricted]	African Ministerial breakfast [by invitation only]	Bureau meeting [restricted]	EU hosted Ministerial Breakfast [by invitation only]
9.00 – 10.00		Reg/Pol groups/MG meetings [Restricted]	Bureau meeting [restricted]		High-level segment cultural opening			
10.00 – 13.00	[1st plenary meeting] Opening plenary of UNEA ACEFRS [CR2] - Opening of the session [item 1]: Opening statements - Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [item 2] Adoption of the agenda, establishment of a committee of the whole, election of the chair and the rapporteur of the committee [TBC], allocation of agenda items, organization of work - Opening of the session [item 1] (continued) - Opening statements - Stakeholder engagement [item 7] - Credentials of representatives [item 3] - Report of the CPR [item 4] - Contributions of UNEA to the HLPF [item 8]	Committee of the Whole/Contact groups [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] [CR2]	Committee of the Whole/Contact groups [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] [CR2]	[2nd plenary meeting] Cooperation with MEAs [item 10] ACEFRS [CR1]	[3rd plenary meeting] Opening of the High-level segment [item 9] “Advancing sustainable solutions for a resilient planet” ACEFRS [CR2]	[6th plenary meeting] National statements (List of speakers) [item 9] ACEFRS [CR 2] 10.00 – 13.00	Leadership dialogue ACEFRS [CR1] 10.00 – 11.30	
	Committee of the Whole Opening plenary [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] ACEFRS [CR2]			[3rd plenary meeting - continuation] National statements (List of speakers) [item 9] ACEFRS [CR2]	Leadership dialogue ACEFRS [CR1] 11.30 – 13.00			
13.15 – 14.45	Side events	Side events	Side events		Side events	UNEP hosted “Women leaders luncheon”	Side events	
15.00 – 18.00	Committee of the Whole/Contact groups [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] [CR2]	Committee of the Whole Stocktake plenary meeting followed by Contact groups [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] [CR2]	Committee of the Whole Closing plenary [Consideration of agenda items 5, 6 and 11] ACEFRS [CR2]	High-Level dialogue on Cooperation with MEAs ACEFRS [CR1]	[4th plenary meeting] - Credentials of representatives [item 3] (resumed) - National statements (List of speakers) [item 9] ACEFRS [CR 2]	Leadership dialogue ACEFRS [CR1]	[7th plenary meeting] Closing plenary of UNEA ACEFRS [CR2] - High-level segment [item 9]: Presentation of summaries - Cooperation with MEAs [item 10]: Presentation of summaries - Consideration of the report of the Committee of the Whole [items 5 and 6] - Action on the draft ministerial declaration and draft resolutions and decisions [item 12] - Stakeholder engagement [item 7]: Closing statements - Election of officers [item 13] - Provisional agenda, date and venue of UNEA-8 [item 11] - Other matters [item 14] - Adoption of the report [item 15] - Closure of the session [item 16]	
				Moderated discussion on the conclusions ACEFRS [CR1]	Multistakeholder dialogue ACEFRS [CR1]			
18.15 – 19.45	Side events	Side events	Side events	Bureau meeting TBC [restricted] 6-7 pm	Side events			
	Reception by UNEA President [by invitation only]				[5th plenary meeting National statements (List of speakers) [item 9] ACEFRS [CR 2] 19.30 – 22.30	Host Country Reception		

MEAs side events [pavilion tent] from MON-FRI – TBA

Opening plenary of UNEA-7

Monday, 8 December at 10 a.m.

9.30 to 10 a.m. cultural opening

Plenary Hall (conference room 2); overflow room CR 1

[Seating plan](#)

Interpretation and UN Web TV

Committee of the Whole (if established)

Plenary Hall (conference room 2)

Interpretation and UN Web TV

Date/time	Agenda item/programme	
Monday, 8 December		
<i>1st plenary meeting</i>		
10 a.m.–1 p.m.	1	Opening of the session <i>Opening statements</i>
	2	Adoption of the agenda and organization of work <i>Adoption of the agenda</i> <i>Establishment of a committee of the whole¹</i> <i>Election of the chair and rapporteur of the committee of the whole</i> <i>Allocation of agenda items</i> <i>Consideration of the organization of work</i>
	1	Opening of the session (<i>continued</i>) <i>Opening statements by regional and political groups</i>
	7	Stakeholder engagement <i>Opening statements by the major groups and stakeholders</i>
	3	Credentials of representatives
	4	Report of the Committee of Permanent Representatives
	8	Contributions to the meetings of the high-level political forum on sustainable development and implementation of the environmental dimension of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Cooperation with MEAs at UNEA-7

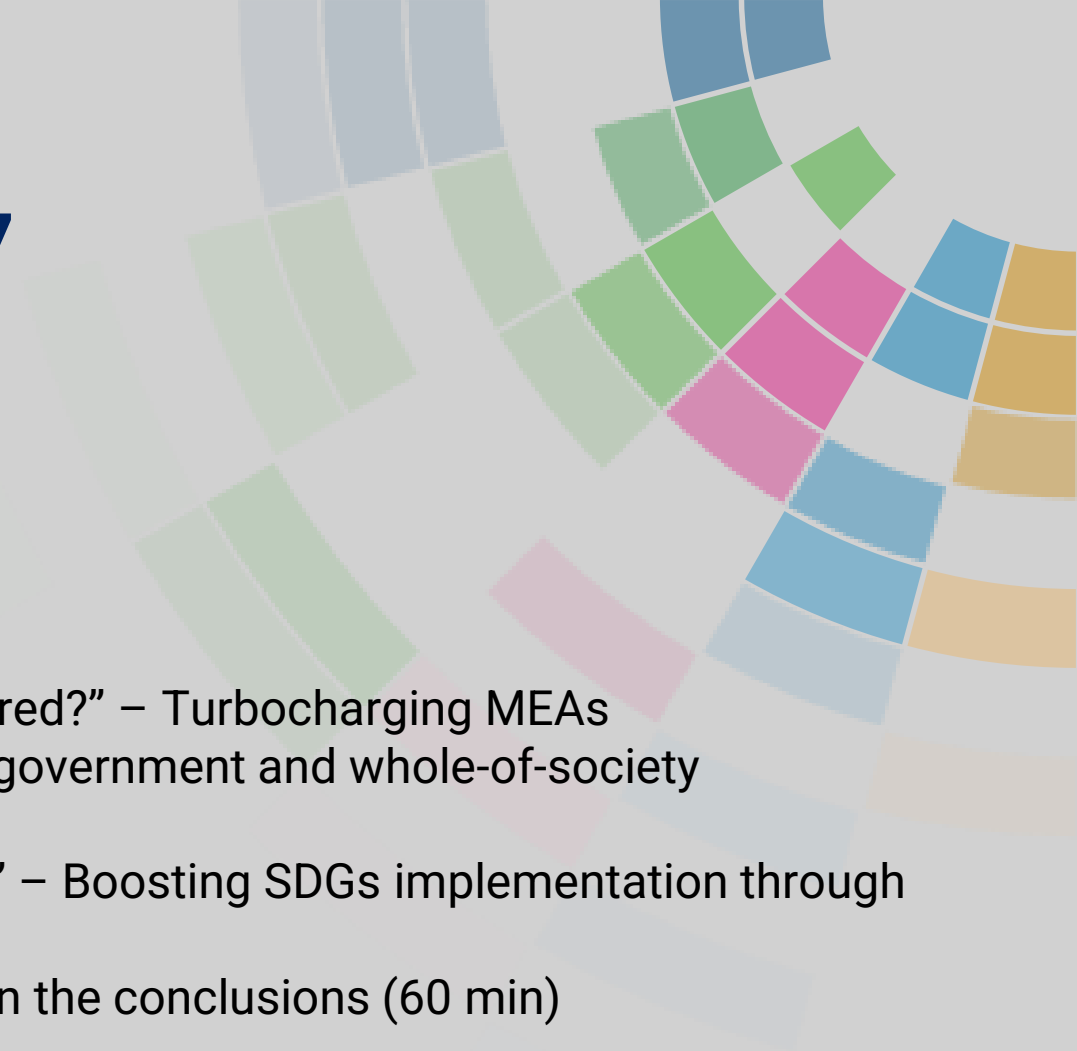
Wednesday, 10 December at 10 a.m.
Dialogues Hall (conference room 1)
Interpretation and UN Web TV

Wednesday, 10 December: MEA Day

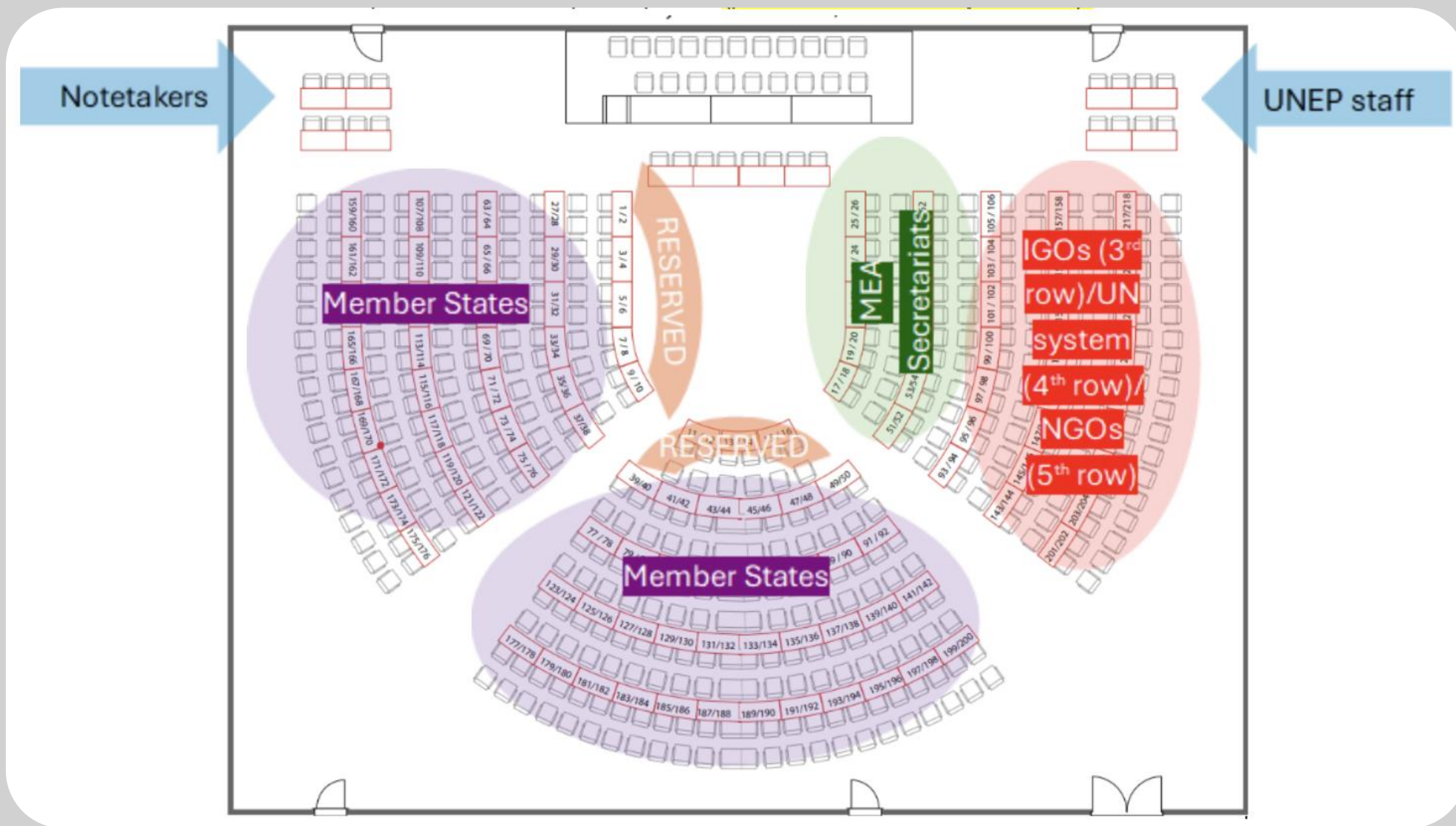
10 – 10.30 am	Opening plenary
10.30 am – 1 pm	Dialogue 1: “Signed, Sealed, Delivered?” – Turbocharging MEAs implementation through whole-of-government and whole-of-society approaches
3 – 5 pm	Dialogue 2: “Keeping the Promise” – Boosting SDGs implementation through the MEAs
5 – 6 pm	Moderated high-level discussion on the conclusions (60 min)

8 – 12 December: MEA Pavilion

Side events and exhibitions organized by MEAs and Science-Policy Panels.



MEAs Day seating arrangement



Opening of the High-level Segment

Thursday, 11 December at 10 a.m.

Cultural opening at 9:30 a.m.

Plenary Hall (conference room 2); overflow room CR 1

[Seating plan](#)

Interpretation and UN Web TV

National Statements

Plenary Hall (conference room 2)
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List of speakers

Inscription opened on Monday, 27 October **until Tuesday, 9 December 2025**

Provisional list of speakers will be made available around **Friday, 28 November 2025**

Inscribe via the e-Speakers module [[e-deleGATE portal](#)]

[Guidance](#)

e-deleGATE administrators training materials:

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Leadership Dialogues

Dialogues Hall (conference room 1)
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Leadership Dialogue 1: An Ounce of Prevention Beats a Tonne of Cure - Why addressing environmental crises is essential for human health.

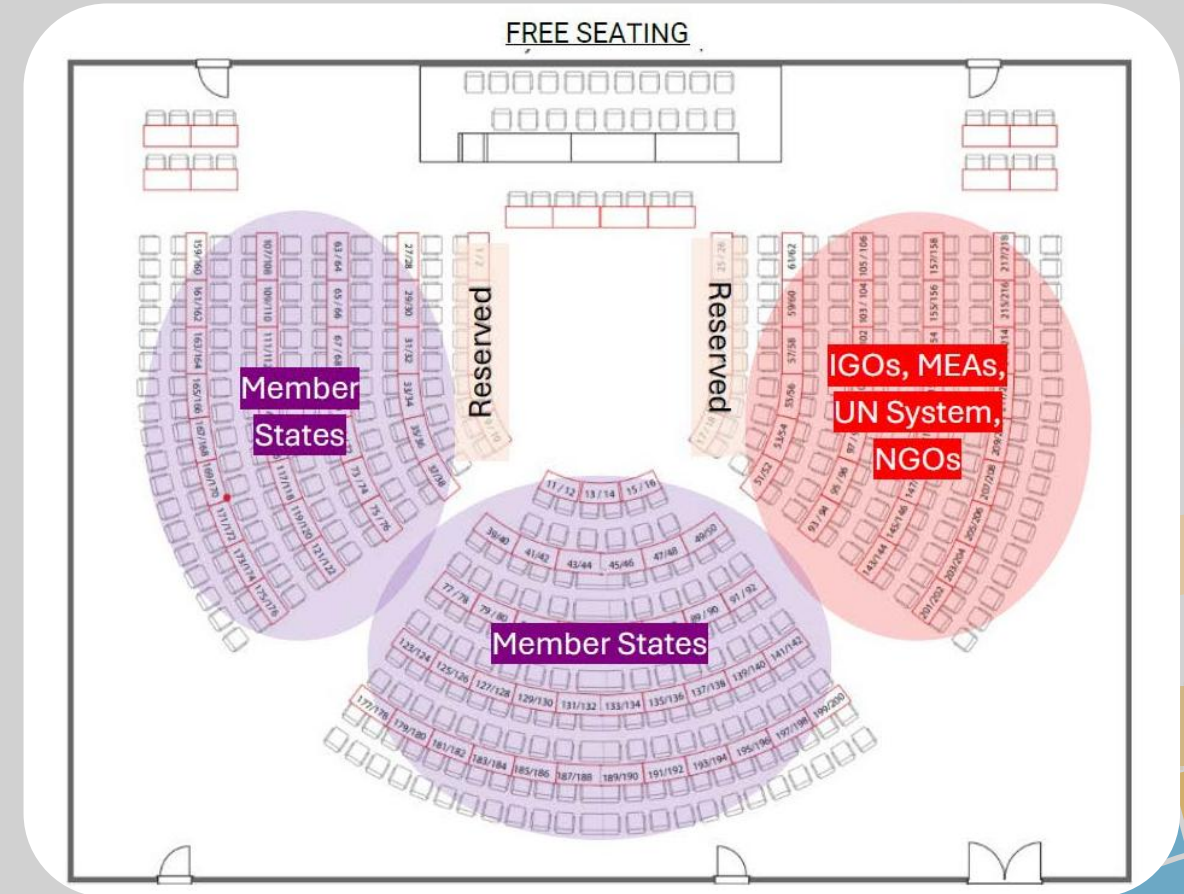
Thursday, 11 December from 3 to 4.30 p.m.

Leadership Dialogue 2: Round and Round - Why circularity and sustainability are critical to the future of global industry.

Friday, 12 December from 10 to 11.30 a.m.

Leadership Dialogue 3: The Bottom Line - Why tackling environmental degradation is critical to the future of the global financial system.

Friday, 12 December from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.



[Leadership dialogues](#)

Multistakeholder Dialogue: Resilience through inclusive partnerships: Catalyzing solutions across sectors

Thursday 11 December from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. EAT

Dialogues Hall (conference room 1)

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The Youth Environment Assembly

Saturday, 29 - Sunday, 30 November and Sunday, 7 December

[Youth Environment Assembly 2025 | CYMG](#)

The Global Major Groups and Stakeholder Forum

Saturday, 6 and Sunday, 7 December

[Global Major Groups and Stakeholders Forum](#)

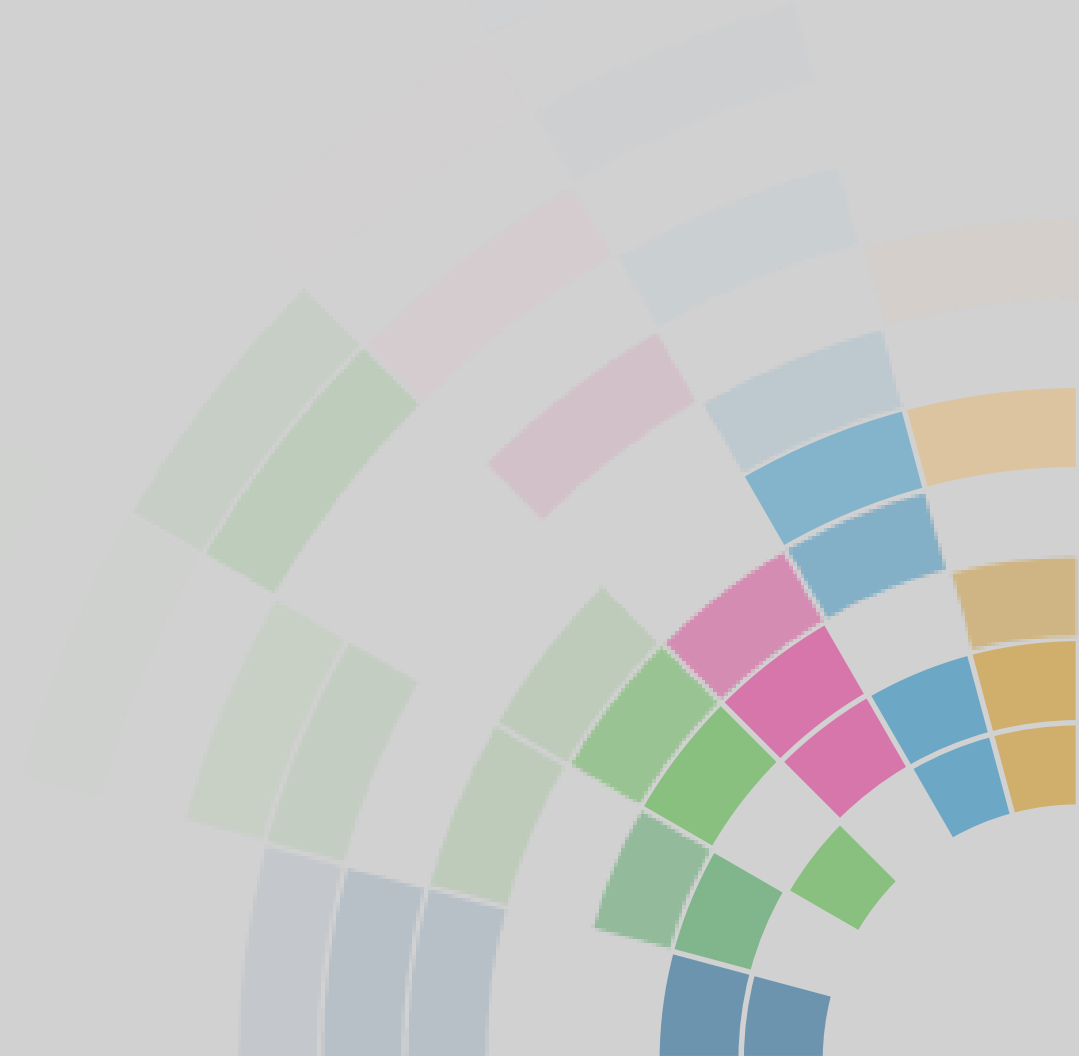
Indigenous Peoples' Special Dialogue

Monday, 8 December

Green Room

Space for the Major Groups for coordination and events

Unep-civil-society@un.org



Closing plenary

Friday, 12 December at 3 p.m.

Plenary Hall (conference room 2)

6 UN Official languages

UN Web TV

7th plenary meeting

3–6 p.m.

- 9 High-level segment (*continued*)
Presentation of the summaries of the leadership dialogues and the multi-stakeholder dialogue
- 12 Adoption of the resolutions, decisions and outcome document of the session
Action on the draft ministerial declaration
- 10 Cooperation with multilateral environmental agreements (*resumed*)
Presentation of the summaries of the high-level dialogues
- 5, 6 International environmental policy and governance issues; programme of work and budget and other administrative and budgetary issues: *joint consideration*
Consideration of the report of the committee of the whole
- 12 Adoption of the resolutions, decisions and outcome document of the session (*resumed*)
Action on all draft resolutions and draft decisions
- 7 Stakeholder engagement (*resumed*)
- 13 Election of officers
- 11 Provisional agenda, dates and venue of the eighth session of the Environment Assembly
- 14 Other matters
- 15 Adoption of the report of the session
- 16 Closure of the session

Q&A

