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**Human Rights Council Resolution 49/9**

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**Intersessional Meeting on the Prevention of Genocide**

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**4 December 2023, Geneva**

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**Palais des Nations, Room XX**

 **AGENDA**

***10:00-10:30 Opening remarks***

* Mr. Volker Türk, High Commissioner for Human Rights (video statement)
* H.E. Mr. Ararat Mirzoyan, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Government of Armenia (video statement)
* Ms. Alice Wairimu Nderitu, United Nations Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide

***10:30-12:00 Panel 1: The Use of Social Media Platforms to Amplify Hate Speech that could Lead to Genocide: Defining the Problem***

Panellists**:**

* Ms. Peggy Hicks, Director, Thematic Engagement, Special Procedures and Right to Development Division, OHCHR
* Professor Mehrdad Payandeh, Member, Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (CERD)
* Ms. Simona Cruciani, United Nations Office of the Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide

***12:00-13:00 Panel 2: State Obligations for Preventing Direct and Public Incitement to Genocide in the Digital Space***

**Panellists:**

* Mr. Fabian Salvioli, United Nations Special Rapporteur on Truth, Reparations, and Guarantees of Non-Recurrence
* Mr. Luis Moreno Ocampo, Former Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court (ICC)
* Dr. Ibrahim Salama, Chief, Human Rights Treaties Branch, OHCHR
* Ms. Yasmin Ullah, Executive Director, Rohingya Maiyafuinor Collaborative Network

***13:00-15:00 Break***

***15:00-16:00 Panel 2 continued***

***16:00-17:50 Panel 3: Role of Social Media Platforms in Responding to Content that Incites Violence and Discrimination***

**Panellists:**

* Ms. Nighat Dad, Founder, Digital Rights Foundation and member of Meta Oversight Board
* Mr. Scott Campbell, OHCHR
* Ms. Maria Westergren, United Nations Office of the Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide

***17:50-18:00 Closing Remarks***