



# HIGH-LEVEL CONFERENCE ON **COUNTER-TERRORISM**

#UNitetoCounterTerrorism

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New York



## UNITED NATIONS HIGH-LEVEL CONFERENCE OF HEADS OF COUNTER-TERRORISM AGENCIES OF MEMBER STATES

*Strengthening International Cooperation to Combat the  
Evolving Threat of Terrorism*

### PROGRAMME



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## DAY I – THURSDAY 28 JUNE 2018

10:00 – 10:30

**High-level Session:  
Mobilising international cooperation to combat the evolving  
threat of terrorism**

**Introduction by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov**, Under-Secretary-General  
of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

**Keynote address**

- **H.E. Mr. António Guterres**, Secretary-General of the United Nations

**Other speakers**

- **H.E. Mr. Kai Sauer**, Permanent Representative of Finland to the United Nations and Co-Facilitator of the Sixth Review of the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy
- **H.E. Ms. Sima Bahous**, Permanent Representative of Jordan to the United Nations and Co-Facilitator of the Sixth Review of the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy

10:30 – 13:00

**Session I: Opportunities and challenges in strengthening  
international cooperation through the sharing of information,  
expertise and resources**

**Chairperson of the Inter-Governmental Session**

- **Ms. Michèle Coninsx**, Assistant Secretary-General and Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate, United Nations

**Statements from Heads of Delegations** from Member States, international and regional organizations and United Nations entities. The speakers list will follow standard United Nations rules. **Each statement will be a maximum of four minutes.**

13:00 – 15:00

*Lunch Break*



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15:00 – 18:00 **Session II: Combatting the evolving threat from Foreign Terrorist Fighters**

#### Chairperson of the Inter-Governmental Session

- **Mr. Jürgen Stock**, Secretary-General of INTERPOL

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18:30 – 20:30 **Reception hosted by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov**, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

## DAY II – FRIDAY 29 JUNE 2018

10:00 – 13:00 **Session III: Strengthening global action to prevent violent extremism, including by engaging youth and preventing misuse of new technologies and the Internet by terrorists**

#### Chairperson of the Session

- **Mr. Achim Steiner**, Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme

**Statements from civil society organizations** from each of the five United Nations Regional Groups of Member States.

**Statements from Heads of Delegations** from Member States, international and regional organizations and United Nations entities. The speakers list will follow standard United Nations rules. **Each statement will be a maximum of four minutes.**

13:00 – 15:00 *Lunch Break*

15:00 – 17:30 **Session IV: Strengthening the role and capacity of the United Nations to support Member States to implement the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy**

#### Co-Chairpersons of the Session

- **Mr. Vladimir Voronkov**, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations



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- **Ms. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka**, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director of UN Women
- **Mr. Yury Fedotov**, Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
- **Dr. Fang Liu**, Secretary General of the International Civil Aviation Organization

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17:30 – 18:00

## **Closing Session**

**Introduction by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov**, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

## **Chair's Summary and closing remarks**

- **H.E. Mr. António Guterres**, Secretary-General of the United Nations