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Baku, Azerbaijan, 25-27 April 2016

“Living Together In Inclusive Societies: A Challenge and A Goal”

DRAFT PROGRAMME (as of April 20 2016)

Note: Collection of Forum ID/badges will be arranged at the Baku Business Center (44,Nefitchiler ave.) from April 23 09:00 through April 25 23:30.

Monday, 25 April 2016

| Time | Event | Venue, Room Number |
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| 09:00 | Departure from hotels to the Forum venue | |
| 09:00-21:00 | Confirmation of accreditation and collection of the Forum ID/badges | Baku Business Center |
| 10:00-11:00 | UNAOC Youth Event <i>(by invitation only)</i> | Baku Convention Centre |
| 11:00-18:00 | UNAOC Youth Event networking sessions | Baku Convention Centre, A1/A2/B1/B2/A7 |
| 14:00-18:00 | Business Symposium | Baku Convention Centre, A6 |
| 17:00-18:00 | Closing of UNAOC Youth Event | Baku Convention Centre, A8 |
| | Business Symposium networking sessions | Baku Convention Centre, A3/A4/A5 |
| 18:00-19:00 | Press Conference | Baku Convention Centre, B5+B6 |
| 19:00-19:30 | Opening of the Marketplace of Ideas and Youth Photo Contest Award Ceremony | Baku Convention Centre |
| 20:30 | Cocktail Reception: Presentation of the book “Me, We, Us” dedicated to Alliance of Civilizations <i>(by invitation only)</i> | JW Marriott Absheron hotel |

Tuesday, 26 April 2016

| Time | Event | Venue |
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| 07:00-09:00 | Departure from the hotels to the Forum's venue | |
| 06:00-09:30 | Collection of ID/badges and security screening | Baku Convention Centre |
| 09:30-10:00 | Family Photo (<i>Heads of Official Delegations</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 10:00-11:00 | The 7th Global Forum Official Opening Ceremony Azerbaijan (Host Government of the Forum) United Nations Secretary-General United Nations High Representative for the Alliance of Civilizations Spain and Turkey (co-sponsors) | Baku Convention Centre, Plenary Hall |
| 11:00-11:30 | Coffee Break | Baku Convention Centre |
| 11:30-13:00 | Plenary Session 1: Platforms and Partnerships for the Prevention of Violent Extremism | Baku Convention Centre, Plenary Hall |
| 13:00-14:30 | Official lunch hosted by the Government of Azerbaijan (<i>by invitation</i>) Lunch (<i>open buffet</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 15:00-18:30 | UNAOC Group of Friends High Level Meeting | Heydar Aliyev Centre (opposite to Baku Convention Centre) |
| 14:30-16:00 | Breakout Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #SpreadNoHate: Sharing Good Practices of Preventing and Countering Hate Speech • Religious Leaders and Violent Extremism: The Challenges of Prevention • Civil Society and Business: Working Together for Peace, Security and Sustainable Development • Global Citizenship Education | Baku Convention Centre, A8 Baku Convention Centre, A6 Baku Convention Centre, B2 Baku Convention Centre, A7 |
| 16:00-16:30 | Coffee Break | Baku Convention Centre |
| 16:30-18:00 | Breakout Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counter-Narratives to Cyber extremism Through Apps and Video Games • Women & Peace-building in Conflict Zones in Africa • Save the Dream: Sport for Peace, Sustainable and Inclusive Development • The Role of Cities in Global Migration | Baku Convention Centre, B2 Baku Convention Centre, A8 Baku Convention Centre, A7 Baku Convention Centre, A6 |

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| 18:00 | Dinner (<i>open buffet</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 19:00-20:30 | Intercultural Innovation Award Ceremony (UNAOC-BMW Group) Azerbaijan Children Orchestra Concert “ Children for Peace” | Heydar Aliyev Centre (opposite to Baku Convention Centre) |
| 21:00-23:30 | Departure from the Forum venues to the hotels | |

Wednesday, 27 April 2016

| Time | Event | Venue |
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| 07:30-08:30 | Departure from the hotels to the Forum’s venue | |
| 09:30-11:00 | UNAOC Group of Friends High Level Meeting (<i>continuation of event</i>) | Heydar Aliyev Centre (opposite to Baku Convention Centre) |
| 09:30-11:00 | <p>Breakout Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constructing Peace, Deconstructing Terror • Reporting in Times of Crisis: Telling Migrant Tales through Creative Storytelling • Youth Participation for Peaceful and Inclusive Societies: the Crucial Role of Partnerships Across Generations and Sectors • Fostering Inclusiveness and Integration through Global Education <p>Networking Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PLURAL+: Celebrating Youth-Produced Media on Migration and Social Inclusion (<i>led by UNAOC and IOM</i>) • Learning to Live Together: the Challenge of Insecurity and Conflict (<i>led by Education Above All</i>) • Alliance of Civilizations and Al-Farabi, A Civilization Philosopher (<i>led by National Turkish Coordination Council of the Alliance of Civilizations</i>) | <p>Baku Convention Centre, A6 Baku Convention Centre, A7</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, B2</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A8</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A1</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A2</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A4+A5</p> |
| 11:00-11:30 | Coffee Break (<i>all participants</i>) Signature of Memoranda of Understanding (<i>Heads of Organizations</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 11:30-13:00 | <p>Breakout Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alumni Showcase: Impact Across UNAOC Pillars • D-Goals of Preventing Violent Extremism through Education: Educating for Development, Diversity and Dialogue • Baku Process: Responding to New Challenge for Global Intercultural Dialogue | <p>Baku Convention Centre, A6 Baku Convention Centre, B2</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A7</p> |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Role of Azerbaijan in Building a Multicultural Society (<i>led by Baku International Multiculturalism Centre</i>) • Media Literacy: Tools for Building Resilience to Violent Extremist Propaganda <p>Networking Sessions (<i>in parallel</i>):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The New Silk Road: A Route of Peace (<i>led by Nexos-Allianza</i>) • Promoting Multicultural Perspectives to Prevent Extremism (<i>led by IRCICA</i>) • Italy and the Alliance of Civilizations: Four Proposals for an Innovative Cultural Dialogue (<i>led by the Government of Italy</i>) | <p>Baku Convention Centre, B1</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A8</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A1</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A3</p> <p>Baku Convention Centre, A2</p> |
| 13:00-13:30 | Press Conference | Baku Convention Centre, B5+B6 |
| 13:00-15:00 | Lunch (<i>open buffet</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 14:30-16:30 | Plenary Session 2: Good Practices in Social Inclusion | Baku Convention Centre, Plenary Hall |
| 16:30-17:00 | <p>Closing Ceremony</p> <p>United Nations High Representative for the Alliance of Civilizations (Outcomes of the Forum)</p> <p>Azerbaijan (Host Government of the Forum)</p> | Baku Convention Centre, Plenary Hall |
| 17:30-19:00 | Dinner (<i>open buffet</i>) | Baku Convention Centre |
| 19:00-19:30 | Departure from the Forum venues to the Heydar Aliyev Palace | |
| 20:00-22:00 | ‘Musical Alliance of Civilizations’ Concert | Heydar Aliyev Palace |