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## First Civil Society Forum on the Diversity of Cultural Expressions

**Monday 12 June 2017**

**UNESCO Headquarters, Paris, Rooms II and IX**

**Public Sessions 09h30-12h00**

**Private Sessions 12h00-18h30**

### Draft Agenda

\* English/French interpretation is provided except during the breakout sessions to be held during the World Cafe from 14h00 -16h00

\*\* Each session will be led by a moderator from civil society

<b>09h00</b>	<b>Registration of participants (125 av. de Suffren)</b>
<b>09h30 – 09h45</b>  <b>Room II</b>	<b>Opening</b>  - <b>Welcome remarks</b> Danielle Cliche, Secretary, Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions  - <b>Adoption of the Agenda</b> Representative of the civil society
<b>09h45-10h30</b>  <b>Room II</b>	<b>Levelling the Playing Field - 1</b>  <i>The key role of civil society within the Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions (past, present, future, monitoring areas of the Convention)</i>  A perspective from civil society representatives  <i>Questions / Answers</i>

<p><b>10h30 – 11h00</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>Levelling the Playing Field - 2</b></p> <p><i>Civil society contributing to the governing bodies' and the Secretariat's work</i></p> <p>Danielle Cliche, Secretary, Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions</p> <p>Representative from the Bureau of the 10.IGC</p> <p><i>Questions / Answers</i></p>
<p><b>11h00-12h00</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>Who Are We? Getting to Know Each Other</b></p> <p><i>Short presentations and interest in the Convention</i></p>
<p><b>12h00 - 12h30</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>The way forward</b></p> <p><i>Overview of tasks and deadlines for CSOs contribution to the work of the governing bodies</i></p>
<p><b>12h30 – 13h00</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>Discussion on the format, content and method to prepare the first CSO activity report for 2017</b></p> <p><i>Report to be presented to the 11th session of the Intergovernmental Committee for the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions (12-15 December 2017)</i></p>
<p><b>13h00 – 14h00</b></p>	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>
<p><b>14h00 -16h00</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>Our action and the Convention : content inputs for the CSO activity report</b></p> <p><i>World Café model for brainstorming around thematic areas linked to the Convention, among others:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>sustainable systems of governance for culture</i></li> <li>- <i>balanced flow of cultural goods and services and increase the mobility of artists and cultural professionals</i></li> <li>- <i>culture in sustainable development frameworks</i></li> <li>- <i>human rights and fundamental freedoms</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>16h00 – 17h00</b></p> <p><b>Room IX</b></p>	<p><b>Getting organised</b></p> <p><i>Governance, planning, work methodology and means</i></p> <p><i>Identify times for CSOs to meet and continue working on the activity report 2017 during the Conference of Parties</i></p>

<p><b>16h30 -18h30</b></p> <p><b>Room II</b></p>	<p><b>Parallel event</b></p> <p><i>« Fairly Remunerating Creators in the Digital Environment The Challenges of the Transfer of Value » (organised by CISAC)</i></p>
<p><b>17h00 – 17h30</b></p> <p><b>Room IX</b></p>	<p><b>Discussion on the agenda item related to civil society to take place during the 11th session of the Intergovernmental Committee (12-15 December 2017)</b></p>
<p><b>17h30 - 18h00</b></p> <p><b>Room IX</b></p>	<p><b>Wrap-up: “Key steps for future action”</b></p>
<p><b>18h00 – 18h30</b></p> <p><b>Room IX</b></p>	<p><b>Concluding remarks</b></p>