



3 May 2019

6 TO 10 MAY 2019
CENTRE WILLIAM RAPPARD

Programme¹

Monday, 6 May

10.00 – 10.30	Introduction to the Geneva Week , <i>Development Division</i>
10.30 – 10.45	Coffee Break
10.45 – 11.45	Update on Trade Facilitation , <i>Ms Dolores Halloran, Market Access Division</i>
11.45 – 12.30	Briefing on Trade and Gender issues , <i>Ms Mona Shrestha Adhikari, Development Division</i>
12.30 – 13.00	Update on Special and Differential Treatment , <i>Mr Syed Nayyar, Development Division</i>
13.00 – 13.15	Geneva Week Photo Session
13.15 – 15.00	Lunch Break
15.00 – 16.00	World Trade Report 2018 – How digital technologies are transforming global commerce , <i>Ms Ankai Xu, Economic Research and Statics Division</i>
16.00 – 17.00	Briefing on the Aid-for-Trade Global Review 2019 , <i>Mr Michael Roberts, Development Division</i>
17.00 – 18.00	Update on Fisheries Subsidies , <i>Mr John Finn, Rules Division</i>
18.00 – 19.00	Reception for Geneva week participants hosted by DDG Yonov Frederick Agah

¹ This programme may be modified following changes in the schedule of WTO meetings and availability of WTO Secretariat staff.

Tuesday, 7 May

10.00 – 13.00 **General Council², Room CR**

13.00 – 15.00 Lunch Break

15.00 – 18.00 **General Council², Room CR**

Wednesday, 8 May

10.00 – 13.00 **Trade Policy Review Body - Papua New Guinea³, Room W**

13.00 – 15.00 Lunch Break

15.00 – 16.00 **Update on Agriculture, Ms Ulla Kask, Agriculture and Commodities Division**

16.00 – 16.40 **Interactive Session with the Director-General**

16.40 – 17.30 **Briefing by the Commonwealth Small States Office,**
Ms Beatriz Stevens and Ms Kim Kampel

Thursday, 9 May

10.00 – 11.30 **Briefing by the ACP and SVE Coordinators**

11.30 – 12.00 **The 2020-2021 TA plan, Mr Maarten Smeets, Institute for Training and Technical Cooperation**

12.00 – 13.00 **The WTO and World Bank joint publication on Trade and Poverty Reduction, Mr Robert Teh, Ms Adelina Mendoza and Mr Emmanuel Orkoh, Economic Research and Statistics Division**

13.00 – 15.00 Lunch Break

15.00 – 16.00 **Interactive Session with the Chairperson of the General Council,**
H.E. Ms Sunanta Kangvalkulkij

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16.00 – 17.00	Briefing on E-Commerce , <i>Ms Stefania Gallo, Council and TNC Division</i>
17.00 – 19.00	ICC 4th Geneva Business Dialogue Roundtable, followed by a cocktail reception , <i>Room W</i>

Friday, 10 May

9.30 – 12.30	Symposium on Trade and Natural Disasters , <i>Room D</i>
12.30 – 14.40	Working Lunch at ACWL
15.00 – 16.30	Special Session of the General Council⁴ , <i>Room CR</i>
16.30 – 17.45	Panel discussion on WTO Reforms , <i>Room D</i>
17.45 – 18.15	Evaluation and Closing , <i>Mr Raul Torres, Development Division</i>

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