

## **Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore**

**Fiftieth Session**  
**Geneva, March 3 to 7, 2025**

### **DRAFT PROGRAM FOR THE FIFTIETH SESSION**

*Document prepared by the Secretariat*

1. In line with the requirement of the Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore (“the Committee”) that a suggested program of work be circulated, this document provides a draft of the suggested program of work for the Committee’s Fiftieth Session. This draft program is indicative only, and the actual organization of work of the Committee would be determined by the Chair and its members in line with the rules of procedure.

Sunday, March 2, 2025

From 10.00

Indigenous consultative forum

*Attended by representatives of organizations  
representing Indigenous Peoples and local communities.  
Not a formal Committee session or official WIPO  
meeting, but endorsed by the Committee and facilitated  
by the Secretariat*

Monday, March 3, 2025

- 10.00 – 13.00
- Item 1:** Opening of the Session
- Item 2:** Adoption of the Agenda  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/1 Prov.  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/2  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/3
- Item 3:** Accreditation of Certain Organizations  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/2  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/49/8
- Item 4:** Participation of Indigenous and Local Communities
- Voluntary Fund  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/3  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/4  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/6
- Panel of Indigenous and Local Communities  
*Not a formal part of the Committee session*  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/5
- 15.00 – 18.00
- Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/49/4  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/49/5  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/7  
WIPO/GRTKF/IC/50/INF/8

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

- 10.00 – 13.00
- Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)
- 15.00 – 18.00
- Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)

Wednesday, March 5, 2025

- 10.00 – 13.00
- Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)
- 15.00 – 18.00
- Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)

Thursday, March 6, 2025

10.00 – 13.00                      **Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)

15.00 – 18.00                      **Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)

Friday, March 7, 2025

10.00 – 13.00                      **Item 5:** Traditional Knowledge/Traditional Cultural Expressions (*continued*)

15.00 – 18.00                      **Item 6:** Any other Business

**Item 7:** Closing of the Session

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