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## Forum of Young Parliamentarians

### Provisional agenda

Monday, 14 October 2024, 14:30 – 17:30  
Room Plenary A

- 1. Adoption of the agenda**
- 2. Opening remarks**
- 3. Marking the tenth anniversary of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians**

The Forum will mark its tenth anniversary. Participants will review developments over the years since the inception of the Forum and will share thoughts on prospects for the next decade.
- 4. Updates on youth participation**

The Forum will take stock of recent developments in youth participation in parliament. The young parliamentarians will reflect on successes and current challenges, draw conclusions and make recommendations. They will be informed of recent and upcoming IPU activities in support of youth participation.
- 5. Contribution to the work of the 149th Assembly**

In line with the objective of the Forum to mainstream youth perspectives in the work and decisions of the Assembly, members of the Forum will exchange views from a youth perspective on:

  - the theme of the General Debate of the 149th Assembly
  - the draft resolution under consideration at the 149th Assembly, entitled *The impact of artificial intelligence on democracy, human rights and the rule of law*, to be considered by the Standing Committee on Democracy and Human Rights.
- 6. Q&A session: Taking the *I Say Yes to Youth in Parliament!* campaign to the next level**

The *I Say Yes to Youth in Parliament!* campaign calls on parliamentarians and others to make one or more of the six pledges identified by young MPs to be most impactful in enhancing youth participation in parliament. Participants will take stock of the campaign's implementation and discuss future orientation for further impact and success.

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**7. Preparations for the 150th Assembly (April 2025)**

As per usual practice, the Forum will prepare for the 150th Assembly by discussing from a youth perspective the forthcoming resolutions on the agenda of the IPU Standing Committees: *The role of parliaments in advancing a two-State solution in Palestine*, to be considered by the Standing Committee on Peace and International Security; and *Parliamentary strategies to mitigate the long-lasting impact of conflict, including armed conflicts, on sustainable development*, to be considered by the Standing Committee on Sustainable Development. The members of the Forum will be invited to approve the appointment of a rapporteur nominated by the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians to provide a youth overview report on each of these subjects to the respective Standing Committee.

**8. Elections to the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians**

The Forum will hold elections to fill vacancies on the Board of the Forum of Young Parliamentarians.

**9. Any other business**

**A special session for a special anniversary  
(Wednesday, 16 October 2024, 14:30 – 16:30, CICG)**

In line with its objectives to build bridges with youth organizations and reach out to young people involved in politics, the Forum of Young Parliamentarians will host an Open Session, bringing together young MPs and youth representatives. The Open Session will aim to make the Forum known among youth groups and representatives from different sectors and facilitate an exchange of views and experiences on youth participation now and in the future.