

**15th Meeting of the Facilitative Working Group (FWG) of the
Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP)**
02 - 05 June 2026

I. AGENDA

Opening invocation

To ground the meeting in place, relationship, and collective intent

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- a. Confirmation of dates for FWG 16
- b. Review and adoption of FWG 15 decisions

11. Closing

- a. Reflections by the incoming COP 31 Presidency
- b. Closing remarks by the FWG Co-Chairs

Closing Invocation

To reflect, take stock, and express gratitude towards the collective effort and shared intent.

II. Glossary and abbreviations

CA	Collective Approach under the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP
COP	Conference of the Parties
FWG	Facilitative Working Group
GRULAC	UN Regional Group of Latin America and the Caribbean
GST	Global Stocktake
ICG	Informal Coordination Group for capacity-building under the Convention and the Paris Agreement
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPO	Indigenous Peoples Organization
LCIPP	Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform
NAP	National adaptation plan
NDC	Nationally determined contribution
RSO	Research and Systematic Observation
SB	Subsidiary Bodies
SBSTA	Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice
TFFF	Tropical Forest Forever Facility
UN	United Nations
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
WEOG	Western Europe and Others Group

III. Annotations

Opening invocation

A knowledge holder or group of knowledge holders opens the 15th meeting of the Facilitative Working Group (FWG) of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP) with an invocation or ceremony grounded in diversity of values, worldviews, and knowledge systems. This invocation helps participants ground themselves, listen with care, and recognize one another, creating an inclusive space that honors the interdependence of all beings, and lays a foundation of mutual respect, clarity, and shared intent.

1. Opening of the meeting

The 15th meeting of the FWG will open on 2 June 2026 at 14:00 CEST. The FWG Co-Chairs will invite the following:

- a. Welcome remarks by the UNFCCC secretariat
- b. Opening remarks by Indigenous Peoples
- c. Opening remarks by local communities

2. Organizational matters

a. Adoption of the agenda

The provisional agenda for FWG 15 will be presented for adoption.

FWG/2026/15/1	Provisional agenda and annotations
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Action:

The FWG will be invited to adopt the provisional agenda either as presented or with revisions, based on a consensus among its members, per decision 2/CP.24.

b. Election of FWG Co-Chairs and Vice Co-Chairs

Pursuant to COP decision 2/CP.24, the FWG will elect two Co-Chairs and two Vice Co-Chairs for a one-year term each, with one Co-Chair and one Vice Co-Chair being a representative from a Party and the other Co-Chair and Vice Co-Chair being a representative from Indigenous Peoples and, as appropriate, local communities.

Action

The FWG will be invited to elect its Co-Chairs and Vice Co-Chairs.

3. FWG membership

a. Membership changes and acknowledgment of alternates

The FWG will be informed of any changes in its membership and alternates since its 14th meeting.

UN Indigenous Region/ UN Regional Group	New	Former
Member		
UN Regional Group: Latin America and the Caribbean (GRULAC)	Gasparini Kaingang	Lena Estrada
UN Regional Group: Least Developed Countries (LDCs) ¹	Angela Ebeleke	Benjamin Karmorh (Current Alternate)
Alternate		
UN Regional Group: Latin America and the Caribbean (GRULAC)	Lena Estrada	Berioska Quispe Estrada
UN Indigenous Sociocultural Region: The Arctic	Megan Dicker	Victoria Qutuuq Buschman (Current Member)

COP 24 established the FWG of the LCIPP and decided that “the FWG shall comprise 14 representatives, as follows:

- a. One representative of a Party from each of the five United Nations regional groups;³
- b. One representative of a Party from a small island developing State;
- c. One representative of a least developed country Party;
- d. Seven representatives from Indigenous Peoples organizations, one from each of the seven United Nations Indigenous sociocultural regions.”

COP 24 further decided that Party representatives shall be appointed by their respective regional groups and constituencies and that the Chair of the SBSTA shall be notified of these appointments. COP 24 also decided that Indigenous Peoples representatives shall be appointed by the Indigenous Peoples, through their focal points, and that the Chair of the SBSTA shall be notified of these appointments.

For information on the current FWG membership composition, please visit [here](#).

Chairs and coordinators of United Nations regional groups and focal points of the IPO constituency transmit nominations or changes to their representation in the FWG in writing to the secretariat. For detailed information on the UNFCCC electoral process, please visit [here](#).

b. Staggered FWG membership

Recognizing the importance of institutional knowledge and continuity in the efforts of the FWG to further operationalize the LCIPP and facilitate implementation of the functions of the Platform, COP 29 decided that, among the representatives appointed as FWG members for terms beginning in June 2025, three Party representatives and three representatives from Indigenous Peoples organizations shall serve for a term of two years instead of three years. Thereafter, all representatives shall serve three-year terms, in accordance with decision 2/CP.24.

COP 29 also invited the FWG to decide which Party representatives and which representatives from Indigenous Peoples organizations shall serve for a term of two years, as referred to in paragraph 13 of decision 14/CP.29, in a manner that ensures geographical and gender balance.

¹ In line with Decision 2/CP.24, paragraph 7, the appointed alternate, Benjamin Karmorh was completing the functions of the member until the member was appointed

At its 14th meeting, the FWG decided,² in line with decision 14/CP.29, paragraphs 13 and 14, the following:

- a. The representative from the Western Europe and Others Group (WEOG) will serve a term of two years instead of three.
- b. Two additional representatives of the Parties and three representatives of the Indigenous Peoples organizations will be identified ahead of FWG 15 to serve a term of two years.

Party representatives on the FWG from Small Island Developing States and the UN regional group of Africa expressed willingness to serve a two-year term instead of three to facilitate institutional knowledge and continuity. They further clarified that they would need to consult their respective Party groups to make any decision.

Representatives of Indigenous Peoples organizations on the FWG, from the United Nations Indigenous sociocultural regions of Africa, Asia and North America also expressed their willingness to serve a term of two years instead of three.

Action:

The FWG will be invited to decide which Party representatives and which representatives from Indigenous Peoples Organizations will serve for a term of two years, in accordance with decisions 14/CP.29 and 2/CP.24.

4. Progress on the implementation of FWG 14 decisions

At its 14th meeting, the FWG adopted nine decisions, including the adoption of the LCIPP care principles and a decision on the dates of its 15th meeting.³ The FWG also agreed on a set of intersessional actions. Under this agenda item, the FWG will share progress made in implementing these decisions, which will help inform discussions under other relevant agenda items, including agenda items 5 and 6.

- a. *Convening a virtual FWG meeting on coordination of Collective Approach 5 of the Baku Workplan in December 2025 to discuss approaches to implementing deliverable 5.5*

On 16 December 2025, the FWG held a virtual meeting to coordinate the implementation of Collective Approach 5 of the Baku Workplan. The FWG reviewed the mandated deliverables, including the development of a draft ethics protocol before its 15th meeting. The FWG further noted that the draft ethics protocol, along with recommendations and guidance on good practices, will ensure the ethical and equitable engagement, protection and use of traditional knowledge, the knowledge of Indigenous Peoples and local knowledge systems, as set out under CA5. It will be developed with the direct involvement of Indigenous Peoples and local communities and used at gatherings of knowledge holders, regional (or biregional) gatherings and seventh-generation round tables. The FWG also agreed to organize three workshops, each with two sessions, held in the morning and late afternoon CEST, to accommodate participants across time zones. The workshops were held between January and March 2026. More detailed discussions on the implementation of Collective Approach 5 of the Baku Workplan will take place under agenda item 5(e).

² To view decisions from FWG 14, please visit https://lcipp.unfccc.int/sites/default/files/2025-11/Co-Chairs%20Summary%20Note%20of%20FWG%2014%20Decisions_12%20Nov_1400.pdf

³ See https://lcipp.unfccc.int/sites/default/files/2025-11/Co-Chairs%20Summary%20Note%20of%20FWG%2014%20Decisions_12%20Nov_1400.pdf

b. Allocating time at the 2026 LCIPP annual priority-setting meeting to discuss FWG 14 decision 6(a) and 6(b)

In light of military escalation in some parts of the world and related travel disruptions, the FWG decided to convene the 2026 LCIPP priority-setting meeting virtually to ensure the safety and security of all members and support their equitable participation. The meeting was held from 23 to 26 March 2026.⁴

At its 14th meeting in Belém, the FWG decided to allocate time at the 2026 LCIPP annual priority-setting meeting to discuss agreed upon topics, including but not limited to:

- a. Explore the possibility for recommendations related to the scope and functions of the FWG, in the context of its review in 2027;
- b. Assess and explore ways to enhance the engagement of local communities in the LCIPP work, taking into account outputs from the FWG 14 discussions; further notes, consistent with its mandate in decision 14/CP.29, para 15, that the FWG has already undertaken concrete steps to strengthen the engagement of local communities, alongside Indigenous Peoples, including through convening small-group discussions, inviting opening remarks, and engaging local knowledge holders/ practitioners from local communities in mandated LCIPP events.

Consistent with decision 14/CP.29, paragraph 15, the FWG noted steps already taken to strengthen the engagement of local communities, alongside Indigenous Peoples. These include adapting its biannual meetings to include small-group discussions, inviting opening remarks from local communities, and engaging local knowledge holders and practitioners from local communities in mandated LCIPP events.

At the 2026 LCIPP priority-setting meeting, the FWG took note of the challenge and recommendation reflected in its 2024 report.⁵ It also recalled the relevant COP 29 mandate and discussed existing pathways to enhance the engagement of local communities across the UNFCCC process, including mandated LCIPP events and the work of technical expert groups and working groups of constituted bodies, such as the non-economic losses expert group and the NAP Taskforce.

c. Taking LCIPP contributors' input into consideration in the implementation of the Baku Workplan for 2025–2027

The FWG took into consideration inputs from LCIPP contributors, as appropriate, in the implementation of the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP. This included the direct involvement of Indigenous Peoples and local communities in preparing the draft ethics protocol and in selecting 2026 LCIPP annual theme(s), which will be discussed in more details under agenda item 5 below.

5. Advancing the work under the Collective Approaches of the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP

COP 29 decided to continue the mandate of the FWG and welcomed the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP. Under this agenda item, the FWG will take stock of progress since FWG 14 and further advance implementation of the Collective Approaches under the Baku Workplan, individually and collectively, including through the active engagement of LCIPP contributors.

FWG 13 adopted an “activity co-lead” modality for implementing the six Collective Approaches. In line with its working modalities, FWG members may rotate the activities they

⁴ 2026 LCIPP priority-setting meeting, see <https://lcipp.unfccc.int/events/2026-lcipp-priority-setting-meeting-virtual>

⁵ See pages 11-16 of the FWG report 2024 at https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/sbsta2024_01E.pdf

co-lead to broaden engagement, strengthen collaboration, and share accountability for the workplan's overall implementation. Annex I sets out the current and new co-leads for the Collective Approaches.

a. CA1: Gathering of knowledge holders

Implementation Progress:

- Fifth Annual Gathering of Knowledge Holders and Fifth Annual Dialogue were convened in conjunction with COP 30 (CA 1.1 and 1.2)
- Draft summary reports from Fifth Annual Gathering and Dialogue, including a compilation of case stories and recommendations for UNFCCC constituted bodies and workstreams in line with annual theme will be made available on the event webpage (CA 1.4 and 1.5)

FWG/2026/15/2/5a Informal summary report of the fifth LCIPP annual gathering of knowledge holders and dialogue

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- decide on the thematic focus of the 6th LCIPP Annual Gathering of Knowledge Holders and Annual Dialogue, under CA1 of the Baku Workplan
- reflect on existing approaches and identify additional ways to incorporate recommendations and examples into the relevant work of constituted bodies and UNFCCC workstreams
- confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 1

b. CA2: Regional engagement

Implementation Progress:

- LCIPP Biregional Gathering for Asia, and Central and Eastern Europe, Russian Federation, Central Asia and Transcaucasia (CEERFCAT) regions was convened in Yeosu, Republic of Korea during the UNFCCC Climate Week-3 (CA 2.1 and 2.2).⁶
- Draft summary report outline from the LCIPP Biregional Gathering, including compilation of case stories and recommendations for UNFCCC constituted bodies and workstreams will be made on the event webpage (CA 2.4 and 2.5)
- Participation of FWG member and FWG endorsed knowledge holders in relevant activities across the UNFCCC Climate Week-3 (CA 2.3)

FWG/2026/15/3/5b CA2 regional co-leads' informal summary notes from the LCIPP biregional gathering for Asia and CEERFCAT regions.

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- reflect on existing approaches and identify additional ways to incorporate recommendations and concrete examples into the work of constituted bodies and workstreams under the UNFCCC.
- confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 2

c. CA3: Seventh-generation round table

⁶ For more detailed information about the biregional gathering, please visit <https://lcipp.unfccc.int/events/lcipp-biregional-gathering>

Implementation Progress:

- Annual Seventh-Generation Roundtable and Intergenerational Dialogue convened in conjunction with COP 30 (CA 3.1 and CA 3.3)
- Draft summary reports from Annual Seventh-Generation Roundtable and Intergenerational Dialogue in progress, including compilation of case stories and recommendations for UNFCCC constituted bodies and workstreams in line with annual theme will be made available on the event webpage (CA 3.4, CA 3.5, CA 3.6)

FWG/2026/15/4/5c Informal summary report of the 2025 LCIPP annual seventh-generation roundtable and intergenerational dialogue

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- decide on the thematic focus of the annual Seventh-Generation Roundtable and Intergenerational Dialogue, taking into account the relevant activities under the WIM ExCom non-economic loss expert group's rolling plan of action.
- reflect on existing approaches and identify additional ways to incorporate recommendations and examples into relevant work of constituted bodies and UNFCCC workstreams.
- confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 3.

d. CA4: Collaboration with constituted bodies and workstreams of the UNFCCC

Implementation Progress:

- The FWG enhanced the ethical and equitable engagement of Indigenous Peoples and local communities in the meetings and forums held in conjunction with COP 30, at UNFCCC Climate Week-3 and intersessionally. Summary of the engagements can be found in the FWG 15 background document FWG/2026/15/5/5d.

FWG/2026/15/5/5d FWG engagements since its 14th meeting.

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- Adopt a time-bound plan for preparing its input to the global stocktake process, in line with decision 19/CMA.1 and Collective Approach 4 of the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP (CA 4.2).
- Confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 4 and focal points for UNFCCC constituted bodies and workstreams.

e. CA5: Enhanced engagement with Parties

Implementation Progress:

- Three virtual workshops, each comprising two sessions, were convened to facilitate the direct involvement of Indigenous Peoples and local communities in the development of a draft ethics protocol by FWG 15.
- A working draft ethics protocol developed in line with deliverable 5.3 and 5.5 (see FWG 15 background document FWG/2026/15/6/5e)

- Preparations made for the annual dialogue for Indigenous Peoples, local communities and Parties to promote the ethical and equitable engagement of values and knowledge systems of Indigenous Peoples and local knowledge systems in the design and implementation of NAPs, NDCs and national communications.

FWG/2026/15/6/5e	A working draft ethics protocol to ensure the ethical and equitable engagement, protection, and use of traditional knowledge, the knowledge of Indigenous Peoples, and local knowledge systems at mandated LCIPP events.
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Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- Reflect on existing approaches and identify additional ways to engage national focal points in line with deliverable 5.1
- Adopt the outline for the draft ethics protocol and to decide to review the draft ethics protocol annually, during the second of its two annual meetings, in order to take stock of relevant concepts and materials, as needed.
- Confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 5

f. CA6: Overall strategic planning

Implementation Progress:

- Convened the 2026 LCIPP priority setting-meeting virtually from 23 -26 March.

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- Adopt the 2026 LCIPP annual theme(s)
- Adopt Baku Workplan activity calendar for 2026
- Adopt a multi-pathway outreach approach to ensure inclusivity and transparency in identifying knowledge holders and practitioners from Indigenous Peoples and local communities for participation in mandated LCIPP events.
- Agree to continue exploring ways to further enhance the engagement of local communities
- Confirm co-leads for Collective Approach 6

FWG/2026/15/7/5f	Draft LCIPP annual theme(s) for 2026
FWG/2026/15/8/5f	Baku Workplan activity calendar for 2026
FWG/2026/15/9/5f	LCIPP multi-pathway outreach approach to ensure inclusivity and transparency in identifying knowledge holders and practitioners from Indigenous Peoples and local communities for participation in mandated LCIPP events.
FWG/2026/15/10/5f	Updated LCIPP Outreach and Dissemination Plan

6. Strategic planning for the development of the FWG report and the next work plan of the LCIPP

Pursuant to decision 14/CP.29, COP 29 requested the FWG to report on the outcomes of its work, including the activities under the Baku Workplan, to consider and, as appropriate, propose recommendations relating to the scope and functions of the Platform and to prepare

a draft workplan for the LCIPP for 2028–2031 for consideration by the COP 32 through SBSTA 66.

The FWG requested the secretariat to circulate the preliminary outline for the FWG report and the draft elements of the LCIPP workplan (2028-2031), as discussed at the 2026 LCIPP priority-setting meeting, for consideration and adoption by the FWG at its 15th meeting.

COP 29 also invited Parties, Indigenous Peoples, local communities and stakeholders to submit via the submission portal by 30 September 2026 views on activities and thematic focuses for the workplan of the LCIPP for 2028–2031 for consideration by the FWG 16, to be held in 2026, and to submit, via the submission portal by 1 November 2026, views on the impact of work under the LCIPP, which will serve as input to the review of the Facilitative Working Group in 2027

At the 2026 LCIPP priority-setting meeting, FWG members were invited to mobilize regional engagement and responses to these calls for submissions through their respective regional networks and upcoming events, including mandated LCIPP events.

- a. Preparation for the FWG report 2027
Preliminary outline for the FWG report 2027. See background document FWG/2026/15/11/6a.
- b. Planning for the next workplan of the LCIPP
Draft elements of the LCIPP workplan (2028-2031). See background document FWG/2026/15/12/6b.

FWG/2026/15/11/6a	Draft outline for the FWG report 2027
FWG/2026/15/12/6b	Draft elements of the LCIPP workplan (2028-2031)

Actions

The FWG will be invited to:

- adopt the preliminary outline for the FWG report
- adopt the draft elements of the LCIPP workplan (2028-2031)
- agree on the proposed timeline and intersessional actions to prepare the FWG report and the draft LCIPP workplan, with a view to adopting these draft documents at its 16th meeting, in time for editing, translation into the official UN languages, and publication on the UNFCCC website, as input to the 2027 FWG review.

7. Strategic collaborations with relevant bodies and processes within and beyond the UNFCCC

In accordance with decision 2/CP.24, the FWG was encouraged to collaborate with other bodies under and outside the Convention. In this context, the FWG has included a dedicated agenda item in its biannual meetings to engage with relevant bodies and processes within and beyond the UNFCCC.

At its 15th meeting, the FWG will focus on collective stewardship of oceans and forests, and on the ethical and equitable application of diverse worldviews and knowledge systems to regenerate the health of all ecosystems for the benefit of all.

To facilitate this exchange, the FWG has invited experts on work related to the ocean under the UNFCCC process,⁷ and Research and Systematic Observation (RSO).⁸ The FWG has also invited representatives from Tropical Forest Forever Facility (TFFF) and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC).

- a. Collaborations with constituted bodies and work programmes within the UNFCCC process
 - i. The Ocean
 - ii. RSO
- b. Collaborations with relevant bodies and processes beyond the UNFCCC
 - i. TFFF
 - ii. IPCC

Action

The FWG will be invited to identify concrete opportunities for collaboration with relevant bodies and processes to strengthen the ethical and equitable inclusion of Indigenous worldviews and knowledge systems and local knowledge systems in work related to oceans, forests and the health of all ecosystems.

8. Preparations for SB 64

a. Mandated LCIPP activities at SB64

Activity 5.2 of the Baku Workplan is an annual dialogue for Indigenous Peoples, local communities and Parties to promote the ethical and equitable engagement of values and knowledge systems of Indigenous Peoples and local knowledge systems in the design and implementation of NAPs, NDCs and national communications.

The FWG will convene this annual dialogue during SB64, on 10 June, from 13:00 to 15:00 CEST in Bonn.

For detailed information will be made available on the event webpage, see <https://lcipp.unfccc.int/calendar-of-events>.

b. Forecasting FWG engagements during SB 64

Under this sub-item, the FWG will review invitations for FWG representation and participation in relevant meetings and events during SB 64 and beyond.

Action:

The FWG will be invited to confirm arrangements for its participation and representation at the identified engagement opportunities (see Table 1 below).

Table 1. FWG Engagement at SB 64

Meeting/Event	Dates/Time	FWG Member(s)
Workshop on progress, challenges and opportunities related to identifying needs and accessing means of implementation for climate action in agriculture and food security, including sharing of best practices	8-10 June 2026 (Dedicated world café session: 9 June from 15:00 to 17:30)	

⁷ See <https://unfccc.int/topics/ocean/ocean-action-under-the-unfccc>

⁸ See <https://unfccc.int/topics/science/workstreams/RSO>

Meeting/Event	Dates/Time	FWG Member(s)
Informal coordination group for capacity-building under the Convention and the Paris Agreement (ICG) meeting	9 June 2026	
Article 6.8 in-session workshop 9th meeting of the Glasgow Committee on Non-market Approaches	9 June 2026, 10:00 – 13:00	
Expert dialogue on relevant issues in gender- and age-disaggregated data and gender analysis	10 June 2026	
Ways to further engage local communities in the UNFCCC process	12 June 2026	
Tenth PCCB Meeting	15 -17 June 2026 (Invitation for 16 June; 10:20 - 13:00)	

9. Any other matters

The FWG will consider any other matters relevant to its role in further operationalizing the LCIPP and facilitating the implementation of the platform’s three functions: knowledge, capacity for engagement, and climate policies and actions.

Action

The FWG will invite reflections from contributors on any other matters to be addressed by the FWG intersessionally and, as appropriate, at FWG 16.

10. FWG 15 decisions

a. Confirmation of dates for FWG 16

COP 24 decided that the FWG will meet twice per year in conjunction with the sessions of the subsidiary bodies and the session of the COP.

Action

The FWG will be invited to consider possible dates of its 16th meeting in conjunction with COP 31.

b. Review and adoption of FWG 15 decisions

With support from the secretariat, the FWG Co-Chairs will present a draft summary note containing decisions from FWG 15. The draft will be circulated to FWG members for review in advance.

Action

The FWG will be invited to adopt the draft decisions from its 15th meeting as presented, or as revised based on consensus.

11. Closing

The 15th meeting of the FWG will be closed by:

- a. the FWG Co-Chairs

- b. the incoming COP 31 Presidency (tbc)

Closing invocation

A knowledge holder or group of knowledge holders closes the 15th meeting of the FWG with an invocation. The closing will provide a moment for reflection on the discussions held and the outcomes of the meeting, and to acknowledge the collective efforts and collaboration of participants.

IV. Schedule of Work

Time	Tuesday, 2 June	Wednesday, 3 June	Thursday, 4 June	Friday, 5 June
09:00 – 10:30	FWG Members-only coordination meeting	Reflections on the Previous Day Item 5(f) CA6. Overall strategic planning Item 5(b) CA2. Regional Engagement Small Group Discussion	Reflections on the Previous Day Item 5(d) CA4. Collaboration with constituted bodies and work streams of the UNFCCC Item 5(e) CA5. Enhanced engagement with Parties (including discussion on the draft ethics protocol) Small Group Discussion	Reflections on the Previous Day Item 6. FWG report and LCIPP workplan
10:30 – 11:00		Coffee and Tea Break		
11:00 – 12:30		Report back from the SGD	Report back from the SGDs	Item 8 a and b
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break			
14:00 – 15:30	Opening Invocation Item 1. Opening of the meeting Item 2. Organizational matters a. Adoption of the agenda b. Election of FWG Co-Chairs and Vice Co-Chairs Item 3. FWG Membership a. Membership changes and acknowledgement of alternates b. Staggered FWG membership	Item 5(a) CA1. Gathering of knowledge holders Item 5(c) CA3. Seventh-generation round table Small Group Discussions	Item 7. on collaborations a. Bodies and work programmes under the UNFCCC b. Relevant entities beyond the Convention	Item 9. Any other matters Item 10. FWG 15 decisions
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee and Tea Break			
16:00 – 17:00	Item 4. Progress on FWG 14 decisions Item 6. FWG report and LCIPP workplan Preview of the next Day	Report back from the SGD Item 6. FWG report and LCIPP workplan Preview of the next Day	Item 6: FWG report and LCIPP workplan Preview of the next Day	Item 11. Closing Closing Invocation
17:00 – 17:45	FWG Member Coordination Informal Collaborative Reflection (open to all)			

Annex I: Current and new co-leads of the Collective Approaches under the Baku Workplan of the LCIPP

Collective Approaches (CA)	Members currently serving as co-leads of the CA	New members volunteered to serve as co-leads of the CA at the 2026 priority-setting meeting
CA1: Gathering of Knowledge Holders	IPO members: Victoria Qutuuq Buschman, Viacheslav Shadrin, Kittisak Rattanakrajangsri Party members: Agrafena Kotova	IPO members: Aehshatou Manu, Viacheslav Shadrin, Victoria Qutuuq Buschman, Kittisak Rattanakrajangsri Party members: Agrafena Kotova, Lena Estrada
CA2: Regional Engagement <i>Regional representatives will also inform the planning and delivery of the regional (or biregional gatherings) and the associated activities and deliverables in their respective regions</i>	IPO members: Kittisak Rattanakrajangsri Party members: [empty]	IPO members: Ricardo Campos Quezada, Janene Yazzie, Aehshatou Manu Party members: Angela Ebeleke, Lena Estrada, Rafik Aini
CA3: Seventh-generation Round Table	IPO members: Ricardo Campos Quezada, Aehshatou Manu, Victoria Qutuuq Buschman Party members: Cozier Frederick	IPO members: Ricardo Campos Quezada, Aehshatou Manu, Victoria Qutuuq Buschman Party members: Agrafena Kotova, Lena Estrada
CA4: Collaboration With Constituted Bodies and Under Workstreams of the UNFCCC <i>Focal points for constituted bodies and work programmes (See Annex III) will be contributing to the related activities and deliverables</i>	IPO members: Robert Karoro Party members: Azin Mostafavi	IPO members: Robert Karoro, Janene Yazzie Party members: Agrafena Kotova
CA5: Enhanced engagement with Parties <i>Focal points for constituted bodies and work programmes (See Annex III) will be contributing to the related activities and deliverables</i>	IPO members: Robert Karoro Party members: Birrin Hooper	IPO member(s): Robert Karoro, Janene Yazzie, Viacheslav Shadrin, Aehshatou Manu Party member(s): Birrin Hooper
CA6: Overall Strategic Planning	IPO members: Janene Yazzie Party members: Agrafena Kotova, Birrin Hooper	IPO member(s): Janene Yazzie Party member(s): Agrafena Kotova, Lena Estrada

Annex II: List of FWG members serving as focal points for relevant Constituted Bodies and other areas of work

Constituted bodies	FWG Member(s) serving as focal points	FWG members volunteered to serve as focal points at the 2026 priority-setting meeting	Further Info
Adaptation Committee (AC)	Agrafena (Eastern Europe) Rafik (Africa) Kittisak (Asia) Lena (GRULAC)	Agrafena (Eastern Europe) Lena Estrada (GRULAC) Rafik (Africa)	
Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN)/ Technology Executive Committee (TEC)	Birrin (WEOG) Robert (The Pacific) Janene (North America)	Janene (North America) Agrafena (Eastern Europe)	See here See here
Consultative Group of experts (CGE)	[empty]	Viacheslav (CEERFCAT)	See here
Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage (WIM Excom)	Robert (The Pacific) – focal point Cozier (SIDS) - alternate	Robert (The Pacific)	See here
Expert group on non-economic losses (NELs)	Robert (The Pacific) Victoria (The Arctic) - Alternate	Robert (The Pacific)	See here
Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG)	[empty], Robert (The Pacific)	[empty]	See here
Paris Committee on Capacity-building (PCCB)	[empty], Kittisak (Asia)	[empty]	See here
Informal coordination group for capacity-building under the Convention and the Paris Agreement (ICG)	Robert (The Pacific) TBC (alternate)	Robert (The Pacific)	See here
Standing Committee on Finance (SCF)	Robert (The Pacific) Janene (North America)	Robert (The Pacific)	See here
Article 6.4 Supervisory Body	Cozier (SIDS)	[empty]	See here

Work Programmes/ Workstreams	FWG Member(s) serving as focal points	FWG member(s) volunteered to serve as focal points at the 2026 priority-setting meeting	Further Info
Global Goal on Adaptation (GGA)	Agrafena (Eastern Europe) Rafik (Africa) Lena (GRULAC) Victoria (The Arctic)	Agrafena (Eastern Europe) Rafik (Africa),	See here

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Mitigation work programme (MWP)	Birrin (WEOG) Agrafena (Eastern Europe)	Lena Estrada (GRULAC)	See here
Just transition work programme (JTWP)	Viacheslav (CEERFCAT) Victoria (The Arctic) Birrin (WEOG)	Viacheslav (CEERFCAT) Lena Estrada (GRULAC)	
Gender Action Plan	[empty], Aehshatou (Africa)	Aehshatou (Africa) Angela (LDC)	See here
Action for Climate Empowerment (ACE)	Robert (The Pacific) Birrin (WEOG)	Robert (The Pacific)	See here
Article 6.8 Non-Market Approaches	Ricardo (CSAC) Azin (Asia-Pacific)	Ricardo (CSAC)	See here
Issues related to agriculture and food security	Rafik (Africa)	Rafik (Africa) Viacheslav (CEERFCAT)	See here

Annex III. Functions of the LCIPP, as per decision 2/CP.23

(a) Knowledge: the Platform should promote the exchange of experience and best practices with a view to applying, strengthening, protecting and preserving traditional knowledge, knowledge of Indigenous Peoples and local knowledge systems, as well as technologies, practices and efforts of local communities and Indigenous Peoples related to addressing and responding to climate change, taking into account the free, prior and informed consent of the holders of such knowledge, innovations and practices;

(b) Capacity for engagement: the Platform should build the capacity of Indigenous Peoples and local communities to enable their engagement in the UNFCCC process and the capacity of Parties and other relevant stakeholders to engage with the Platform and with local communities and Indigenous Peoples, including in the context of the implementation of the Paris Agreement and other climate change related processes;

(c) Climate change policies and actions: the Platform should facilitate the integration of diverse knowledge systems, practices and innovations in designing and implementing international and national actions, programmes and policies in a manner that respects and promotes the rights and interests of local communities and Indigenous Peoples. The Platform should also facilitate the undertaking of stronger and more ambitious climate action by Indigenous Peoples and local communities that could contribute to the achievement of the NDCs of the Parties concerned.