



EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR SOCIAL WELFARE POLICY AND RESEARCH

General Assembly Meeting 2025

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Date: Wednesday, 22nd and Thursday, 23rd October 2025

Venue: UNOV, 1220 Vienna, Wagramer Strasse 5, Conference Room 4 (CR-4)

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Wednesday, 22 October 2025	
09.00-12.30	Closed Session of the Board of Directors <i>UNOV, C-Building, Conference Room 4 (CR-4), 7th floor</i>
12.30-14.00	Lunch break
14.00-14.15	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Angela Me, Acting Chair (UNODC)</i>• <i>Korinna Schumann, Minister of Labour, Social Affairs, Health, Care and Consumer Protection (tbc)</i>
14.15-14.45	Management Team Report and Outlook <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Kai Leichsenring, Executive Director</i>• <i>Anette Scoppetta, Deputy Director</i>
14.45-15.30	Delivering Expertise for Social Policy and Research – Perceptions and concepts by member states <i>Round table with incoming and outgoing NLOs</i>
15.30-16.00	Break
16.00-17.30	Expertise by Policy Areas: Results from the expertise delivered in European Centre's key policy areas <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presented by Research Teams• Comments by Board Members and NLOs• General discussion
17.30	Meeting adjourned
19.00	Dinner invitation on behalf of the Austrian Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs, Health, Care and Consumer Protection (tbc)



Thursday, 23 October 2025	
09.00-10.00	Expertise for Social Policy Stakeholders: Results from the expertise delivered to key stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presented by Research Teams• Comments by Board Members and NLOs• General discussion
10.00-11.00	Expertise for the UNECE region: Results from the expertise delivered in and to the UNECE region <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presented by Research Teams• Comments by Board Members and NLOs• General discussion
11.00-11.30	Break
11.30-12.30	Expertise for social policy governance – Expectations and aims for the future <i>Round table discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Needs and expectations of member states• Funding opportunities• Outlook: new projects and new leadership
12.30-13.00	Closing session <ul style="list-style-type: none">• General discussion• Farewell and closing
13.00-14.30	Joint lunch