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Special Events and other Parallell Events at the Sixth Session of the United Nations Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues			
TIME	Title of Event	Organizer	Location
Week One			
Monday 14 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Presentación de "La nueva política de la cooperación española con los pueblos indígenas"	Agencia Española de Cooperación Internacional (AECI)	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion on Violence Against Women	Organizer: UNIFEM Co-sponsors: FIMI, MADRE, Amnesty International, CWGL, Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Film Screening of the work-in-progress video "Discussions on the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples" followed by Q&A. Preceded by cultural presentation.	Organizer: Society of Threatened Peoples International and Earth Peoples Co-sponsors: NGO Committee Decade of the World's Indigenous Peoples, NGO Committee on Human Rights, Amnesty International, International Indian Treaty Council, OHCHR and SPFII	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Consultation on the General Comment on Indigenous Child Rights	Sub Group on Indigenous	DC2-23rd Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
5:30 p.m.	Reception	National Geographic	Lobby at Visitor's Entrance
6:20 p.m.	All Roads film screening	National Geographic	Conference Room 4
10:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	"We the Indigenous Peoples: Self/Portraits" - A photo project with and for indigenous peoples. For more information, see here .	Organizer: Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues	United Nation Club Room (GA-37)
Tuesday, 15 May			
8:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m.	Breakfast Briefing : Be seen, be heard: Indigenous Youth participation in development	Youth Unit / DESA	DC2-13th. Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion: Isolated Indigenous peoples and in initial contact of the Amazonian Basin and the Great Chaco	Organizer: Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) Co-sponsor: IWGIA	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion: Using ILO Convention No. 111 to combat discrimination of traditional occupations; rights to lands, territories and resources	International Labour Organization (ILO)	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion: Earth, Water and Life: Indigenous Perspectives on Climate Change	Organizer: Seventh Generation Fund for Indian Development Co-sponsors: American Indian Law Alliance, Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribal College at Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Confederación de Nacionalidades Indígenas del Ecuador (CONAIE), Indigenous Network on Economies and Trade, Tonatierra, and Seventh Generation Fund	Conference Room 7
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: Land –An essential resource for Indigenous Peoples: A Tale of Loss and Recovery	Organizer: International Federation of Social Workers and VIVAT International Co-sponsors: American Indian Alaska Native Social Work Educators Association, International Association of Schools of Social Work, Human Settlements NGO Committee, Tribal Link Foundation, NGO Committee on	DC2-19th. Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street

		Indigenous Issues, Sunray Meditation Society, International Association of the Sisters of the Presentation.	
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: Perspectives on indigenous land management in Australia	Australian Mission to the United Nations	Conference Room 6
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Welcome and Opening of the Indigenous exhibit (Programme)	Organizers: Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA Co-sponsors: UN Department of Public Information and NGO Committee Decade of the World's Indigenous Peoples.	UN Visitors Lobby
Wednesday, 16 May			
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. EN/ES	Workshop on Indigenous Peoples' Rights, Genetic resources and Indigenous Knowledge in the Convention on Biological Diversity and World Intellectual Property Organization	Organizer: Indigenous Peoples Council on Biocolonialism (IPBC) Co-sponsors: International Indian Treaty Council (IITC), Indigenous Youth Association of Argentina, Foundation for the Promotion of Indigenous Knowledge, Call of the Earth Llamado de la Tierra.	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Launching of IWGIA's yearbook "The Indigenous World 2007"	International Work Group for Indigenous Affairs (IWGIA)	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	The Protection of Traditional Knowledge, Genetic Resources and Traditional Cultural Expressions as Resources of Indigenous Peoples: Update on WIPO/ILO/Maasai Cultural Heritage Foundation Partnership	World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)	Conference Room 8
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Inter-active Dialogue on Recent Trends in Lands, Territories and Resources in Asia	Organizer: UNDP-Regional Indigenous Peoples Programme (UNDP-RIPP) Co-sponsors: Tebtebba Foundation, Aliansi Masyarakat Adat Nusantara (AMAN), Asia Indigenous Peoples Pact (AIPP), Cordillera Peoples Alliance (CPA).	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES/FR	Panel discussion: Resolving Indigenous Land Claims: The Canadian Approach	Government of Canada – Department of Indian and Northern Affairs	Conference Room 7
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Presentation by the President of the Sámi Parliament of Norway on a Nordic Sámi Convention	Permanent Mission of Norway to the United Nations	Conference Room 6
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Film Screening: Our Land, Our Life	Western Shoshone Defense Project, Indigenous Environmental Network	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Mediation and Movies: An interactive introduction to resolving land disputes	Bahá'í International Community	DC2-23rd Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel sobre "La siembra del Carbón en las comunidades", Mejores prácticas de responsabilidad social de la empresa carbonífera venezolana.	Organizer: Fundación Wayuunaiki, CARBOZULIA Co-sponsors: Fundación Wayuunaiki, Fundación Anamiachón, Consejo Comunal Indígena Campo Moga- Venezuela	DC2-19th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Gua'Bunaha - Our Way: 'Jumping Over' stories for Environmental and Human Health - Bauxite and Cassava Cultural Resource Development Management at "the-Place-Where-There-is-no-Bridge"	Organizer: Gua'Bunaha: Indigenous Learning and Teaching Circle Co-sponsor: ENLACE Continental Network of Indigenous Women, Maroon Secretariat and Rupestrian CyberServices.	DC2-12th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
Thursday, 17 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Indigenous women's conversation with the Special Rapporteurs of Human Rights Council	Organizer: Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Recognizing, Protecting and Managing Indigenous Territories in the Brazilian Amazon, experience of the PPTAL Project	Organizer: German Agency for technical Cooperation (GTZ) Co-sponsors: BMZ (German Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, KfW Development Bank, FUNAI (Fundação Nacional do Índio/National Indian Foundation, Ministry of Justice, Brazil), Coordination of the Indigenous Organizations of the Brazilian Amazon / Coordenação das Organizações Indígenas da Amazônia Brasileira (COIAB).	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on "Indicators of well-being and sustainability"	Tebtebba Foundation and Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Indigenous Peoples' Communication for Development: A Roundtable Discussion	Organizers: UNITAR Co-sponsor: FAO and Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: Indigenous management of traditional territories and natural resources: Three Asia Pacific cases	Organizer: Indigenous Peoples of the Pacific alliance (IPPA) Co-sponsors: The Ingrid Washinawatok El-Issa Flying Eagle Woman Fund for Peace, Justice and Sovereignty.	DC2-19th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
6:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Panel discussion: The Birth of Human Rights: Indigenous contact with Europe and the origin of International Law	Organizer: The Flying Eagle Women Fund and the American Indian Community House. Co-sponsor: Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Church Center 777 UN Plaza, 2nd Floor (44th Street & 1st Avenue)
Friday, 18 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Launching of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People Final Report	Organizer: Mexico Nación Multicultural Programme – Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM) Co-sponsor: Rigoberta Menchú Tum Foundation	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on "Indigenous Peoples and land rights movements"	Organizers: International Land Coalition / IFAD, Letola Trust, Congolese Union of Indigenous Women (UEFA) and Mainyito Pastoralists Integrated Development Organization (MPIDO)	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion among Indigenous Women of the Americas (Abya-Yala)	Organizer: Seventh Generation Fund for Indian Development Co-sponsors: American Indian Law Alliance (AILA), Asociacion de Comunidades Indigenas (ACOIN), Instituto Cientifico de Culturas Indigenas (ICCI), Seventh Generation Fund (SGF), Native Women's Advocacy Center.	Conference Room 7
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Launching of the Manual "Indigenous Peoples and Human Rights" and presentation of the Indigenous Fellowship Programme, Spanish speaking programme	Organizer: Human Rights Institute, Deusto University. Co-sponsors: Indigenous Fellowship Programme, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights of United Nations (OHCHR); Indigenous Programme, Agencia Española de Cooperación Internacional (AECI)	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on Treaties, agreements and constructive arrangements: International legal instruments for defending and affirming Indigenous Peoples' Rights to land, territories and natural resources	Organizer: International Indian Treaty Council (IITC) Co-sponsor: Confederacy of Treaty Six First Nations	DC2-23rd Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Indigenous education: Towards a global initiative on the importance of indigenous (local) languages and cultures in education	Organizers: Pioneer People Trust Co-sponsors: International Network for Development, SIL International	DC2-19th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
6:30 p.m.	Honoring Ingrid Washinawatok El-Issa Opetaw-Metaehmoh - Flying Eagle Woman 1957-199	Organizers: Flying Eagle Woman Fund Co-sponsors: American Indian Community House, SPFII	Church Center 777 UN Plaza, 2nd Floor (44th Street & 1st Avenue)
Week Two			
Monday, 21 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES/ FR/RU	Presentation of the Trust Fund for the Second International Decade of the World's Indigenous People	Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Launching of the International Indigenous Internet Portal	Organizer: Indigenous ICT Task Force Co-sponsors: Incomindios Switzerland, Na Koa Ikaika I ka Lahui Hawaii	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Seminar on Traditional Indigenous Knowledge	Organizer: Lauravetlian Information and Education Network of Indigenous Peoples (LIENIP) Co-sponsors: University of California in Los Angeles, UCLA Center for Information as Evidence	Conference Room D
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: The Humanitarian and human rights situation of Indigenous Peoples in Colombia	Organizer: Native Women's Association of Canada Co-sponsors: Organización Nacional Indígena de Colombia (ONIC), Inter Pares.	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: Empowerment of indigenous youth using media technology	Aang Serian Media Drum Project and Earth Peoples	DC2-13th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street

Tuesday, 22 May			
11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion on Shamanism, traditional medicine and the maintenance of biodiversity	Organizer: Yurta Mira Co-sponsor: Noble Institution for Environmental Peace	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on Indigenous Women, Lands, territories and resources	Organizer: Tebtebba Foundation Co-sponsor: Asian Indigenous Women's Network (AIWN)	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion: Indigenous writers on writing	Muhlenberg College	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion: State of Indigenous Languages	International Organization of Indigenous Resources Development	DC2-23rd Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Multigenerational legacies of trauma in Indigenous Peoples	International Society for Traumatic Studies	DC2-12th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Indigenous Peoples' Arts and Craft Fair	Organizer: The United Nations Methodist Office for the UN, American Indian Law Alliance Co-sponsor: Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues	Church Center 777 UN Plaza, Floor 2nd. Floor
Wednesday, 23 May			
10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	Panel discussion: Co-management of natural resources on ancestral lands	Assembly of First Nations of Quebec and Labrador	Conference Room 2
11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. EN/ES	Dialogue for the Future: Indigenous entrepreneurship, opportunities and challenges	Organizer: Tribal Link Foundation Co-sponsor: UNDP Equator Initiative, The GEF Small Grants Programme and Aveda.	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on The critical state of First Nations Languages in Canada	Organizer: Assembly of First Nations Co-sponsor: The Department of Canadian Heritage, Government of Canada	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel presentation on the Agenda for the accomplishment of indigenous children rights in Ecuador	Organizer: Confederación de los Pueblos de Nacionalidad Kichwa del Ecuador (ECUARUNARI)/ CONAIE Co-sponsor: UNICEF -Ecuador	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	New Indigenous Voices 2007: "Ephemera: Reconciliation Monologues"	Organizer : Australian Aboriginal Theater Initiative (AATI) Co-sponsor: Eora College of Aboriginal Studies, Centre for Visual & Performing Arts (Sydney, Australia)	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Panel discussion on the follow-up of the World Summit on Information Society with focus on economic development	Organizer: International Organization of Indigenous Resources Development Co-sponsor: IORD, AFN of Treaties 6, 7 and 8 Alberta.	Conference Room D
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Part I "Survival of the Forgotten -2007" the revealing of the Ethiopian World Federation Ecological, sustainable model city	Organizer: Ethiopian World Federation Co-sponsors: Moorish National Republic, Roots and Culture Productions, Arts International, Binay Society and Washita Nation.	DC2-23rd Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Indigenous Peoples' Arts and Craft Fair	Organizer: The United Nations Methodist Office for the UN, American Indian Law Alliance Co-sponsor: Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues	Church Center 777 UN Plaza, Floor 2nd. Floor
Thursday, 24 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Launching of the book "Indigenous Women and the United Nations System" and the Briefing Notes on "Gender and Indigenous Peoples"	Organizers: Task Force on Indigenous Women / IANGWE Co-sponsors: OSAGI and Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Conference Room 2
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	How to advocate for indigenous peoples' rights at the United Nations	First Nations Development Institute / First Peoples Worldwide	Conference Room 9
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Film screening: Being a Rapanui in Chile	Rapanui Parliament	Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Part II "Resisting Soul Assimilation" in order to preserve Indigenous lands, territories and natural resources	Ethiopian World Federation	DC2-19th Floor Conference Room 2 UN Plaza, 44th Street
Friday, 25 May			
1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. EN/ES	Panel discussion on Funding for Indigenous Women's Rights	Organizer: International Indigenous Women's Forum FIMI Co-sponsor: MADRE, AWIDA, Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (SPFII) –DESA	Conference Room 9