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## Programme of Work

## (DRAFT – subject to change)

**Day 1 7 September 2021**

**07:00-08:00 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva) Opening Session**

10:00-11:00 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

13:00-14:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur)

17:00-18:00 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

*Welcoming remarks (5 minutes)*

*Opening Remarks (50 minutes)*

  *Rules and Guide to Proceedings (5 minutes)*

**08:00-08:15 (Geneva, UTC +2)**  **Technical Break**

**08:15-09:15 (Geneva, UTC +2) High-Level State Panel**

**09:15-09:30 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva) Technical Break**

**09:30-11:00 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva)**

**Thematic Session 1: Substantive root causes of contemporary conflicts involving minorities**

12:30-14:00 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

15:30-17:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur)

19:30-21:00 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

**11:00-12:00 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva) Break**

**12:00-13:30 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva)**

**Thematic Session 2: Normative framework: the human rights of minorities and conflict prevention**

15:00-16:30 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

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22:00-23:30 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

**Day 2 8 September 2021**

**07:00-08:30 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva)**

**Thematic Session 3: Obstacles to implementing the rights of minorities and early effective conflict prevention**

10:00-11:30 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

13:00-14:30 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur)

17:00-18:30 ((UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

**08:30-09:30 (UTC+02:00 – Geneva) Break**

**Thematic Session 4: Ways forward towards addressing gaps in human rights mechanisms to protect minorities and prevent conflicts**

**09:30-11:00 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva)**

12:30-14:00 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

15:30-17:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur)

19:30-21:00 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

**11:00-12:30 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva)) Break**

**12:30-13:30 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva) Presentation of Recommendations**

15:00-16:30 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

18:00-19:30 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur))

22:00-23:30 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

**13:30-14:00 (UTC/GMT+02:00 - Geneva) Concluding remarks**

16:30-17:00 (UTC/GMT+05:00 - Islamabad)

19:30-20:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00 - Kuala Lumpur)

23:30-00:00 (UTC/GMT+12:00 - Wellington)

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