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**UNCTAD calendar of meetings**

*Note by the UNCTAD secretariat*

The present note contains the calendar of meetings for the remainder of 2016. The calendar was approved following the meeting of the Extended Bureau of the Trade and Development Board on 11 July 2016.



## Calendar of meetings for 2016<sup>1</sup>

Working Party on the Strategic Framework and the Programme Budget, seventy-third session (technical cooperation and evaluation)	5–7 September
Induction course	19 September
Short courses for Geneva-based delegates	26 September (a.m.)
Trade and Development Board, sixty-third executive session (Africa and <i>Trade and Development Report</i> )	27–29 September
Slot for meeting	30 September
Consultations of the President of the Trade and Development Board	October (half-day meeting)
Annual accounting workshop	3 October
Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting, thirty-third session	4–6 October
Slot for meeting	7 October
Slot for meeting	10–14 October (p.m.)
Short courses for Geneva-based delegates	14 October (a.m.)
Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Consumer Protection	17–18 October
Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy, fifteenth session	19–21 October
Annual Forum on Mining	24–28 October
Consultations of the President of the Trade and Development Board	November (half-day meeting)
Slot for meeting	31 October–3 November
Trade and Development Commission, eighth session (wrap-up session)	4 November
Investment, Enterprise and Development Commission, eighth session (wrap-up session)	14 November
Slot for meeting	15–17 November
Short courses for Geneva-based delegates	18 November (a.m.)
Slot for meeting	21–25 November

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<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings will be held in Geneva. All meetings listed are subject to a written notification, which is normally dispatched at least six weeks before the opening date.

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Working Party on the Strategic Framework and the Programme Budget, seventy-fourth session	28 November–2 December
Consultations of the President of the Trade and Development Board	December (half-day meeting)
Trade and Development Board, sixty-third session	5–9 December
Slot for meeting	12–15 December
Short courses for Geneva-based delegates	16 December (a.m.)

### **Provision for other meetings each year**

Trade and Development Board, executive sessions (3 sessions per year)	Up to 18 half-day meetings, as required
Investment policy reviews	Up to 10 half-day meetings, as required
Paragraph 166 short courses	6 half-day meetings per year
United Nations commodity and other conferences <sup>2</sup>	Up to 30 half-day meetings, as required
Consultations of the President of the Trade and Development Board	Up to 24 half-day meetings, as required
Seminars, study groups and other meetings	Up to 30 half-day meetings, as required

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<sup>2</sup> Subject to request from the relevant body or the General Assembly.