

AGENDA

UN Inter-Agency Support Group on Indigenous Peoples Issues Annual Meeting NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 21-23, 2011

Venue: UNFPA, Headquarters, 605 Third Avenue, New York
Conference Room: Meeting Hall- 5th Floor

Expected Results:

In line with the mandate of the IASG to enhance inter-agency cooperation on indigenous peoples issues the 2011 Annual Meeting will obtain the following expected results:

1. Shared substantive information on the work of UNFPA and other UN agencies related to the field of population and development issues as key dimensions for advancing the human rights and well-being of indigenous peoples.
2. IASG members updated on agencies' advances regarding the recommendations of the PFII's sessions, highlighting main opportunities and challenges.
3. To have increased the effectiveness of the work of the IASG through the identification of areas of joint collaboration and key advocacy efforts.

DAY ONE – 21 NOVEMBER 2011 Thematic Sessions: Population, Development Issues and Indigenous Peoples		
TIME	AGENDA ITEMS	SPEAKERS/PANELISTS
8:45AM-9:15AM	BREAKFAST	
OPENING CEREMONY		
9:15am-9:45am	Welcoming and Opening Statement by UNFPA Opening statement by the Chair of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNFPA • Dr. Myrna Cunningham - Kain
SESSION 1 – Population Dynamics, Housing and Indigenous Peoples		
9:45am-10:30am	Indigenous Peoples and Population Dynamics: Global and regional highlights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ralph Hakkert, UNFPA Technical Advisor • Fabiana del Popolo, Technical Specialist, ECLAC on behalf of ECLAC and UNFPA LACRO
10:30am-11:00am	Discussion	
11:00am-11:20am	Sustainable urban development and the right to adequate housing: challenges and opportunities for the protection and fulfillment of Indigenous peoples' rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christophe Lalande, Human Settlements Officer, UN-Habitat
11:20am-11:45am	Discussion and coffee	
SESSION 2 – Data and Indicators for Evidence-Based Policies and Programmes		
11:45am-12:10pm	Findings of the International Seminar on Census 2010 and Indigenous Peoples of Latin America: the use of information for recognizing indigenous peoples and for public policy – Amparo Morales, Fund for the Development of Indigenous Peoples of Latin America and the Caribbean on behalf of the Fondo Indígena, the PFII, UNFPA, UNICEF and ECLAC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amparo Morales, Fund for the Development of Indigenous Peoples of Latin America and the Caribbean on behalf of the Fondo Indígena, the PFII, UNFPA, UNICEF and ECLAC
12:10pm-12:30pm	Indicators for monitoring Indigenous Peoples Rights - Advances of the Working Group on Indicators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antti Korkeakivi, OHCHR
12:30pm-1:00pm	Discussion	
1:00PM-2:00PM	LUNCH	
SESSION 3 – The UNDRIP and Advancing Legal Frameworks for Indigenous Peoples at Country Level		

2:00pm-2:30pm	Advancing Laws on Indigenous Peoples Rights – The case of Congo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Lawson, UNFPA Representative for Congo on behalf of UNCT Congo • Comments from Beatrice Duncan and Antti Korkeakivi
2:30pm-3:00pm	Discussion	
SESSION 4 - Towards Rio + 20: Panel on Indigenous Peoples and the Environment		
3:00pm-4:00pm	Towards Rio + 20: Panel on Indigenous Peoples and the Environment	<u>Panellists:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dra. Myrna Cunningham, Chairperson of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues • Juanita Castano, UNEP • Eileen de Ravin, UNDP
4:00pm-4:30pm	Discussion and coffee	
SESSION 5 - MDGs, Poverty Reduction and Indigenous Peoples		
4:30pm-6:00pm	Panel on Accelerating achievement of the MDGs and Poverty Reduction Strategies and Programmes for Addressing the Rights of Indigenous Peoples	<u>Panellists:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chandra Roy-Henriksen, Secretariat-PFII • Navin Rai, World Bank • Antonella Cordone, IFAS • Marijke Velzeboer, PAHO • Julia Kercher, UNDP
6:00pm-6:30pm	Discussion	
DAY TWO – 22 NOVEMBER 2011 Continuation of Thematic Sessions		
8:45AM-9:15AM	BREAKFAST	
SESSION 6 - Advancing Reproductive Health and Rights of Indigenous Women		
9:15am-9:45am	Standard setting regarding an Intercultural Approach to Health as a Right of Indigenous Peoples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Javier Vasquez, Human Rights Advisor, PAHO
9:45am -11:00am	Panel on Advancing Reproductive Rights and Health of Indigenous Women in Latin America, Africa and Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empowering Andean women for increasing access to health care: • Sexual and Reproductive Health of Indigenous Women in Africa: The cases of Congo and Central African Republic • Highlights of addressing the needs of Indigenous Peoples and Ethnic Minorities in Asia: The cases of Philippines and Vietnam 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martha Murdock – Family Care International (FCI), on behalf of UNFPA LACRO, Enlace Continental de Mujeres Indígenas de las Américas and FCI • David Lawson, UNFPA Representative for Congo • Therese Zeba, UNFPA Representative for the Central African Republic • Lin Yanming, UNFPA Regional Desk Adviser for Asia and the Pacific
11:00am-11:30am	Discussion on the Right to Health and Reproductive Health and Coffee	
SESSION 7 - Gender Equality: A key issue for advancing human rights and development of indigenous women		
11:30am-11:50am	Empowering Indigenous Women in Latin America and strengthening leaderships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amparo Morales, Fondo Indígena
11:50am-12:15pm	Discussion	
12:15pm-1:00pm	Panel on Advancing the Rights of Indigenous Children and Adolescents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addressing the rights of Indigenous Children • Abriendo Oportunidades: Empowering Adolescent Girls in Guatemala: A Good Practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beatrice Duncan, UNICEF • Sonia Martinelli - Heckadon, UNFPA
1:00pm-1:30pm	Discussion	
1:30PM-2:30PM	LUNCH	
SESSION 8 - Responding to the Recommendations of the Permanent Forum's Sessions, highlighting opportunities and challenges		
2:30pm-3:00pm	Briefing on the rollout of the undg Guidelines on Indigenous Peoples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chandra Roy-Henriksen, Secretariat-PFII

	Issues Report on Training and Technical support (Action Plan/Management Committee)	
3:00pm-3:45pm	Briefing on the follow up of the UNPFII's Country Missions and example from the Bolivia UNCT in the Alto Parapetí	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jaime Nadal, UNFPA Representative of Bolivia, on behalf of the Interagency Culture Theme Group of the UNS Secretariat of the PFII
3:45pm-4:15pm	Discussion and Coffee	
4:15pm-4:45pm	Report on the HRC's work on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, the work of the Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the Special Rapporteur's for Indigenous Peoples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antti Korkeakivi, OHCHR
4:45pm-5:00pm	Discussion	
5:00pm-5:20pm	Report on the status of the FAO Policy on Indigenous and Tribal Peoples, based on activities from FAO's Working Group on Indigenous Peoples Issues and response to 2011 PFII Session Recommendations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brennen Haylock, FAO
5:20pm-5:40pm	Update on the IPAF Call for Proposals and joint collaboration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antonella Cordone, IFAD
5:40pm-6:00pm	Joint Report on the work of UNIPP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antti Korkeakivi, OHCHR Beatriz Fernández, UNDP
6:00pm-6:30pm	Discussion on the last three reports	
6:30PM	COCKTAIL HOSTED BY UNFPA	
DAY THREE – 23 NOVEMBER 2011 Responding to the Recommendations of the Permanent Forum's Sessions, Highlighting Opportunities and Challenges		
8:30AM-9:00AM	BREAKFAST	
SESSION 9 - Reporting on Environmental Issues and Indigenous Peoples		
9:00am-9:30am	Report on the Nagoya Protocol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> John Scott, Secretariat of the Commission for Biological Diversity
9:30am-9:50am	Report on the Global Registry of Indigenous and Community Conserved Areas (ICCAs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Terence Hay – Edie, GEF UNDP and also on behalf of UNEP
9:50am-10:10am	Report on UN REDD and FPIC Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nina Kantcheva, UNDP
10:10am-10:30am	Report on Nomadic herders and adaptation to Climate Change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Andrea Vandom, UNEP
10:30am-11:00am	Discussions and coffee	
SESSION 10 - Exchange with the Members of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Peoples Issues and its Secretariat		
11:00am-11:30am	Stocktaking of the work modality of "review – years" and to the recommendations of previous sessions of UNPFII	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PF Experts and Secretariat
11:30am-12:00pm	Update on the World Indigenous Conference.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNPFII
12:00pm-12:30pm	Preparations towards the XIth Session of the PFII –including inputs from IASG Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IASG Members
12:30pm-2:00pm	Identifying recommendations for enhancing joint collaboration and key advocacy positioning initiatives for 2012 among the IASG members.	Session Chair: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sonia Martinelli-Heckadon, UNFPA
2:00pm-2:15pm	Closing of the Annual Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Werner Haug, Technical Division Director
2:15PM	LUNCHEON HOSTED BY UNFPA	