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OPCW CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER TO DECEMBER 2025

1. The calendar annexed hereto lists events that the OPCW has organised—some in cooperation with one or more Member States—that are to be held from October to December 2025. It also includes sessions and meetings of the policy-making organs and their subsidiary bodies. It does not include consultations of an informal nature or other activities of the Executive Council; these are reflected in the OPCW weekly Journal.
2. The calendar is also available on the OPCW website, www.opcw.org, and will be updated periodically.
3. The last column in the calendar indicates which unit of the Technical Secretariat can be contacted about each event listed.

Annex: OPCW Calendar for October to December 2025



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Date	Title	Reference	Location/modality	Secretariat Contact ¹
OCTOBER				
5-9 October	A hospital preparedness course for States Parties from the Asian region	S/2434/2025, dated 12 August 2025	Dhaka, Bangladesh	APB
6 October-5 December	E-learning safety training programme in Spanish for OPCW Member States in Latin America and the Caribbean	S/2372/2025, dated 20 February 2025	Online training	ICB
7-9 October	A general training course on the Chemical Weapons Convention for National Authorities and relevant stakeholders in Africa	S/2420/2025, dated 24 June 2025	Gaborone, Botswana	IPB
7-10 October	110th Session of the Executive Council	EC-106/4, dated 12 July 2024	OPCW Main Building, The Hague, the Netherlands & online	PMO
13-17 October	Asser Institute Programme on Disarmament and Non-Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction	S/2381/2025, dated 10 March 2025	The Hague, the Netherlands	PAB
13-17 October	Proficiency testing course	S/2423/2025, dated 8 July 2025	OPCW ChemTech Centre, Nootdorp, the Netherlands	ICB

¹ Legend for Division and Branch names:
APB: Assistance and Protection Branch
ICB: International Cooperation Branch
IPB: Implementation Support Branch

OCS: Office of Confidentiality and Security
PAB: Public Affairs Branch
PMO: Secretariat for the Policy-Making Organs

PPB: Political Affairs and Protocol Branch

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22 October	25th Annual Induction Workshop for Diplomatic Personnel Involved in the Work of the OPCW	—	OPCW Main Building, The Hague, the Netherlands	PPB
21-23 October	Twelfth Annual Meeting of Representatives of the Chemical Industry and National Authorities of States Parties to the Chemical Weapons Convention	S/2432/2025, dated 6 August 2025	Doha, Qatar	IPB
21-24 October	Course on chemical safety and security management in laboratories for Member States in Latin America and the Caribbean	S/2402/2025, dated 7 May 2025	Buenos Aires, Argentina	ICB
28-30 October	Seoul workshop on the peaceful development and use of chemistry for Member States of the OPCW in the Asia region,	S/2422/2025, dated 8 July 2025	Seoul, Republic of Korea	ICB
29-31 October	Twenty-Seventh Meeting of the Commission for the Settlement of Disputes Related to Confidentiality	—	OPCW Main Building, The Hague, the Netherlands	OCS
NOVEMBER				
3-7 November	Course on emergency response to incidents involving toxic chemicals in unconventional environments for States Parties in Latin America and the Caribbean	S/2411/2025, dated 3 June 2025	Murcia, Spain	APB
3-8 November	International assistance and protection integrated advance and exercise course	—	Islamabad, Pakistan	APB
4-7 November	An international training-of-trainers course for first responders	S/2430/2025, dated 5 August 2025	OPCW ChemTech Centre, Nootdorp, the Netherlands	APB
11-14 November	Course for analytical chemists from laboratories supporting customs services	S/2374/2025, dated 26 February 2025	OPCW ChemTech Centre, Nootdorp, the Netherlands	ICB

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13 November	Briefing for Permanent Representations to the OPCW based outside the Netherlands	—	NH Collection Grand Sablon, Brussels, Belgium	PPB
19-21 November	Twenty-Seventh Annual Meeting of National Authorities	S/2421/2025, dated 30 June 2025	OPCW Main Building, The Hague, the Netherlands & online	IPB
24-28 November	Thirtieth Session of the Conference of the States Parties	C-26/5, dated 2 December 2021	World Forum, The Hague, the Netherlands & online	PMO

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