

Journal

7 November 2025

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT
TWENTY-FOURTH SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY OF STATES PARTIES
THE HAGUE, 1 – 6 DECEMBER 2025

Forthcoming official meetings^{1 2}

Monday, 1 December 2025

First plenary meeting

- Opening of the session
 - Silent prayer or meditation
 - Adoption of the agenda
 - Report on the activities of the Bureau
 - Report on the activities of the Court
 - Report of the Board of Directors of the Trust Fund for Victims
 - Appointment of the Credentials Committee
 - Organization of work
 - States in arrears
 - Election of members of the Committee on Budget and Finance
 - Election of a member of the Board of Directors of the Trust Fund for Victims
- 10:00 – 13:00.....King Willem Alexander

Meeting of the Credentials Committee^{3 4}

12:00 – 12:30.....Colorado

Second plenary meeting

- General Debate
- 15:00 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

¹ Unless otherwise specified, the meetings are open to States Parties, non-States Parties (Observer States and invited States), the Court, intergovernmental organizations, non-governmental organizations and other observers and participants as defined in rules 92 and 93 of the Rules of Procedure of the Assembly of States Parties.

² All official meeting times are in Central European time zone (CET).

³ Immediately following the adjournment of the plenary.

⁴ Closed meeting: Open only to members of the Credentials Committee.

Tuesday, 2 December 2025

Third plenary meeting

- General debate

10:00 – 13:00.....King Willem Alexander

Fourth plenary meeting

- General debate

15:00 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

Wednesday, 3 December 2025

Fifth plenary meeting

- Consideration of the budget: Presentations by the Registrar and the Chair of the Committee on Budget and Finance

- Consideration of the Audit reports

- Statement by the Chairperson of the Audit Committee

- Statement by the External Auditor

- Consideration of the Annual Report of the Head of the Independent Oversight Mechanism

10:00 – 11:30.....King Willem Alexander

Working Group on the Budget⁵

11:30 – 12:00.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

12:00 – 13:00..... King Willem Alexander

Sixth plenary meeting

- Non-cooperation

15:00 – 17:00.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

17:00 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

Thursday, 4 December 2025

Seventh plenary meeting

- Cooperation

10:00 – 12:00.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

12:00 – 13:00.....King Willem Alexander

⁵ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties and the Court.

Reserved

15:00 – 16:30.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

16:30 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

Friday, 5 December 2025

Eighth plenary meeting

- Progress reports by the Coordinators

- Introduction of draft resolutions

10:00 – 10:30.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

10:30 – 13:00.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

15:00 – 16:30.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

16:30 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

Saturday, 6 December 2025

Ninth plenary meeting

- Adoption of resolutions

10:00 – 10:30.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

10:30 – 12:30.....King Willem Alexander

Meeting of the Credentials Committee⁶

12:30 – 13:00.....Oceania Foyer

Tenth plenary meeting

- Consideration of reports

- Report of the Credentials Committee

- Oral report of the Rapporteur

- Adoption of the report

- Closure of the session

15:00 – 18:00.....King Willem Alexander

⁶ Closed meeting: Open only to members of the Credentials Committee.

Other forthcoming meetings⁷

Monday, 1 December 2025

Enforcing the legality of the use of force - advancing the universality of the Rome Statute (hosted by Liechtenstein)

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

Universality of the Rome Statute (the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the Republic of Korea, and Parliamentarians for Global Action)

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

Frontiers of International Criminal Law and Justice (co-hosted by Norway, Sweden, the Centre for International Law Research and Policy (CILRAP), the Coalition for International Criminal Justice (CICJ), the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF), the Grotius Centre for International Legal Studies, the Human Rights Law Centre (University of Nottingham and the Norwegian Helsinki Committee) and the Stockholm Centre for International Law and Justice)

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

The Role of restorative justice in strengthening the work of the International Criminal Court: lessons learned from the Colombian case (co-hosted by Colombia and Norway)

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

Presentation of the Office of the Prosecutor's Annual Report (hosted by the Office of the Prosecutor)

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

Pathways to Justice and Accountability for Venezuela (co-hosted by Un Mundo Sin Mordaza, Defiende Venezuela and Voces de la Memoria)

13:15 – 14:45.....Yangtze 2

Accountability for the Crime of Aggression against Ukraine (co-hosted by Latvia, Lithuania, United Kingdom, Ukraine and the International Bar Association (IBA))

18:15 – 19:45.....Europe 1&2

Reforming the Crime of Aggression Regime: DRC as a Test Case (co-hosted by the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Africa Legal Aid (AFLA))

18:15 – 19:45.....Mississippi

Victim-centred justice begins with us: A dialogue led by survivors (co-hosted by Belgium, France, Finland, the United Kingdom, the European Union, Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC), International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH) and REDRESS)

18:15 – 19:45.....Yangtze 1

⁷ Side events and exhibits are solely the responsibility of the respective organizers. Please direct any queries to the organizers. In accordance with the Guidelines for the preparation and conduct of sessions of the Assembly of States Parties, the Yangtze 1 and Yangtze 2 rooms have been allocated to non-governmental organizations, in direct consultation with the Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC).

Speech crimes of the Russian Federation in the context of the conflict in Ukraine: Documentation, investigation and prosecution (co-hosted by Platform for Peace and Humanity, LingvaLexa, Crimean Human Rights Group, and Social Action Centre)

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 2

Tuesday, 2 December 2025

Comparative experiences of reparations across the world (co-hosted by the Trust Fund for Victims and the Mukwege Foundation)

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

From Draft to Treaty: Setting the Stage for a Successful Crimes against Humanity Convention (hosted by Switzerland)

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

Cooperation to achieve justice for victims: the ICC in Libya (co-hosted by European Centre for Constitutional and Human Rights (ECCHR), International Commission of Jurists (ICJ), Lawyers for Justice in Libya (LFJL), Libya Crimes Watch (LCW), and Refugees in Libya)

08:30 – 09:45..... Yangtze 2

Global justice starts at home? National efforts and the future of International Criminal Law (hosted by Poland)

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

Centering victims in transitional justice: building inclusive accountability mechanisms (co-hosted by The Gambia and Center for Justice and Accountability)

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

The Ljubljana – the Hague Convention (co-hosted by Argentina, Belgium, Mongolia, Senegal, Slovenia and the Kingdom of the Netherlands)

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

Workplace Culture at the International Criminal Court: Strengthening Wellbeing and Accountability (co-hosted by Austria, Czech Republic, the United Kingdom, Switzerland, the International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH) and the Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

13:15 – 14:45.....King Willem Alexander

A unique opportunity: justice for Syria (hosted by Human Rights Watch (HRW))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

Ending Impunity: Confronting Enforced Disappearances and Transnational Violence in Venezuela (co-hosted by European Lawyers Foundation, Foro Penal, International Commission of Jurists, Programa Venezolano de Educación Acción en Derechos Humanos (PROVEA) and Robert F. Kennedy Human Rights)

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 2

Threshold Thinking: Moving Past Adult-Centric Accountability Models (co-hosted by the Kingdom of the Netherlands and Save the Children Netherlands)

18:15 – 19:45.....Europe 1&2

Renforcer la défense devant la CPI : perspectives et priorités (Strengthening Defence at the ICC: Perspectives and Priorities) (co-hosted by France, Senegal and the International Criminal Court Bar Association (ICCBA))

18:15 – 19:45.....Mississippi

Promoting Complementarity and Building National Capacity in The DRC (co-hosted by the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Africa Legal Aid (AFLA))

18:15 – 19:45.....Onyx

Difficultés/Défis des enquêtes sur des crimes imprescriptibles dans le monde, conséquences sur les victimes /cas de la République Démocratique du Congo (hosted by Colombes de la Nature et Fonds National des Réparations des Victimes (FONAREV))

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 1

The evolving role of NGOs in international courts and tribunals: Limits and opportunities (hosted by OSINT for Ukraine)

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 2

Wednesday, 3 December 2025

An Independent Evaluation of Complementarity in Guinea (hosted by the Independent Oversight Mechanism (IOM))

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

Victim-Centred and Gender-Sensitive Approaches to Justice in the DRC (co-hosted by the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Africa Legal Aid (AFLA))

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

Kurdish genocide (hosted by the Kurdish Organizations Network for the International Criminal Court)

08:30 – 09:45.....Yangtze 2

Arresting suspects of international crimes - States Parties legal obligations to cooperate and civil society contributions (co-hosted by Belgium, Chile, France, Vanuatu, Amnesty International, the Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC), Human Rights First, Human Rights Watch (HRW), International Bar Association (IBA), International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH), Legal Action Worldwide (LAW) and Redress)

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

Launch of the OTP Policy on Cyber-Enabled Crimes under the Rome Statute (hosted by Office of the Prosecutor)

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

With our backs against the wall: Creating international accountability coalitions to combat illicit international criminal networks - notes from Sudan (co-hosted by Germany, Kingdom of the Netherlands and Wayamo Foundation)

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

The Position of Arab Governments on the International Criminal Court in Light of Current Changes (co-hosted by The Arab Center for the Independence of the Judiciary and the Legal Profession (ACIJLP) and the Arab Coalition for the International Criminal Court)

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

The Crime of Aggression After the Special Session: No Justice without Jurisdiction (co-hosted by Africa Legal Aid (AFLA), Center for Truth and Justice (CFTJ), European Center for Constitutional and Human Rights (ECCHR), Global Initiative Against Impunity, Global Institute for the Prevention of Aggression, Synergy for Justice, the ImPact Coalition on Strengthening International Judicial Institutions and Ukrainian Legal Advisory Group (ULAG))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 2

The Impact of Stigma Faced by Children Affected by Conflict-Related Sexual Violence (co-hosted by Canada and Synergy for Justice)

18:15 – 19:45.....Europe 1&2

Défis des poursuites et procès des crimes internationaux aux plans national, européen et international (hosted by France)

18:15 – 19:45.....Mississippi

Screening of The Cranes Call: Accountability for Survivors of War Crimes in Ukraine (co-hosted by France and InterJust)

18:15 – 19:45.....Onyx

Starvation as a method of warfare: Israel's employment of starvation as a crime to commit genocide (hosted by the International Centre of Justice for Palestinians (ICJP))

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 1

Making reparation for Sudan's victims a reality (co-hosted by Darfur Women Action Group, International Community Care, REDRESS, Rights for Peace and the Trust Fund for Victims)

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 2

Thursday, 4 December 2025

The Office of the Prosecutor's Revised Policy on Gender-Based Crimes: lessons learned and challenges in the prosecution of gender-based crimes (hosted by Spain)

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

Artificial Intelligence and Reparations (co-hosted by the Trust Fund for Victims and Impunity Watch)

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

Ethiopia’s Civil Society and Africa’s Role in Global Justice: Peace, Democracy, and Inclusive Future (co-hosted by the African Initiatives for a Democratic World Order (AIDWO) and Holistic Empowerment for Development (HED))

08:30 – 09:45.....Yangtze 2

80 Years After Nuremberg – Quo Vadis, ICC? The Future of International Criminal Justice in a Divided World (co-hosted by Germany and the International Nuremberg Principles Academy)

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

Survivors’ Voices: A Documentary Screening and Dialogue on Justice and Healing in Ukraine (co-hosted by Canada, Kingdom of the Netherlands, Ukraine, Justice Rapid Response and the Media Initiative for Human Rights)

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

Gender Justice and the Crimes Against Humanity Treaty Initiative: Lessons from Latin America for a Way Forward (co-hosted by Chile, Colombia, the European Union, American University Washington College of Law (Academy on Human Rights and Humanitarian Law and War Crimes Research Office), Amnesty International, the Global Initiative Against Impunity, Latin American Network for Gender-based Strategic Litigation (ReLeG), UN Women and Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

Launch of the OTP Policy on Addressing Environmental Damage through the Rome Statute (co-hosted by the Marshall Islands and the Office of the Prosecutor)

13:15 – 14:45.....King Willem Alexander

Conflict-Related Sexual Violence in Ukraine: Full Spectrum of Harm and Holistic Paths to Justice (co-hosted by All Survivors Project, “Alumni” - Network of Ukrainian Men Who Survived Captivity and Torture, Legal Action Worldwide (LAW), “Numo, Sisters”, SEMA Ukraine, Synergy for Justice, the Ukrainian Women Lawyers Association “JurFem”, Truth Hounds, and Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

Friday, 5 December 2025

Prosecuting Environmental War Crimes: Lessons Learned from Ukraine (co-hosted by Climate Counsel and UCLA’s The Promise Institute for Human Rights)

08:30 – 09:45.....Yangtze 2

Children and International Crimes: Rethinking Accountability Through the Eyes of the Youngest Victims (co-hosted by the United Kingdom and Legal Action Worldwide)

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

Vanished Voices: The Plight of Missing Children from Ukraine, Sudan, and Syria (co-hosted by the Ukraine and Global Rights Compliance (GRC))

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

Genocost en RDC (hosted by the Coalition Nationale congolaise pour la CPI et la Fondation Congolaise pour la Promotion des Droits humains et la Paix (FOCDP))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

Negotiating The Crimes Against Humanity Treaty: slave trade, starvation, environmental crimes; treaty monitoring and enforcement (co-hosted by Amnesty International, the Emergent Justice Collective, End Gender Apartheid, Global Justice Center, Human Rights Watch (HRW), International Commission of Jurists (ICJ) and , Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 2

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