

# Statutory Meetings

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## IFRC General Assembly

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# 21<sup>st</sup> Session of the IFRC General Assembly: agenda

Elections

Revision of the IFRC  
Constitution

Future IFRC Strategy  
beyond S2020

Volunteering

- Approval of Charter and revision of Policy

Migration

- Adoption of IFRC Operational Strategy

Accountability  
reports

NS Statutes and  
Legal Base

**FedNet**  
*sharing global knowledge*

## Elections

**GA/17/14**

Induction to the new Governing Board took place in the month of January. Key decisions were taken, including the objectives of the Governing Board.

**Future IFRC  
Strategy beyond  
S2020 - GA/17/15**

Requests the Governing Board to set up a mechanism of consultation. The process should also include a thorough review of Strategy 2020. Examines trends, emerging issues and their impact on communities and the IFRC network, as well as ensure the direct involvement of youth and volunteers.

## Migration

**GA/17/16**

Endorses the Global Strategy on Migration and commits to its implementation through the roll-out of its accompanying Road Map

## Volunteering

**GA/17/21**

Extends the Volunteering Policy in its current form  
Approves the Volunteer Charter

## Revision of the IFRC Constitution

**GA/17/22**

The GA decided that the amendments to the Statutory Texts set out in Annex II to the Proposal shall enter into force at the end of the 21st session of the General Assembly.

## NS Statutes and Legal Base

**GA/17/23**

IFRC – SG to present to the **Governing Board in 2018 the final version** of the revised Guidance for National Society Statutes. Upon approval recommend NS to review their Statutes in accordance with the new Guidance. Request the Joint ICRC/IFRC Commission for National Society Statutes make use of the revised guidance.

## Reports from Commissions

**GA/17/17 Youth:** Approves the revised IFRC Youth Policy.

To scale up efforts to institutionalise policies and strategies that strengthen the Federation's work with and for children, adolescents, and young adults.

IFRC Secretariat to increase their participation in and financial support to the Regional RCRC Youth Networks

## Miscellaneous

**GA/17/25**

1. requests the Governing Board to take concrete measures to address the Role of Women in the RCRC.
2. calls on National Societies, to significantly increase their efforts to identify, support and promote women into senior leadership positions,
3. calls on National Societies to identify and propose women into Federation governance roles immediately;

# Council of Delegates

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<p>Strengthening Movement          Cooperation and Coordination  <b>CD/17/R1</b></p>	<p>Movement-wide principles          for resource mobilization  <b>CD/17/R2</b></p>	<p>Movement Call for Action on the          Humanitarian Needs of          Vulnerable Migrants <b>CD/17/R3</b></p>
<p>Working towards the elimination          of nuclear weapons: 2018–2021          action plan <b>CD/17/R4</b></p>	<p>Education: Related          humanitarian needs  <b>CD/17/R6</b></p>	<p>Addressing Mental Health and          Psychosocial Needs <b>CD/17/R7</b></p>
<p>Working towards an International          Red Cross and Red Crescent          Movement Approach to          Epidemics and Pandemics  <b>CD/17/R8</b></p>	<p>Restoring family links  <b>CD/17/R9</b></p>	<p>International humanitarian law  <b>CD/17/R10</b></p>
<p>Power of Humanity  <b>CD/17/R11</b></p>	<p>Reinforcing gender equality and equal opportunities in the leadership and          work of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement  <b>CD/17/R12</b></p>	

**Workshop 1:** Setting the resilience agenda: Showing leadership in disaster and climate policy

**Workshop 3:** Upholding independence, neutrality and impartiality in the face of State responses and public reactions to contemporary global challenges

**Workshop 5:** Waking the Red Giant. Movement communications: Alignment and strategic importance

**Workshop 7:** Addressing mental health and psychosocial needs

**Workshop 2:** Protecting health care and respecting the emblems: How the Movement can lead the collective effort

**Workshop 4:** From words to action: Community engagement & accountability in practice.

**Workshop 6:** Use of explosive weapons in populated areas

**Workshop 8:** Restoring Family Links in the twenty-first century

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Technology, digitalisation and the future of our society

How do we cope? Emerging violent trends affecting society

What is the future of humanitarian financing?

Cash based interventions and innovations in humanitarian aid sector

“Piloting the perils”: An innovative simulation about changing climate risks

“Missing Maps” – putting people on the map

In institutions we trust?

Disruptive demographic shift

Global youth and culture change

Smart aid

From small to big data

Future of migration

Are we reaching our potential?