

## GENERAL TIMETABLE OF THE 142nd ASSEMBLY AND RELATED MEETINGS

*Virtual session*

### Pre-Assembly meetings

#### **Tuesday, 13 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.30 Bureau of the Standing Committee on Peace and International Security\*  
*Zoom*
- 14.00 – 16.30 Bureau of the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development\*  
*Zoom*

#### **Wednesday, 14 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 17.00 Committee on Middle East Questions\*  
*Zoom*

#### **Friday 16 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.00 Committee to Promote Respect for International Humanitarian Law\*  
*Zoom*

#### **Thursday, 22 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.30 Standing Committee on Peace and International Security\*  
Drafting Committee on the draft resolution on *Parliamentary strategies to strengthen peace and security against threats and conflicts resulting from climate-related disasters and their consequences*  
*Zoom*
- 14.30 – 17.00 Standing Committee on Sustainable Development\*  
Drafting Committee on the draft resolution on *Mainstreaming digitalization and the circular economy to achieve the SDGs, particularly responsible consumption and production*  
*Zoom*

#### **Monday, 26 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.30 **Standing Committee on Peace and International Security**  
Debate on overall theme: *Overcoming the pandemic today and building a better tomorrow: the role of parliaments*

#### **Tuesday, 27 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.30 **Joint meeting of the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development and of the Standing Committee on UN Affairs**  
Debate on overall theme

#### **Wednesday, 28 April 2021**

- 14.00 – 16.30 **Standing Committee on Democracy and Human Rights**  
Debate on overall theme
- 14.00 – 16.30 Advisory Group on Health\*  
*Zoom*

\* *closed session*

**Thursday, 29 April 2021**

14.00 – 16.30

**Standing Committee on UN Affairs**

Discussion on UN75 follow-up

**Thursday, 6 May 2021**

14.00 – 16.00

Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians\*

**6- 11 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00

Committee on the Human Rights of Parliamentarians\*

*Zoom*

**Monday, 10 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00

**Forum of Women MPs**

Advancing gender equality: Covid's impact and priorities for recovery

- Briefings on inter-parliamentary e-dialogues held in March-April

- Towards a gender-responsive post-Covid recovery

Contributing to the work of the Assembly from a gender perspective

Elections to the Bureau of Women MPs

14.00 – 17.00

Committee on Middle East Questions\*

*Zoom*

**Tuesday, 11 May 2021**

14.00 – 15.30

Bureau of Women Parliamentarians\*

14.00 – 16.00

Bureau of the Standing Committee on Democracy  
and Human Rights\*

*Zoom*

**Wednesday, 12 May 2021**

14.00 – 16.00

**Forum of Women Parliamentarians**

Panel discussion: *Generation equality in and through parliaments*

Elections of the Bureau's presiding officers

**Thursday, 13 May 2021**

14.00 – 16.00

**Forum of Young Parliamentarians**

Contributing to the work of the 142nd Assembly from a youth  
perspective

Parliaments, youth and COVID-19

- Briefings on intergenerational e-dialogues held in April

- Prioritizing youth empowerment in post-Covid recovery

Elections to the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians

14.00 – 16.00

Bureau of the Standing Committee on UN Affairs\*

*Zoom*

**Friday, 14 May 2021**

14.00 – 16.00 Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians\*

**Monday, 17 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00

**Forum of Young Parliamentarians**

Panel discussions:

- A new decade of action for the IPU and parliaments on youth participation
- Launch of the Campaign
- Elections of the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians (election of the President of the Board)

14.00 – 16.30

**Standing Committee on Peace and International Security**

Adoption of resolution on *Parliamentary strategies to strengthen peace and security against threats and conflicts resulting from climate-related disasters and their consequences*

14.00 – 16.30

High-Level Advisory Group on Countering Terrorism and Violent Extremism\*  
*Zoom*

**Tuesday, 18 May 2021**

14.00 – 16.30

**Standing Committee on Sustainable Development**

Adoption of resolution on *Mainstreaming digitalization and the circular economy to achieve the SDGs, particularly responsible consumption and production*

14.00 – 16.30

**Standing Committee on Democracy and Human Rights**

Debate on *Legislation worldwide to combat online sexual child exploitation*

\* *closed session*

Assembly meetings

**Tuesday, 18 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 Sub-Committee on Finance\*  
*Zoom*

**Wednesday, 19 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 **Executive Committee\***  
*Zoom*

**Thursday, 20 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 **Executive Committee\***  
*Zoom*

**Monday, 24 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 **Governing Council**

**Tuesday, 25 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 **Governing Council**

**Wednesday, 26 May 2021**

10.00 – 13.00 ASGP Meeting - *The role and organization of parliaments in a time of pandemic*

14.00 – 17.00 **Assembly**  
Interactive debate on overall theme *Overcoming the pandemic today and building a better tomorrow: the role of parliaments*  
Video messages

**Thursday, 27 May 2021**

10.00 – 13.00 ASGP Meeting - *The role and organization of parliaments in a time of pandemic*

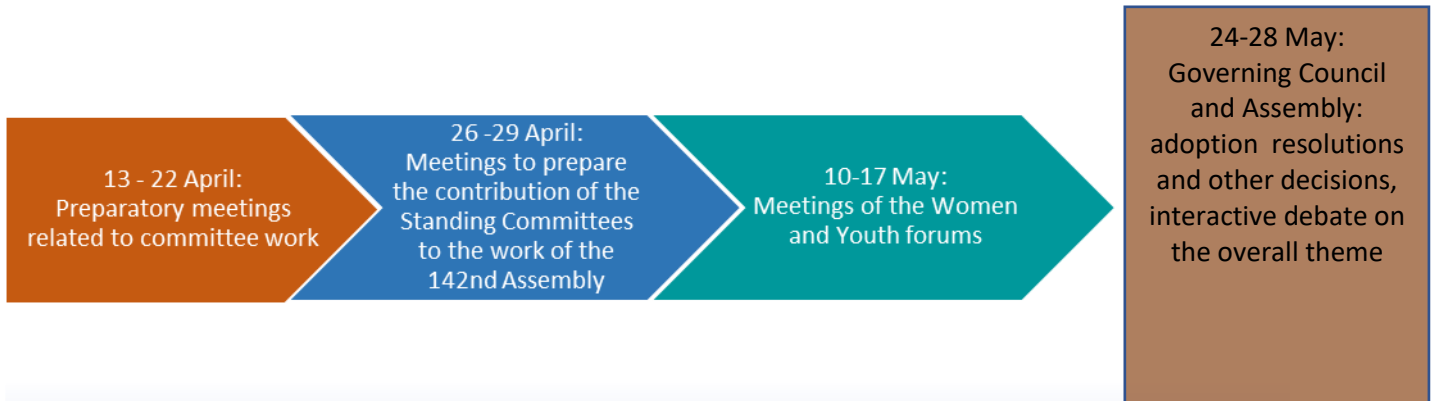
14.00 – 17.00 **Assembly**  
Adoption of Resolutions  
Reports by Standing Committees  
Adoption of outcome document

**Friday, 28 May 2021**

14.00 – 17.00 **Governing Council** (if required)

\* *closed session*

## MAIN TIMELINES FOR THE ADOPTION OF DECISIONS AT THE 142<sup>ND</sup> IPU ASSEMBLY



### *Timeline for the preparation of the resolutions*

12 March 2021	Revised resolutions posted on the IPU website / request for amendments sent
2 April 2021	Deadline for Member Parliaments to submit written amendments to the draft resolutions
12 April 2021	Amendments posted on the IPU website and provided to the Drafting Committee members
22 April 2021	Meetings of the Drafting Committees
23 April 2021	Revised draft resolution sent to IPU Member Parliaments Start of the 15-day silence procedure
17 May 2021	Meeting of the Standing Committee on Peace and Security to formally announce the result of the silence procedure
18 May 2021	Meeting of the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development to formally announce the result of the silence procedure

### *Timeline for the choice of a subject item*

12 March 2021	Request for subject items sent
2 April 2021	Deadline for Member Parliaments to submit subject items
13 April 2021	Meetings of the Bureau of the Standing Committee on Peace and Security and the Bureau of the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development
23 April 2021	Subject item proposals sent to IPU Member Parliaments Start of the 15-day silence procedure
17 May 2021	Meeting of the Standing Committee on Peace and Security to formally announce the result of the silence procedure
18 May 2021	Meeting of the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development to formally announce the result of the silence procedure