



## MEDIA ADVISORY

# Tenth Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT)

**1 26 August 2022 at UN Headquarters**

**UNITED NATIONS, July 2022** The [Tenth Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons](#) (NPT) will be held at the United Nations in New York from 1 - 26 August 2022. Ambassador Gustavo Zlauvinen (Argentina) has been nominated to the post of President-designate of the Review Conference.

The NPT is a landmark international treaty whose objective is to prevent the spread of nuclear weapons and weapons technology, to promote co-operation in the peaceful uses of nuclear energy and to further the goal of achieving nuclear disarmament and general and complete disarmament. The NPT represents the only binding commitment in a multilateral treaty to the goal of disarmament by the nuclear-weapon States.

At the Tenth NPT Review Conference, States parties will examine the progress made since the Review Conference of 2015.

### Opening segment

The Review Conference will open on **Monday 1 August at 10:00 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall** at the United Nations Headquarters in New York. **With:** The United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres, the President of the Review Conference H.E. Mr. Gustavo Zlauvinen and the Director-General of the International Atomic Energy Agency Mr. Rafael Mariano Grossi.

Accredited media are welcome to cover the event. For accreditation, escorts, and further queries, please contact the Media Accreditation and Liaison Unit (MALU).

### Opening press briefing

Members of the media are invited for a press briefing with the President of the Conference, Ambassador Gustavo Zlauvinen, about the expectations for the Review Conference.

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## Side events

Alongside the official programme, more than 40 side events related to the three pillars of the NPT (disarmament, non-proliferation and the peaceful use of nuclear energy) will be organized, including on: nuclear risk reduction, nuclear safety and security, development and nuclear science and technology, nuclear disarmament verification, the role of diversity and youth inclusion in promoting nuclear non-proliferation and disarmament, and the future of arms control.

The side events will feature discussions with stakeholders ranging from UN agencies, governments, NGOs to universities, scientists, industry, and youth groups. The full side event schedule can be found [here](#).

## Exhibitions

Images have the power to tell stories, touch and move us. They can inspire action towards a safer and more secure world for all. Throughout the Conference, dedicated areas across the United Nations will feature exhibitions organised by States, local governments, and