

	Monday, 30 Jan.	Tuesday, 31 Jan.	Wednesday, 1 Feb.	Thursday, 2 Feb.	Friday, 3 Feb.
10:00am - 1:00pm		Civil Society Forum	<p>Opening of the session</p> <p>Agenda item 1: Election of officers – election of the Chair and Vice-Chairs from the African and Asia-Pacific States; designation of Rapporteur</p> <p><i>Introductory Statements:</i> President of the General Assembly President of the Economic and Social Council Assistant Secretary- General for Economic Development</p> <p>Agenda item 2: Adoption of agenda and other organizational matters</p> <p>Introduction of agenda item 3: Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the 24th special session of the General Assembly:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Priority theme: Strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all (b) Review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons (ii) Standard Rules on Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities (iii) World Programme of Action for Youth (iv) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002 (v) Family issues, policies and programmes (c) Emerging issues: <i>“Promoting Integrated Policies for Poverty Eradication: Youth Development in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.”</i> <p>Presentation of the outcome of the Civil Society Forum held on 30 – 31 January 2017</p> <p>Presentation by a Youth Representative</p> <p>Item 3 (a): General discussion begins</p>	<p>Item 3 (c): <i>Emerging issues</i> High-level panel discussion on <i>“Promoting Integrated Policies for Poverty Eradication: Youth Development in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.”</i></p>	<p>Item 3 (b): High-level panel discussion on <i>“Leaving no one behind: poverty and disability”</i></p>
3:00pm - 6:00pm	Opening of the Civil Society Forum	Civil Society Forum	<p>High- level panel discussion on the priority theme: <i>“Strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all”</i></p>	<p>Item 3 (a): General discussion continued</p>	<p>Item 3 (b): General discussion begins</p>

	Monday, 6 Feb.	Tuesday, 7 Feb.	Wednesday, 8 Feb.	Thursday, 9 Feb.	Friday, 10 Feb.
10:00am - 1:00pm	<p>Item 3 (a): General discussion continued and concluded</p> <p>Item 3 (b): General discussion continued</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction of draft proposals 2. Action on draft proposals
3:00pm - 6:00pm	<p>Item 4: Programme questions and other matters</p> <p>(a) Proposed programme of work of the Secretariat for the biennium 2018- 2019;</p> <p>(b) United Nations Research Institute for Social Development</p> <p>Item 3 (b): General discussion continued and concluded</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Deadline for submission of draft proposals</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p>	<p>Informal consultations</p> <p>(No formal meeting)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction of draft proposals 2. Action on draft proposals 3. Adoption of the provisional agenda for the 56th session of the Commission 4. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its 55th session 5. Closure of the 55th session 6. Opening of the 56th session

(Proposed organization of work as of 17 January 2017)