

Summit agenda

2024

WORLD SUMMIT
ON HUMANITARIAN NEGOTIATION

Geneva, 27-28 June 2024

Maison de la Paix
Chem. Eugène-Rigot 2,
Geneva – Switzerland

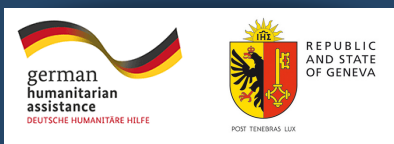
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CONNECTION LINKS



Most sessions are live-streamed and captioned in multiple languages. All times in the CEST timezone (UTC+2).

The World Summit is co-hosted by:



DAY 1 Thursday 27 June

09:00-10:00 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Opening ceremony

10:00-11:00 | HALLS

Networking and exhibition

COFFEE BREAK | Join us in the exhibition space to meet partners, practitioners, and negotiation experts

11:00-12:30

Thematic sessions

AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET | Humanitarian diplomacy in a changing global geopolitical landscape

AUDIT. A2 | Negotiating with power: Underdog strategies

ROOM S12 | Insights from negotiators working on Myanmar, Search and Rescue at sea, and the Sahel

LUNCH BREAK

13:30-15:00 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Plenary session

Grassroots leadership: Local voices in crisis negotiation

COFFEE BREAK

15:30-17:00

Thematic sessions

AUDIT. A2 | Women at the negotiation table: Enhancing gender inclusivity in negotiations

AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET | Crossroad of conscience: The delicate dance of principle and pragmatism in humanitarian negotiations

ROOM S12 | Roundtable: Frontline negotiation practices in today's most challenging crises

17:00-17:15 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Closing remarks

FROM 17:15 | CAFETERIA

Cocktail reception

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DAY 2 Friday 28 June

09:00-09:30 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Highlights and overview of the day

09:30-10:30

Thematic sessions

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| AUDITORIUM
IVAN PICTET | Navigating the digital battlefield
between technology and misinformation |
| AUDIT. A2 | Climate change and conflict:
Negotiating for the future |
| ROOM S12 | Insights on negotiations with assertive
authorities: Venezuela, Afghanistan, Sudan |

COFFEE BREAK

11:00-12:30

Thematic sessions

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| AUDITORIUM
IVAN PICTET | Frontline dialogues: Engaging weapon
bearers in civilian protection |
| ROOM S4 | Approaches to build the negotiation
capacity of humanitarians |
| ROOM S12 | Insights from humanitarian negotiators
in Gaza, Haiti, and Ukraine |

LUNCH BREAK

13:30-15:00 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Plenary session

What are we learning? Getting ready for the future
as a community of frontline negotiators

COFFEE BREAK

15:30-17:00 | AUDITORIUM IVAN PICTET

Closing ceremony