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Highlights of the day

**09:30 Address by the President of Uzbekistan,
H.E. Mr. Shavkat Mirziyoyev**

**12:00 Launch of the IPU's new gender equality
campaign**

SPECIAL MEASURES

Please be advised that strict security measures will be put in place in the morning of **Monday, 7 April**, when the President of Uzbekistan, His Excellency Mr. Shavkat Mirziyoyev, will address the IPU Assembly (09:30 to 10:30).

Only those persons bearing badges with the silver security sticker (added to the badges of all delegates registered by 3 April) will be allowed entry to the Congress Centre that day. Unfortunately, should you forget your badge or have registered late and do not have the security sticker, you will not be allowed entry to the Congress Centre on this day. **Please also make sure also to carry your passport.**

Please note that the doors to the Plenary Hall will be closed during the President's address.

All delegates are kindly invited to be seated in the Plenary Hall by 09:00 at the latest. Speakers of Parliament will have assigned seating in the front of the Plenary Hall and will be invited to a group photo after the address.

Delegations are kindly requested to enter the Plenary Hall with the number of delegates corresponding to the number of seats allocated to their delegation. No standing will be allowed. Other delegates who do not have access to the Plenary Hall may follow the proceedings from the spillover room (Congress Centre Ballroom, Level 1).

Time	Meeting	Place
08:00 – 09:00	Assembly Steering Committee (closed session)	Hilton Hotel Bilateral Room 4 (Level 2)
09:00 – 10:30	Bureau of the Standing Committee on United Nations Affairs (closed session)	Hilton Hotel Ballroom
09:00 – 13:00	Assembly	Congress Centre Multifunctional Hall (Level 1)
09:30	- Address by the President of Uzbekistan, H.E. Mr. Shavkat Mirziyoyev	
10:30	- Continuation of the General Debate	
12:00	- Special segment on gender equality featuring the launch of a new IPU gender campaign, new gender publications from the IPU and partners, and a celebration of the 40th anniversary of the Forum of Women Parliamentarians	
10:00 – 12:30	ASGP meeting	Fairmont Hotel Ballroom (Level 2)
10:30 – 13:00	Standing Committee on Peace and International Security - Completion of drafting in plenary of the draft resolution	Opera Hall
10:30 – 13:00	Committee to Promote Respect for International Humanitarian Law (closed session)	Congress Centre Concert Hall (Level 1)
10:30 – 13:00	Committee on the Human Rights of Parliamentarians (closed session)	Congress Centre Conference Room 6 (Level 2)
11:30 – 13:00	Standing Committee on United Nations Affairs - Discussion on <i>The UN field presence in support of national development: The case of Uzbekistan</i>	Hilton Hotel Ballroom
11:30 – 13:30	Advisory Group on Health (English only) (closed session)	Congress Centre Conference Room 5 (Level 1)
13:00 – 14:30	Workshop on Enhancing parliamentary communication and advocacy for climate action	Congress Centre Concert Hall (Level 1)

14:00 – 17:00	Task Force on the peaceful resolution of the war in Ukraine (closed session)	Congress Centre Conference Room 5 (Level 1)
14:30 – 17:30	Standing Committee on Democracy and Human Rights - Preparatory debate on the next resolution of the Standing Committee: <i>Recognizing and supporting the victims of illegal international adoption and taking measures to prevent this practice</i> - Follow-up on implementation of the 2023 resolution on <i>Orphanage trafficking: The role of parliaments in reducing harm</i>	Hilton Hotel Ballroom
14:30 – 17:30	Working Group on Science and Technology (closed session)	Congress Centre Conference Room 6 (Level 2)
14:30 – 18:30	Standing Committee on Sustainable Development - Drafting in plenary of the draft resolution	Opera Hall
14:30 – 18:30	Assembly - Continuation of the General Debate - Vote on the emergency item	Congress Centre Multifunctional Hall (Level 1)
15:00 – 16:30	Workshop on Tackling weapons of mass destruction: A humanitarian perspective	Fairmont Hotel Ballroom (Level 2)
20:00 – 21:30	Reception offered by the President of the Forum of Women Parliamentarians (for women delegates)	Intercontinental Hotel

GENERAL INFORMATION

Paper-smart Assembly:

As part of our commitment to sustainability, and in an effort to implement the IPU's paper-smart policy, only a **very limited** number of documents will be printed. Official documents will be available on the **Assembly App and webpage**, and we encourage you to consult them digitally whenever possible.

If you need printed copies, a print-on-demand service is available, from 4 April until 9 April, for delegates to print their own documents as needed. This service is located in the room directly behind the Registration and Information Desk.

Thank you for your cooperation in making this Assembly more environmentally friendly!

COMMUNICATIONS AND PRESS

Publications

Come and browse the latest IPU publications and products on the IPU stand.

Interviews

In line with the IPU's priority theme of the year, we are interested in interviewing you to hear about what action you are taking to advance gender equality.

Media, photos and video

For media enquiries or video footage, please contact press@ipu.org.

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For a safer, more responsible and respectful Assembly

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Reach out to the Policy focal points:

Andrée Lorber, Director of Support Services
and/or

Kareen Jabre, Director of Programmes

Write to: speakout@ipu.org

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