



LDC5
5TH UNITED NATIONS
CONFERENCE ON THE
LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES

Draft Programme

Main Events on 23-27 January
Pre-Conference Events on 22 January

Venue: Qatar National Convention Center
Doha, Qatar



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Saturday

22 January 2022

Pre-Conference Events

All day

Parliamentary Forum

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 9:00 - 12:00 pm, 14:00 - 17:00

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 9:00 - 12:00 pm, 14:00 - 17:00

Workshops for LDC Journalists

Location: Room 105 and 106

Time: 9:00 - 12:00 pm, 14:00 - 17:00

Morning

Summit of the LDC Group (HoS/G level)

Location: Theatre

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Youth Forum

Location: Auditorium 3

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Sunday

23 January 2022

Main Conference Events

Morning

Opening Plenary

Commemoration Event

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

High level Thematic Round Table 1.

Investing in people in least developed countries to leave no one behind

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Multi-stakeholder Events

Lunch

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 12:15 - 13:45

Afternoon

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Private Sector Forum: Grand Opening

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 15:00 - 17:00

Press Briefing

Evening

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 17:15 - 18:45

day 1

Monday

24 January 2022

Main Conference Events

Morning

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

High level Thematic Round Table 2.

Leveraging the power of science, technology and innovation for the sustainable development of LDCs

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

High level Thematic Round Table 3.

Structural transformation as a driver of prosperity in LDCs

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Multi-stakeholder Events

Morning

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Inter-generational Dialogue

Location: Exhibition Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Private Sector Forum:

Thematic Session 1: Broadband connectivity and emerging technologies

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 9:00 - 10:45

Thematic Session 2: Agriculture and Rural Development

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 11:00 - 12:45

Lunch

High-level Event of the UNSG with Principals

Location: Restaurant area

Time: 12:15 - 13:45

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 12:15 - 13:45

Afternoon

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Private Sector Forum

Thematic Session 3: Connectivity

Time: 15:00 - 16:45

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Evening

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 17:15 - 18:45

day 2

Tuesday

25 January 2022

Main Conference Events

Morning

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

High level Thematic Round Table 4.

Enhancing the participation of LDCs in international trade and regional integration

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

High level Thematic Round Table 5.

Addressing climate change and supporting the environment

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Multi-stakeholder Events

Morning

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Private Sector Forum:

Thematic Session 4: Climate Change

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 9:00 - 10:45

Thematic Session 5: Sustainable Tourism

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 11:00 - 12:45

Ministerial meeting on South -South Cooperation

Location: Theatre

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Lunch

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Times: 12:15 - 13:45

Afternoon

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Private Sector Forum: Closing and the Way Forward

Location: Exhibition Hall 5

Time: 15:00 - 16:45

Evening

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 17:15 - 18:45

day 3

Wednesday

26 January 2022

Main Conference Events

Morning

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

High level Thematic Round Table 6.

Sustainable recovery from the pandemic and building the resilience of LDCs against future shocks

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

High level Thematic Round Table 7.

Resource mobilization and strengthened global partnerships for sustainable development in LDCs

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Multi-stakeholder Events

Morning

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Lunch

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Times: 12:15 - 13:45

Afternoon

Civil Society Forum

Location: Room 104

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Evening

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 17:15 - 18:45

day 4

Thursday

27 January 2022

Main Conference Events

Morning

Plenary session, general debate

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

High level Thematic Round Table 8.

Supporting sustainable and irreversible graduation from the LDC category.

Location: Exhibition Hall 1

Time: 9:00 - 12:00

Afternoon

Closing session

Adoption of the Doha Programme of Action and Doha Declaration

Location: Plenary Hall

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Multi-stakeholder Events

Lunch

Side Events

Location: Multiple rooms

Time: 12:15 - 13:45

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