

Journal

1 December 2025

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

Forthcoming official meetings^{1 2}

Tuesday, 2 December 2025

Informal consultation on the omnibus resolution

08:30 – 09:45.....Oceania Foyer

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

- Declaration of the Assembly of States Parties at the twenty-fourth session of the Assembly**
 - 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 External Auditor**
 - Consideration of the Annual Report of the Head of the Independent Oversight Mechanism**
- 10:00 – 11:30.....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).

Working Group on the Budget³

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

Informal consultation on the Budget⁴

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

Informal consultation on the omnibus resolution

13:15 – 14:45.....Oceania Foyer

Sixth plenary meeting

- Non-cooperation⁵

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

Reserved

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

Thursday, 4 December 2025

Seventh plenary meeting

- Cooperation⁶

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

Informal consultation on the Budget⁷

12:00 – 13:15.....King Willem Alexander

Reserved

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

Reserved

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

Informal consultation on the Budget⁸

18:15 – 19:45.....Oceania Foyer

³ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties and the Court.

⁴ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties.

⁵ The plenary session will focus on the prevention of non-compliance with States Parties' obligation to cooperate, with specific reference to consultations under article 97 of the Statute and the Assembly procedures on non-cooperation.

⁶ The plenary session will be articulated around a political segment prior to a technical segment with specific reference to arrest, voluntary cooperation agreements on witness relocation and victims.

⁷ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties.

⁸ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties.

Friday, 5 December 2025

Eighth plenary meeting

- Progress reports by the Coordinators
- Introduction of draft resolutions

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

Informal consultation on the Budget⁹

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 Committee¹⁰

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

⁹ Closed meeting: Open only to States Parties.

¹⁰ Closed meeting: Open only to members of the Credentials Committee.

Other forthcoming meetings¹¹

Tuesday, 2 December 2025

From Draft to Treaty: Setting the Stage for a Successful Crimes against Humanity Convention (hosted by Belgium, Costa Rica, Mexico, Romania, and 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

Innovating International Justice: Recent developments from The Gambia and beyond toward more effective and inclusive mechanisms (co-hosted by The Gambia, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, and the Center for Justice and Accountability)

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

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

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

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

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

Practical Measures to Protect the International Criminal Court (co-hosted by the State of Palestine, South Africa, the Al-Haq Human Rights Organization, Al-Mezan Centre for Human Rights, and the Palestinian Center for Human Rights (PCHR))

13:15 – 14:45.....Everest 1&2

Accountability for Syria: Leveraging the International System to Seize Justice Opportunities (co-hosted by Denmark, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, Liechtenstein, European Center for Constitutional and Human Rights (ECCHR), International Center for Transitional Justice (ICTJ), Syrian Center for Media and Freedom of Expression (SCM), and Ta'afi Initiative)

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

¹¹ 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).

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

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 2

Towards a Transformative Justice Model for Syria (co-hosted by the United Kingdom, Legal Action Worldwide and the Syrian Forum)

18:15 – 19:45.....Europe 1&2

Protéger les avocats, protéger la justice : le rôle de l'ABCPI et des barreaux locaux, régionaux et associations internationales devant la CPI / Protecting Counsel, Protecting Justice: The Role of the ICCBA and local, regional and international Bar Associations before the ICC (co-hosted by France, Senegal, the Conseil national des barreaux (CNB) 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 Cabo Verde, the Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ghana, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Switzerland, and Africa Legal Aid (AFLA))

18:15 – 19:45.....Onyx

Situation in the State of Palestine: Escalating International Crimes Amidst Continued Impunity and Unprecedented Attack on the International Justice System (co-hosted by the State of Palestine, Al-Haq, Al-Mezan Centre for Human Rights, and the Palestinian Center for Human Rights (PCHR))

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

European Union coordination meeting¹²

08:30 – 09:30 Antarctica

Traces of Genocide and Chemical Weapons Victims in Kurdistan (hosted by the Kurdish Organizations Network for the International Criminal Court (KONCICC))

08:30 – 09:45..... Yangtze 2

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

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

¹² Closed meeting: Open only to members of the Group.

Victim-Centred and Gender-Sensitive Approaches to Justice in the DRC (co-hosted by Cabo Verde, the Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ghana, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Switzerland, and Africa Legal Aid (AFLA))

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

The complementarity ecosystem: progress, challenges, and lessons learned from multi-faceted efforts to support national accountability. Examples from post-conflict and other fragile settings (co-hosted by Australia, Belgium, Colombia, Uganda, and the United Nations Team of Experts on the Rule of Law and Sexual Violence in Conflict)

08:30 – 09:45.....Australian Residence¹³

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

13:15 – 14:45.....Europe 1&2

Strengthening accountability for crimes against the medical mission and personnel involved in humanitarian assistance (co-hosted by the Kingdom of the Netherlands, International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), Legal Action Worldwide (LAW), and Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF))

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, Switzerland, and Wayamo Foundation)

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

Launch of the OTP Policy on Cyber-Enabled Crimes under the Rome Statute (co-hosted by Colombia, Estonia, Japan, Liechtenstein, Slovenia and the Office of the Prosecutor)

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

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 Liechtenstein, Mexico, Switzerland, 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, the ImPact Coalition on Strengthening International Judicial Institutions, Synergy for Justice and Ukrainian Legal Advisory Group (ULAG))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 2

¹³ For ASP participants with badges only. Address: Tobais Asserlaan 6, 2562SM, The Hague.

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 / Challenges in the prosecution and trial of international crimes at national, European and international levels (hosted by Colombia, France, Senegal, Sweden and Ukraine)

18:15 – 19:45.....Mississippi

Persecution and Forced Exile from Belarus: a Crime Against Humanity (co-hosted by Denmark, Lithuania and REDRESS)

18:15 – 19:45.....Onyx

Starvation as a method of warfare: Israel's employment of starvation and the law on genocide (co-hosted by the International Centre of Justice for Palestinians (ICJP), International Institute for Social Studies: Legal Mobilisation Platform and Law for Palestine)

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 1

Pathways to Reparation for Sudan's Victims (co-hosted by Darfur Women Action Group, Darfur Network for Human Rights, International Community Care, REDRESS, Rights for Peace, SIHA, and Sudan Human Rights Monitor)

18:15 – 19:45..... Yangtze 2

Thursday, 4 December 2025

European Union coordination meeting¹⁴

08:30 – 09:30 Antarctica

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

Harnessing Artificial Intelligence for Victims: Opportunities and Safeguards in Transitional Justice (co-hosted by Austria, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Estonia, Ireland, Luxembourg, South Africa, Sweden, the Trust Fund for Victims, Impunity Watch, and the Swedish International Development Agency)

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

From Grassroots to Rome: Ethiopia's Civil Society and Africa's Role in Global Justice, Peace, Democracy, and Inclusive Futures (co-hosted by African Initiatives for a Democratic World Order (AIDWO) and Holistic Empowerment for Development (HED))

08:30 – 09:45.....Yangtze 2

¹⁴ Closed meeting: Open only to members of the Group.

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

The Latin American Experience in Gender Justice and Its Contribution to the Crimes Against Humanity Treaty Initiative (co-hosted by Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Ireland, the European Union, undación Internacional Baltasar Garzón (FIBGAR), the Global Initiative Against Impunity, the Global Justice Center (GJC), Justice Rapid Response (JRR), 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 Costa Rica, France, Germany, Marshall Islands, Panama 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, Truth Hounds, the Ukrainian Women Lawyers Association “JurFem” and the Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

When Accountability Becomes a Crime: Protecting Human Rights Defenders in the Age of Lawfare (co-hosted by Al-Haq, Al-Mezan, No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) and Palestinian Centre for Human Rights (PCHR))

13:15 – 14:45.....Yangtze 2

CICC ASP24 Delegates Reception (co-hosted by Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC) and the Trust Fund for Victims (TFV))¹⁵

18:30 – 20:00.....Gember Restaurant

Friday, 5 December 2025

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

08:30 – 09:45.....Europe 1&2

¹⁵ By invitation only. For ASP participants with badges only. Address: Stadhouderslaan 43, 2517 HV, The Hague.

Accountability for Gender Persecution: Critical developments in Gender Justice (co-hosted by Australia, and Legal Action Worldwide)

08:30 – 09:45.....Onyx

Responding to emerging crises: Opportunities in the development of the Crimes against Humanity Convention (co-hosted by Mexico, Africa Legal Aid (AFLA), Amnesty International, Asia Justice Coalition (AJC), Columbia Law School, End Gender Apartheid, Global Justice Center, International Commission of Jurists (ICJ), Washington University Law, and the Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ))

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 Ukraine and Global Rights Compliance (GRC))

13:15 – 14:45.....Mississippi

Bridging Legal Traditions: Canadian and International Perspectives on Justice and Diversity (co-hosted by Canada, International Criminal Court Bar Association (ICCBA) and the University of Ottawa)

13:15 – 14:45.....Onyx

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

13:15 – 14:45..... Yangtze 1

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

13:15 – 14:45.....Yangtze 2

Announcements

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Documentation

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Written statements shall not be reproduced at the expense of the Assembly and shall not be issued as official documents.

Statements made before or after the adoption of resolutions

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