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08:30 to 08:35 Welcome remarks

Lorenzo Córdova, President Councilor of INE, Mexico

08:35 to 08:42 Inaugural session

Elizabeth Spehar, Assistant Secretary-General for Peacebuilding Support of the UN

COFFEE BREAK

08:45 to 09:15

Keynote lecture Principles and Democratic Values in Post Pandemic Era

• Larry Diamond, Senior Fellow at the Hoover Institute of Stanford University

Moderator: Norma Irene de la Cruz, Electoral Councilor of the National **Electoral Institute**

COFFEE BREAK

09:20 to 10:00

Discussion panel

- Joseph Thompson, Executive Director of IIDH/CAPEL
- Mathias Hounkpe, Country Director of IFES in Mali Ann Ravel, Head of US office of Transparencia Electoral

Moderator: Therese Pearce Laanela, Head of Electoral Processes at International IDEA

COFFEE BREAK

10:05 to 10:40

Main findings of Regional Forums

- Zsolt Szolnoki, former Secretary General of ACEEEO. Europe Forum
- Dharmendra Sharma, Senior Deputy Election Commissioner, Regional Forum of Asia

Moderator: Seung Ryeol Kim, Advisor from Secretary General of A-WFR

September 21, 2022

08:30 to 08:35

Welcome remarks

• Francisco Guerrero, Secretary for Strengthening Democracy, OAS

08:35 to 08:42

Inaugural Session

 Helena König, Deputy Secretary General of the European External Action Service

COFFEE BREAK

08:45 to 09:15

Keynote lecture: Rules and Electoral Bodies

- Dieter Nohlen, University of Heidelberg
- Leonardo Valdés, Professor-Researcher at the Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla (will read Dr. Nohlen's presentation)

Moderator: John Hollins, President of Delian Project

COFFEE BREAK

09:20 to 10:00

Discussión Panel

- Stéphane Perrault, Chief Electoral Officer of Canada
- Ivilina Aleksieva-Robinson, Former President of the Elections Central Commission from Bulgary
- Teresa Lévigne, Manager of the Elections and Democracy Program at the Kofi Annan Foundation

Moderator: Richard Soudriette, electoral expert

COFFEE BREAK









10:05 to 10:40

Main findings of Regional Forums

- Henry Atem, Executive Director, United States International Centre for Electoral Support, Regional Forum of Africa
- Rashid Hamtou, Senior Programme Manager, Arab Network for Democratic Elections (ANDE)

Moderator: Carla Humphrey, Electoral Councilor of the National **Electoral Institute**

September 22, 2022

08:30 to 08:35

Welcome remarks

 Corinne Momal-Vanian, Excutive Director of the Kofi Annan Foundation

08:35 to 08:42

Inaugural Session

Arnauld Akodjenou, Special Adviser for Africa of the Kofi Annan Foundation

COFFEE BREAK

08:45 to 09:15 Keynote lecture: Short and middle term expectations. What to do?

• Jacques Attali, Writter and Political Special Adviser

Moderator: Jacqueline Peschard, Professor-Researcher at the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México

COFFEE BREAK

09:20 to 10:00

Discussion panel

- Salvador Romero, Office Director of international IDEA in Paraguay
- Anne Pence, Senior International Advisor
- Mónica Pachón, Academic, Universidad de los Andes

Moderator: Martín Faz, Electoral Councilor of the National Electoral

COFFEE BREAK

10:05 to 10:30

Main findings of Regional Forums

• Máximo Zaldivar, IFES Regional Director for America and the Caribbean (Regional Forum of America)

Moderator: Laura Boyette-Álvarez, Regional Deputy Director for Latin America and the Caribbean of IRI

COFFEE BREAK

10:35 to 10:55

Closing remarks and final considerations

- Lorenzo Córdova, President Councillor of the National Electoral Institute, Mexico
- Michael Frendo, Vice-President of Venice Commission
- Kevin Casas, Secretary General of International IDEA