



Journal



Thirteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

Doha, 12-19 April 2015

Programme of meetings and agenda

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Official meetings

Wednesday, 15 April 2015

Plenary

10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Eighth meeting

 [webcast]

Plenary Hall

1. Successes and challenges in implementing comprehensive crime prevention and criminal justice policies and strategies to promote the rule of law at the national and international levels, and to support sustainable development [item 3] (*continued*)
(A/CONF.222/3, A/CONF.222/4, A/CONF.222/5, A/CONF.222/6, A/CONF.222/14)

3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

Ninth meeting

Plenary Hall

1. [item 3] (*continued*)

The Journal of the Thirteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice appears every morning. It contains the agenda for the day and various announcements. Delegations wishing to include an announcement should contact the Secretary of the Congress:

Jo Dedeayne (jo.dedeayne@unodc.org), c/o Regina Rohrbach (regina.rohrbach@unodc.org)

Committee I

10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Fourth meeting

1. Workshop 3 Strengthening crime prevention and criminal justice responses to evolving forms of crime, such as cybercrime and trafficking in cultural property, including lessons learned and international cooperation” [item 5]
(A/CONF.222/12, A/CONF.222/PM.1, A/CONF.222/RPM.1/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.2/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.3/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.4/1)

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Al Bidah

3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

Fifth meeting

1. Workshop 3 [item 5] (*continued*)

Al Bidah

Committee II

10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Third meeting

1. Workshop 2 Trafficking in persons and smuggling of migrants: successes and challenges in criminalization, in mutual legal assistance and in effective protection of witnesses and trafficking victims [item 4] (*continued*)
(A/CONF.222/11, A/CONF.222/PM.1, A/CONF.222/RPM.1/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.2/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.3/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.4/1)

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Al Zubbara

Other meetings

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Wednesday, 15 April 2015

Informal Dialogue

9 – 9.50 a.m.

UNODC Executive Director with NGOs

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NGO Coordination Meeting

10 – 11 a.m.

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Other activities

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Wednesday, 15 April 2015

High Level Events

9 – 10.00 a.m.	Violence Against Children in the field of crime prevention and criminal justice (UNODC)	Auditorium 3
10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.	Global Data-sharing for Effective Investigation and Prosecution in Match-Fixing Cases: Taking it from the locker room into the hands of law enforcement	Auditorium 3
1 - 2.30 p.m.	Why do Victims Matter? The 30th anniversary of the Victims Declaration, including launch of the revised handbook	Auditorium 3
2 - 4 p.m.	Reviewing the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption and the United Nations Institutional Integrity Initiative	Auditorium 2
4 - 5 p.m.	Countering Narcotics Trafficking on the High Seas in the Indian Ocean	Auditorium 3

Ancillary meetings

9 – 10 a.m.	Monitoring homicide to monitor violent crime, strengths and weaknesses (UNODC)	Room 102
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Improving Operational Effectiveness & Efficiency in Policing (Microsoft Corporation)	Room 104
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Guiding Principles in Drafting Legal Aid Laws (Open Society Justice Initiative, the International Legal Foundation, UNODC)	Room 105
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Fight against transnational organized crime in Ibero-America	Room 102
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Support for Inclusive Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Systems to reduce Poverty and bolster shared prosperity – Lessons from World Bank Projects (World Bank)	Room 106
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Sport integrity: global data-sharing for effective investigation and prosecution in match-fixing cases (International Centre for Sport Security (ICSS) and UNODC)	Auditorium 3
10.30 – 12 a.m..	Practically Applying the UN SMR for Treatment of Prisoners (Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law)	Auditorium 1
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Mental Illness and Behavioral Change in Criminal Justice (International Association for Correctional and Forensic Psychology)	Auditorium 2
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Perfecting the safeguards on the way to the moratorium on death penalty	Room 103
10.30 – 12 a.m.	Justice Indicators and Criminal Justice Reform (International Centre for Criminal Law Reform and Criminal Justice Policy and the Thailand Institute of Justice)	Barzan

10.30 – 12 a.m.	Information Society and Criminal Policy (International Association of Penal Law (AIDP-IAPL) / ISISC)	Room 101
1 – 2.30 p.m.	15 Years of the UN Trafficking Protocol (UNODC, the Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women, and the Anti-Trafficking Review)	Barzan
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Trafficking in cultural and artistic property: growing involvement of transnational crime (International Society for Criminology)	Room 102
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Towards Universal Implementation of the UNCAC: the Institutional Integrity Initiative and the Implementation Review Mechanism (UNODC)	Auditorium 2
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Violence Against Women (International Scientific and Professional Advisory Council of the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme)	Room 104
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Launch of UNODC's Assessment Toolkit on Trafficking in Persons for the Purpose of Organ Removal (UNODC)	Auditorium 2
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Consolidating the Criminal Reform Procedure: The Adversarial System in Panama (UNODC)	Room 106
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Promoting interregional and international law enforcement cooperation through the Networking initiatives (UNODC)	Room 103
1 – 2.30 p.m..	Addressing HIV in prison settings: UNODC/ILO/UNDP/WHO/UNAIDS comprehensive package of HIV interventions (UNODC)	Auditorium 1
1 – 2.30 p.m.	Gender in crime and criminal justice process, evidence from research (UNODC)	Room 105
1 – 2.30 p.m.	From Research to Practice: Justice, Safety and Inclusion (Criminologists Without Borders and International Sociological Association)	Room 101
3 – 4.30 p.m.	The role of Tunisia's justice system in democracy-building (Avocats Sans Frontières)	
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Promoting anti-corruption standards and the rule of law: the role of anti-corruption education (Rule of Law and Anti-Corruption Center)	Room 106
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Prevention measures against domestic violence (Women and Memory Forum)	Auditorium 1
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Minimum Age of Criminal Responsibility and Citizen Security (Pontifical Catholic University of Peru Research Group on Drugs, Safety and Citizen Convivence)	Room 104
3 – 4.30 p.m.	From Law to Practice: Implementing Criminal Justice Standards (Open Society Institute - Open Society Justice Initiative, Africa Policing Civilian Oversight Forum, Latin America Network on Pretrial Justice, Human Rights Implementation Centre Bristol University, Fair Trials International)	Auditorium 2
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Future of Expertise & Forensic in Crime Prevention & Criminal Justice (Opportunities & Challenges) (Ministry of Justice - State of Qatar)	Barzan
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Calling Time on Counterproductive Criminalization: Exploring Alternatives to the Criminalization of Sex Work and HIV Transmission (Amnesty International)	Room 102
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Commonwealth Secretariat Criminal Justice Work and the development of Model Provisions on Money Laundering (Commonwealth Secretariat)	Auditorium 3
3 – 4.30 p.m.	All Women Police station - Access to Justice for victims of crime	Room 103

(Manonmaniam Sundaranar University)

3 – 4.30 p.m.	Global Prison Trends: developments and challenges (Penal Reform International / UNODC)	Room 101
3 – 4.30 p.m.	Global perspective on death penalty (O.P. Jindal Global University)	Room 105
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Cross-Border Crime and Human Rights: The Challenge for INTERPOL (Fair Trials International)	Auditorium 2
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Outcomes of the World Congress on Juvenile Justice (Terre des hommes & Swiss Confederation)	Auditorium 1
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Comprehensive Development of new prisons from UN Rules (Conference of Ministers of Justice of Iber-American Countries (COMJIB))	Room 102
5 – 6.30 p.m.	International Cooperation Between Legal Aid Providers in Criminal Matters (The International Legal Foundation)	Room 106
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Korean Institute of Criminology - By invitation only	Room 101
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Outcomes of the World Congress on Juvenile Justice (Terre des hommes & Swiss Confederation)	Auditorium 1
5 – 6.30 p.m.	Linking Criminal Justice Reform with the Wider UN Goals (David Bennett Consulting)	Room 105

Social Events

7.30 p.m.	Official dinner with Karakla show for all congress participants, hosted by the State of Qatar	Other Hall
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Forthcoming meetings

Thursday, 16 April 2015

Plenary

- 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Tenth meeting Plenary Hall
1. International cooperation, including at the regional level, to combat transnational organized crime [item 4] (A/CONF.222/7, A/CONF.222/PM.1)
- 3 – 6 p.m. Eleventh meeting Plenary Hall
1. [item 4] (*continued*)

Committee I

- 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Sixth meeting Al Bidah
2. Workshop 3 “Strengthening crime prevention and criminal justice responses to evolving forms of crime, such as cybercrime and trafficking in cultural property, including lessons learned and international cooperation” [item 5] (*continued*) (A/CONF.222/12, A/CONF.222/PM.1, A/CONF.222/RPM.1/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.2/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.3/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.4/1)

Committee II

- 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Fourth meeting Al Zubbara
1. Workshop 4 “Public contribution to crime prevention and raising awareness of criminal justice: experiences and lessons learned’ [item 6] (A/CONF.222/13, A/CONF.222/PM.1, A/CONF.222/RPM.1/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.2/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.3/1, A/CONF.222/RPM.4/1)
- 3 – 6 p.m. Fifth meeting Al Zubbara
1. Workshop 4 (*continued*)

Announcements

Wednesday, 15 April 2015

Credentials

Delegations are urged to submit their credentials for the congress to Tatiana Jehl, room 210, by Thursday, 16 April, noon.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 13 April 2015

Plenary

Fifth meeting

Evening session

13 April

High-level segment (*continued*)

The meeting was chaired by His Excellency Orsat Miljenić, Minister of Justice of Croatia.

Statements were made by Her Excellency Tiina Astola, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Justice of Finland; His Excellency Beto Vasconcelos, National Secretary of Justice of Brazil; His Excellency Ivan Šimonović, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights; His Excellency Uugangerel Tsogoo, Vice Minister of Justice of Mongolia; His Excellency Luis E. Arreaga Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Special Representative of the U.S. Secretary of State; His Excellency Saeed Abdullah Alqhtani, Assistant Minister for Operational Affairs of Saudi Arabia; His Excellency Ashot Hovakimian, Deputy Foreign Minister of Armenia; His Excellency Jean-Paul Laborde, Assistant Secretary-General and Executive Director of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate; His Excellency Carlos Alfredo Castaneda Magaña Viceministro de Relaciones Exteriores, Integración y Promoción Económica of El Salvador; Her Excellency Susan le Jeune d'Allegeershecque, Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom to the United Nations in Vienna; Her Excellency Dragana Kiprijanovska Deputy, Minister at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; His Excellency Christophe Payot, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Belgium in Qatar; His Excellency Dato' Sri Adenan Bin Ab. Rahman, Deputy Secretary General of Malaysia; His Excellency Muthoni Kimani, Senior Deputy Solicitor General, State Law Office Kenya; His Excellency Khanh Ngoc Nguyen, Vice Minister of Justice of Viet Nam; Her Excellency Lucie Angers, General Counsel and Director of External Relations, Criminal Law Policy Section, Justice Canada; His Excellency Sem Ountana, Ambassador of Burkina Faso in Mauritania; His Excellency Ernesto Plasencia, Ambassador of Cuba in Qatar; His Excellency Ambassador Reynaldo A. Catapang of the Philippines; Christine Jeangey, Human Rights Officer, Pontifical Council for Justice and Peace, The Holy See.

Further Statements were made by representatives of Turkey and Armenia.

Tuesday, 14 April 2015

Sixth meeting

High-level segment (*continued*)

The meeting was chaired by His Excellency Galo Chriboga Zambrano, General Prosecutor of Ecuador.

Statements were made by Kristian Odegaard, Minister Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Norway to the International Organizations at Vienna; His Excellency Alexander Savenkov, Deputy Minister of Interior of the Russian Federation; His Excellency António da Costa Moura, Secretário de Estado da Justiça of Portugal; His Excellency Khaled Shamaa, Permanent Representative of Egypt to the United Nations in Vienna; His Excellency Konrad Max Scharinger, Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations in Vienna; Her Excellency Marion Paradas, Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations in Vienna; Her Excellency Yvette van Eechoud, Ambassador of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to Qatar; Bernardo Stadelmann, Vice-Director Federal Department of Justice and Police FDJP, Federal Office of Justice of Switzerland; Rachmat Budiman, His Excellency Permanent Representative of Indonesia to the United Nations in Vienna; Judy Lind, Executive Director, Strategy and Specialist Capabilities, Australian Crime Commission; His Excellency Simon Madjumo Maruta, His Excellency Permanent Representative of Namibia to the United Nations in Vienna; His Excellency Felix Martinez, Permanent Mission of Venezuela to the United Nations in Vienna; His Excellency Issa Abdullah, Undersecretary Ministry

of Justice of Lybia; Magdy Martínez-Solimán, Assistant Secretary-General, Assistant Administrator and Director, Bureau for Policy and Programme Support, United Nations Development Programme; José Bonifácio Borges de Andrada, Associate Federal Prosecutor General, Pro-tempore presidency of Mercosur's specialized meeting of prosecutors; Alexey Lizhenkov, Director of the Transnational Threats Department, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe; Martin Kreutner, Dean and Executive Secretary of International Anti-Corruption Academy; Afaf Mahfouz Schieren, Women and Memory Forum, Michael Platzer, Chairperson Alliance of NGOs on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, Alliance of NGOs on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice.

Seventh meeting

The meeting considered [item 3] "Successes and challenges in implementing comprehensive crime prevention and criminal justice policies and strategies to promote the rule of law at the national and international levels, and to support sustainable development"

The meeting was chaired by His Excellency Khaled Shamaa, Permanent Representative of Egypt to the United Nations in Vienna.

The Congress began its consideration of the item.

A statement was made by His Excellency Dmitry Titov, Assistant Secretary-General for Rule of Law and Security Institutions in the UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations.

Statements were made by representatives of Thailand, Algeria, Canada, Austria, China, Slovenia, Viet Nam, Mexico, Pakistan and Norway.

Committee I

Third meeting

Workshop 1 (*continued*) [item 3]

Panel II on "Children: treatment of offenders, rehabilitation and social reintegration" (*continued*)

Presentations were made by Alexandra Martins, Crime Prevention Officer, Justice for Children, Justice Section, Division for Operations, UNODC; Prof. Yvon Dandurand; Zhao Bingzhi, Dean of the Law School and College for Criminal Law Sciences, Beijing Normal University, Beijing, Peoples' Republic of China; Carlos Tiffer, Criminal Law Consultant, ILANUD, Costa Rica; Horace Chacha, Chief Superintendent in charge of Chikusa Borstal Institution, Kenyan Prisons Service; Christian Ranheim, Head of Office, RWI's Indonesia country office, Jakarta, Indonesia; Mohammed Hassan Al Sarra, Dean of Training College, Naif Arab University for Security Studies (NAUSS), Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; Valerie Lebeaux, Chief, Justice Section, UNODC.

Committee II

First meeting

The Committee is chaired by Matti Joutsen, Director, Ministry of Justice of Finland.

His Excellency Antonio Roberto Castellanos Lopez, Permanent Representative of Guatemala to the United Nations in Vienna, was elected Vice-Chairperson.

Naoki Sugano, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations in Vienna, was elected Rapporteur.

Workshop 2 Trafficking in persons and smuggling of migrants: successes and challenges in criminalization, in mutual legal assistance and in effective protection of witnesses and trafficking victims [item 4]

Opening remarks were made by the Chair.

Panel I "High-level panel on cross-cutting issues"

Statements were made by His Excellency Yuri Fedotov, Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime; His Excellency John Jeffery, Deputy Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development of South Africa; Mona Rishmawi, Chief of Rule of Law, Equality and

Non Discrimination Branch of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights; Bernd Hemingway, Director, Department of Migration Management of the International Organization for Migration and Madina Jarbussynova, Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings of the Organisation for Security and Cooperation in Europe.

Panel II “Technical panel on cross-cutting issue”

Statements were made by Ilias Chatzis, Chief of Human Trafficking and Migrant Smuggling Section of UNODC and John Morrison, Executive Director of the Institute for Business and Human Rights.

Statements were also made by His Excellency Andrea Orlando, Minister of Justice of Italy and His Excellency Vladimir Grosu, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Moldova.

Second meeting

Workshop 2 [item 4] (continued)

Panel III “Trafficking in persons”

Presentations and statements were made by Maria Grazia Giammarinaro, UN Special Rapporteur on Trafficking; Kristiina Kangaspunta, Chief of UNODC Global Report on Trafficking in Persons Unit, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime; Peter Van Hauwermeiren, Director, Directorate Social Inspectorate, Ministry of Social Security, Belgium; Darlene R. Pajarito, Prosecutor, Inter-Agency Council Against Trafficking, Philippines; Paul Adepelumi, Executive Director, African Centre for Advocacy and Human Development and Bandana Pattanaik, International Coordinator Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women.

General information

Registration and credentials

Delegations are invited to refer to the Information for Participants (document A/CONF.222/INF/1).

In accordance with rules 1-3 of the provisional rules of procedure for the Thirteenth Congress, the delegation of each State participating in the Congress should consist of a head of delegation and such other representatives, alternate representatives and advisers as may be required. The credentials (full name as per passport, title, address and e-mail address) of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and submitted in hard copy to the Secretary of the Congress, c/o Tatiana Jehl (room 210). Any change in the composition of delegations should also be submitted, in writing, to the Secretary of the Congress. Advance scanned copies of credentials should be sent by e-mail to the Secretariat of the Congress (13crimecongress@unodc.org) for registration purposes.

Participants who do not complete the pre-registration procedure must follow the normal procedure of having a photograph taken and a badge issued upon their arrival at the registration area of the Qatar National Convention Centre.

As part of the security arrangements, all participants in the Congress will be required to present their invitations or credentials together with their passports at the entrance before proceeding to the registration area of the Conference Centre, to register and collect their security passes for the Congress. Security passes must be worn visibly at all times at the Congress venue. All persons and their bags/luggage will be screened at the entrance to the Conference Centre.

The registration desk will be open as follows:
14 to 19 April 2015: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Given the large number of participants expected for the Congress, delegates and representatives arriving during the week before the opening of the Congress are encouraged to register as early as possible.

It is strongly recommended that delegations submit to the Secretariat the names of ministers or other delegates of similar or higher rank in advance in order to expedite preparation of VIP badges and minimize inconvenience. The badges of Heads of State, Heads of Government and ministers will be issued without photograph. Those badges will be ready for collection by an authorized person at the registration desk upon arrival. Questions regarding VIP badges should be sent by e-mail to Oleg Strelnikov (oleg.strelnikov@unvienna.org) of the United Nations Security and Safety Service.

Languages and documentation

Delegations are invited to refer to the Information for Participants (document A/CONF.222/INF/1).

The six official languages of the Thirteenth Congress are Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish. Statements made in a language of the Congress during the plenary meetings and the meetings of Committee I and Committee II will be interpreted into the other languages of the Congress. A representative may speak in a language other than the languages of the Congress if he or she informs the Secretariat beforehand and provides for interpretation into one of the official languages of the Congress. Official United Nations documents of the Congress will be made available in the six official languages of the Congress.

Each seat in the Congress halls in which simultaneous interpretation is available will be provided with a portable receiving set and a headphone. Participants are requested not to remove these from the meeting rooms so that the equipment may be checked and, if necessary, batteries may be recharged before the next meeting takes place.

As part of the secretariat's efforts to reduce expenditure and limit environmental impact through the digitization of conference materials and publications, pre-session documents will be available at the Congress venue in limited number. Each delegation will receive a single, complete set of the documents in the language of its choice. Delegates are therefore kindly requested to bring their own copies of the pre-session documents to the Congress. UNODC has prepared documents to facilitate consideration of each item of the provisional agenda of the Congress, as well as background papers for the workshops. In addition, the Congress will have before it other documents, such as the discussion guide and the reports of the regional preparatory meetings. Those documents may be downloaded from the UNODC website for the Thirteenth Congress (www.unodc.org/congress/en/documentation.html).

Memory sticks containing pre-session documentation and publications related to the Congress will be distributed to participants at the Congress registration area. Participants will receive only one memory stick at the time of picking up their Congress badge.

The main documents distribution counter will be located on the ground level in front of Exhibition Halls 1A and 1B of the Qatar National Convention Centre. Each delegation will be assigned an individual pigeonhole at the documents distribution counter, in which all documents issued during the Congress will be placed. To determine exact requirements for in-session documents, each delegation is requested to advise the documents distribution counter of its requirements, specifying the number of copies of each document needed and the language (or languages) in which it wishes to receive them during the Congress. The quantity requested should be sufficient to cover all requirements, as it will not be possible to request additional copies.

National statements and/or position papers prepared by participating States will be distributed at the Congress in the languages and quantities provided by the Governments.

Information and media

Regular United Nations media facilities will be available at the Thirteenth Congress, including a press centre and a press briefing room. Interpretation from and into English and Arabic will also be available for press briefing rooms.

Media representatives wishing to cover the Thirteenth Congress must apply for accreditation before or during the Congress. Completed accreditation application forms must be accompanied by a copy of a press card and/or a letter of assignment, issued on paper with an official letterhead and signed by the editor or bureau chief of the journalist's media organization. Representatives of the media are strongly encouraged to register online in advance to avoid delays entering the Congress venue: www.unis.unvienna.org/unis/en/media/media_accreditation.html.

The media accreditation counter in the Qatar National Convention Centre will be open starting Wednesday, 8 April 2015. Media representatives who have not pre-registered online, can register directly at the press registration counter in the Centre. Representatives are reminded to bring all required original documents.

Accredited media representatives will receive a special press pass allowing them access to the meetings, the ancillary meetings and the press working area. Press passes will be issued at the site of the Congress.

Live Webcast

The United Nations Department of Public Information is providing live and on-demand Webcast coverage of all Plenary, Committee I and Committee II meetings as well as Press Conferences. The Webcast is available in English and Original language of the speaker. Internet users around the world are able to follow the proceedings of the Congress by visiting the UN Web TV website at: webtv.un.org and access information such as press releases at: <http://www.un.org/en/events/crimecongress2015/>

National Organizing Committee

As the host of the Thirteenth Congress, the Government of the State of Qatar has appointed a

National Organizing Committee, chaired by the Advisor to the Minister of Interior, and coordinated by the following individuals:

Yousuf Ibrahim Al-Mahmoud, Ministry of Interior
Salem Mansour Al-Marri, Ministry of Interior

Facilities at the Congress site

Restaurants

A cafeteria located in Exhibition Hall 7 will be made available to the delegates on a commercial basis.

Delegates' Lounge

Several coffee/snack bars with lounge furniture will be located on the Ground Level and Level 1 for the use of delegates on a commercial basis.

Cybercafe

A Cybercounter, located on the Ground Level, will offer participants on a "first come, first served" basis the chance to borrow tablets/laptops for use during the meetings. Wi-Fi will be available throughout the Centre.

Medical/First aid room

First aid facilities will be located on Level 1.

Bank

ATMs will be located on Level 1.

Business centre

A business centre for delegate use on a commercial basis will be located in the Exhibition area.

Information counter

An information counter staffed with local staff (delegates' aides) will be set up in the Centre to assist delegates with enquiries.

Meditation room

A meditation room will be located on the Ground Floor.

Programme of social activities and booking of bilateral meetings

Congress participants are invited by the State of Qatar to attend the following events at the Qatar National Convention Centre (QNCC): Wednesday, 15 April 2015 at 7:30 p.m. - Official Dinner with Karakla Show and Friday, 17 April 2015 at 8:00 p.m. - Orchestra Performance.

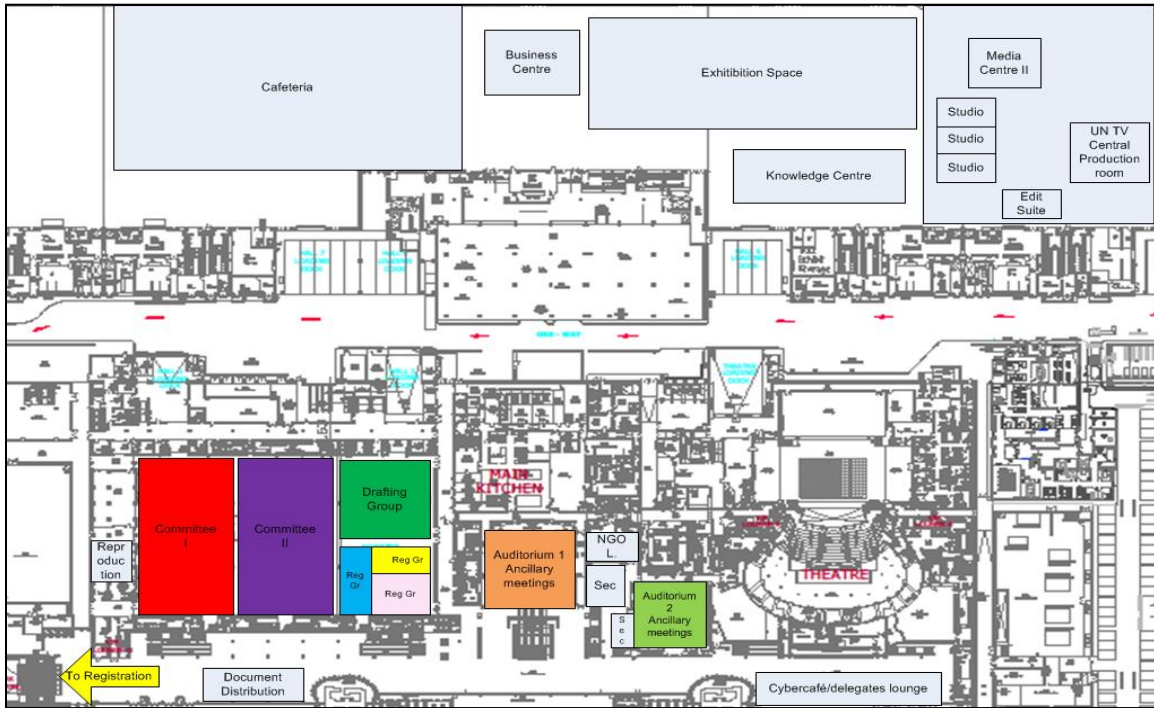
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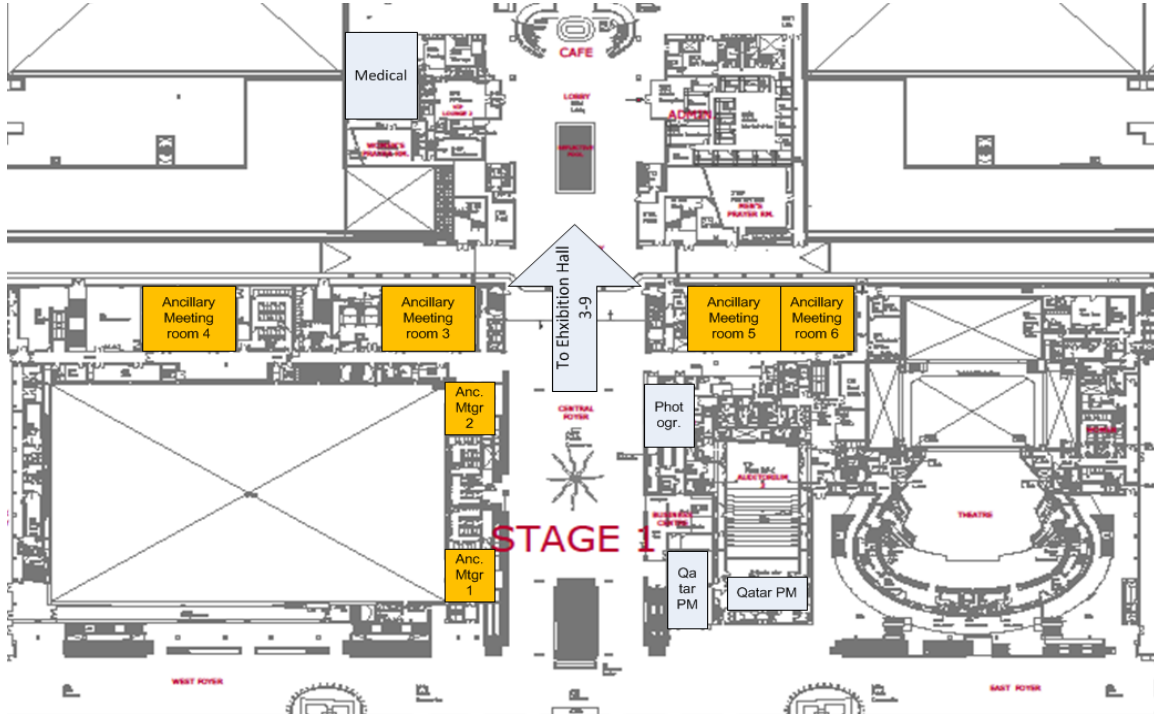
Representatives of Least Developed Countries entitled to refund of travel by the United Nations should complete their claim form and submit them as soon as possible to Alisher Arzikulov, room 204. Claim forms are available at the same office.

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Ground Floor Level



Level 1



Level 2

