

The Role of Indigenous and other Traditional or Customary Justice Systems in Access to Justice, the Rule of Law and Human Rights

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Wednesday 2 December 2020	
10:30 – 11:15	Opening Session: Welcoming remarks and introduction of the aims of the Forum
11:15 – 12:30	Plenary discussion: indigenous & other traditional or customary justice systems and ensuring equal access to justice
12:30 – 14:00	Break
14:00 – 16:00	Break out groups: <u>Group A</u> : Recognition in the national legal order <u>Group B</u> : Applicability and interpretation of standards of fairness, independence and impartiality
16:00 – 18:30	Break / end of regular day sessions
18:30 – 20:00	Optional evening/morning session: indigenous justice in the Americas
Thursday 3 December 2020	
10:30 – 12:30	Break out groups: <u>Group C</u> : Equality of access to justice for women <u>Group D</u> : Children and juvenile justice
12:30 – 14:00	Break
14:00 – 16:00	Plenary discussions: Engaging with and between overlapping and parallel justice systems, to improve access to justice
16:00 – 16:15	Break
16:15 – 17:00	Closing session