



26 April 2013

29 APRIL TO 3 MAY 2013  
CENTRE WILLIAM RAPPARD

PROGRAMME<sup>1</sup>

**Monday, 29 April**

9.00 – 9.20	<b>Opening Remarks by the WTO Director-General, Mr. Pascal Lamy</b>
9.20 – 9.40	<b>Welcoming Remarks by the Chairperson of the General Council, H.E. Mr. Shahid Bashir</b>
9.40 – 10.00	<b>Questions and Answers</b>
10.00 – 10.15	Coffee Break
10.15 – 10.30	<b>Introduction to the 26<sup>th</sup> Geneva Week, Development Division</b>
10.30 – 12.00	<b>Briefing on the WTO's Workshop on E-Commerce, Development and SMEs, Mr. Hans-Peter Werner, Development Division</b>
12.00 – 12.15	Official 26 <sup>th</sup> Geneva Week <b>Photo Session</b>
12.15 – 15.00	Lunch Break
15.00 – 16.00	<b>Implementation of the 2012-2013 TA Plan and Consultations on the 2014-2015 TA Plan, Mr. Maarten Smeets, Institute for Training and Technical Co-operation</b>
16.00 – 16.15	Coffee Break
16.15 – 17.00	<b>The WTO's E-training Programme, Ms. Pamela Apaza, ITTC</b>
17.00 – 18.00	<b>Groundwork for Bali – Special and Differential Treatment, Ms. Joy Kategekwa, Development Division</b>
18.00 – 19.30	<b>Reception for Geneva Week Participants – Hosted by DDG Valentine Rugwabiza (North Wing Atrium)</b>

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<sup>1</sup> This programme may be modified following changes in the schedule of WTO Committee meetings and availability of WTO Secretariat staff.

**Tuesday, 30 April**

9.00 – 10.00	Period for participants to attend or organize their own consultations with Members and/or Secretariat staff
10.00 – 11.00	<b>Aid for Trade – Preparations for the 4<sup>th</sup> Global Review</b> , <i>Mr. Aimé Murigande, Development Division</i>
11.00 – 11.15	Coffee Break
11.15 – 12.15	<b>Integrating into Value Chains</b> , <i>Mr. Hubert Escaith, Statistics Section</i>
12.15 – 13.00	<b>The Importance of Services in Value Chains</b> , <i>Mr. Rolf Adlung, Services Division</i>
13.00 – 15.00	Lunch
15.00 – 16.30	<b>Promoting Access to Medical Technologies and Innovation</b> , <i>Ms. Jayashree Watal, Intellectual Property Division, Mr. Peter Beyer, WHO, Mr. Anatole Krattiger, WIPO</i>
16.30 – 16.45	Coffee Break
16.45 – 18.00	<b>Update on Recent WTO Dispute Settlement Activities: Lessons Learned</b> , <i>Ms. Valerie Hughes, Legal Affairs Division, Mr. Jan Bohanes ACWL, Messrs. Miguel Rodriguez and Christophe Bellmann, ICTSD</i>

**Wednesday, 1 May**

9.00 – 10.00	Period for participants to attend or organize their own consultations with Members and/or Secretariat staff
10.00 – 11.00	<b>Groundwork for Bali – LDC issues</b> , <i>Ms. Annet Blank, Development Division</i>
11.00 – 11.15	Coffee Break
11.15 – 13.00	<b>The Information Technology Agreement (ITA) Progress on Expanding the Product Coverage</b> , <i>Mr. Xiaobing Tang, Market Access Division</i>
13.00 – 15.00	Commonwealth Secretariat Lunch and briefing on <b>their work on the Multilateral Trade System and Trade and on Trade and Transfer of Technology</b>
15.00 – 16.00	<b>State of Play in the DSU negotiations</b> , <i>H.E. Mr. Ronald Saborio Soto, Chairman of the Special Session of the Dispute Settlement Body</i>
16.00 – 18.00	<b>ACP Group meeting</b>

**Thursday, 2 May**

9.00 – 10.00	Period for participants to attend or organize their own consultations with Members and/or Secretariat staff
10.00 – 12.00	<b>The Agreement on Customs Valuation – Overview and WTO Jurisprudence</b> , <i>Mr. Roy Santana, Market Access Division and Mr. Fernando Pierola, ACWL</i>
12.00 – 12.15	Coffee Break
12.15 – 13.00	<b>Briefing on Logistics for the 9<sup>th</sup> Ministerial Conference in Bali, Indonesia</b> , <i>Ministerial Task Force</i>
13.00 – 15.00	ACWL Lunch
15.00 – 16.30	<b>Briefing for the SVEs</b> , <i>SVE Coordinator (Room E)</i>
15.00 – 16.30	<b>Briefing for the LDCs</b> , <i>LDC Coordinator (Room D)</i>
16.30 – 18.00	Period for participants to attend or organize their own consultations with Members and/or Secretariat staff

**Friday, 3 May**

9.00 – 10.00	<b>Consultations with Acceding Non-Resident Countries</b> , <i>Accessions Division</i>
10.00 – 11.00	<b>Groundwork for Bali – Trade Facilitation Section 1 of the Draft Agreement on Trade Facilitation</b> , <i>Ms. Nora Neufeld, Trade Policy Review Division</i>
11.00 – 11.15	Coffee Break
11.15 – 13.00	<b>Groundwork for Bali – Trade Facilitation Section 2 of the Draft Agreement on Trade Facilitation and the TF Needs Assessment</b> , <i>Ms. Sheri Rosenow, Trade Policy Review Division, PIFS, OECD, Lesotho and Rwanda</i>
13.00 – 15.00	Lunch Break
15.00 – 16.00	<b>Groundwork for Bali - Agriculture</b> , <i>Ms. Ulla Kask, Agriculture Division</i>
16.00 – 17.00	<b>Evaluation Roundtable and Closing</b> , <i>Development Division</i>

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