


**SEVENTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER'S PROGRAMME**

**4-8 October 2021 – Palais des Nations, Room XIX**

**ESTIMATED SCHEDULE**

*As of 5 October 2021*

 <b>UNHCR</b> <small>The UN Refugee Agency</small>	<b>MONDAY</b> 4 OCTOBER	<b>TUESDAY</b> 5 OCTOBER	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 6 OCTOBER	<b>THURSDAY</b> 7 OCTOBER	<b>FRIDAY</b> 8 OCTOBER
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>			The role of the judiciary in promoting stronger nationality and asylum systems 08:00 – 09:15 <i>virtual only*</i>		
<b>MONDAY › TUESDAY</b> 09:30 – 12:30  <b>WEDNESDAY › FRIDAY</b> 10:00 – 13:00	1. Opening of the session, adoption of the agenda and organizational matters Film 2. Statement by the High Commissioner 3. General debate	3. General debate ( <i>continued</i> )	3. General debate ( <i>continued</i> )	4. Consideration of reports on the work of the Standing Committee: ( <i>continued</i> ) (b) Programme budgets, management, financial control and administrative oversight 5. Consideration of reports relating to programme and administrative oversight and evaluation	10. Consideration of the provisional agenda of the 73 <sup>rd</sup> session 11. Election of officers 12. Any other business 13. Adoption of the report of the 72 <sup>nd</sup> session of ExCom, including ExCom decisions 14. Closing of the session
<b>SIDE EVENTS</b>	Side event on Afghanistan 13:00 – 14:30 <a href="#">Room XIX and Interprefy</a>	IGAD-UNHCR solutions initiative for South Sudan and the Sudan 13:00 – 14:30 <a href="#">Room XIX and Interprefy</a>	Stepping up on Climate Action: Progress, Challenges and Opportunities 13:30 – 14:45 <i>virtual only*</i>	Comprehensive Solutions Strategy for Ivorian Refugees (cessation) 13:30 – 14:45 <i>virtual only*</i>	ORGANIZED BY NGOS "Refugee protection: Share – not shift – responsibility!" 13:30 – 14:45 <i>virtual only*</i>
<b>15:00 – 18:00</b>	3. General debate ( <i>continued</i> )	3. General debate ( <i>continued</i> )	3. General debate ( <i>continued</i> ) <i>Chairperson's summing up of the general debate</i> 4. Consideration of reports on the work of the Standing Committee: (a) International protection Statement by the Assistant High Commissioner (Protection)	6. Consideration and adoption of the programme budget for 2022 7. Review of the consultations with non-governmental organizations 8. Other statements 9. Meetings of the Standing Committee in 2022	
<b>17:30 – 18:15</b>	Nansen Refugee Award ceremony screening				

**Note: This forecast is merely an estimate. Actual time spent in debate on any one item may vary.**

\* Participants attending in person who wish to follow the three virtual side events are invited to bring their own devices and headphones, and log onto the meeting at their seats in room XIX.