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Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media

Revised draft agenda 2

**This draft agenda, addressed to full members of the Committee and their alternates,
is the convocation to the meeting**

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of the meeting to be held in Strasbourg, Palais de l'Europe, on:

Tuesday 27 January 2026, 14:00 - 15:00 (Room 10)

Wednesday 28 January 2026, 14:00 - 15:30 (Room 11)

Please note: Tuesday 27 January 2026 (Room 10)

15:00 - 15:10: Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Culture, Education and Democratic Values

15:10 - 15:20: Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Youth and the Society of the Future

15:20 - 15:30: Meeting of the Sub-Committee on Media and Information Society

Tuesday 27 January 2026, 14:00 - 15:00 (Room 10)

1. Opening of the meeting by the oldest member present

2. Election of the Bureau of the committee

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- Election of the Chairperson
- Election of the Vice-Chairpersons

3. Agenda

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Adoption of the agenda

4. Minutes

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Approval of the minutes of the meeting held in Paris on 1 and 2 December 2025

5. Invitation to hold a meeting in Istanbul, Türkiye, on 2 and 3 June 2026

[Letter]

Consideration of the invitation

6. Strengthening democracies with young people: from participation to shared responsibility

Rapporteur: Ms Sona Ghazaryan (Armenia, ALDE)

Rapporteur for opinion, Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy: Ms Elisabetta Gardini (Italy, ECPA)

[[Doc. 16308](#); [Doc. 16332](#)]

Deadline for amendments: Tuesday 27 January 2026, 10:40

Debate in the Assembly: Wednesday 28 January 2026, 10:10

Consideration of amendments to the draft resolution and the draft recommendation

7. Upholding our diverse culture, freedom of expression and information by effective enforcement of copyright

Rapporteur: Mr Mogens Jensen (Denmark, SOC)

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Exchange of views with Ms Eleonora Rosati, Professor of Intellectual Property Law, Stockholm University (Sweden) (online)

8. Institutional representation of the Assembly

Appointment of representatives to the:

- European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI)
- Council of Europe Committee for Works of Art (C-ART)
- Europa Nostra - Pan-European Federation for Heritage
- Committee of the Parties of the Convention on Offences relating to Cultural Property

9. Committee representation

[Revised ToR Network for a healthy environment; ToR Network children of Ukraine]

Appointment of:

- a committee representative to the Parliamentary Network for a healthy environment
- three committee representatives to the Parliamentary Network on the situation of the children of Ukraine
- a Youth Rapporteur ([Resolution 2553 \(2024\)](#) "Strengthening the youth perspective in the work of the Parliamentary Assembly")

10. Appointment of representatives for the *ad hoc* committees of the Bureau of the Assembly

Call for candidates and appointment of committee representatives (participation at no cost to the Assembly) for the:

- *ad hoc* committee of the Bureau of the Assembly established to participate in the OECD Global Parliamentary Network, to be held in Paris on 11-13 March 2026
- *ad hoc* committee of the Bureau of the Assembly established to participate in the High-Level Conference (HLC) on the European Social Charter, to be held in Chişinău, Moldova, on 18-19 March 2026

11. Reconstitution and composition of the sub-committees

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Reconstitution and approval of the composition of sub-committees

[Suspension of the committee sitting to elect the Bureaus of the sub-committees]

Election of the Bureau of the Sub-Committee on Culture, Education and Democratic Values

- Election of the Chairperson
- Election of the Vice-Chairperson

Election of the Bureau of the Sub-Committee on Youth and the Society of the Future

- Election of the Chairperson
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Wednesday 28 January 2026, 14:00 - 15:30 (Room 11)**12. Communication from the Chairperson of the committee****13. Socialising at schools: for an inclusive and participatory education fostering democratic values***Rapporteur: Ms Luz Martínez Seijo (Sapin, SOC)*[\[Doc. 16314\]](#)*Deadline for amendments: Tuesday 27 January 2026, 16:10**Debate in the Assembly: Wednesday 28 January 2026, 15:40*

Consideration of amendments to the draft resolution and the draft recommendation

14. Benefits and challenges to freedom of expression in immersive realities[\[Doc. 16031\]](#)

- Follow-up to the Assembly [Resolution 2578 \(2024\)](#) on “Risks and opportunities of the metaverse”
- Exchange of views with Ms Artemiza-Tatiana Chisca, Head of Division, Secretary to the Steering Committee on Media and Information Society (CDMSI), Freedom of Expression and CDMSI Division, DGII: Directorate General of Democracy and Human Dignity

15. Committee work programme

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15.1. Appointment of rapporteurs for opinion

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- Threats to life and safety of journalists and human rights defenders in Azerbaijan ([Doc. 15521](#)), to replace Mr Stefan Schennach (Austria, SOC)
- Strengthening freedom of expression: an imperative for the consolidation and development of democratic societies ([Doc. 16062](#)), to replace Mr Stefan Schennach (Austria, SOC)

15.2. Extension of referencesMedia concentration and threats to media pluralism and independence ([Doc. 15916](#)), Rapporteur: Ms Valentina Grippo (Italy, ALDE)**15.3. Reporting back**

- **Mr Koloman Brenner** (Hungary, NR), rapporteur for follow-up on “Threats to academic freedom and autonomy of higher education institutions in Europe”, on his participation as panellist in the conference “Academic Freedom in Action 2025”, held in Strasbourg, on 25 and 26 November 2025
- **Ms Zeynep Yildiz** (Türkiye, NR), representative of the Committee to the European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI), on her participation in the ECRI 99th Plenary meeting, held in Strasbourg from 3 to 5 December 2025
- **Mr Andries Gryffroy** (Belgium, ALDE), rapporteur for follow-up on “The Cultural Routes: a platform for intercultural dialogue”, on his participation online in the meeting of the reflection group on “Thematic representativeness of cultural routes of the Council of Europe”, held in Paris on 15 and 16 December 2025

15.4. Appointment of representatives**Mr Kim Valentin** (Denmark, ALDE), in his capacity as Chairperson of the Parliamentary Alliance for Good Governance and Integrity in Sport, to participate in the 50th Ordinary UEFA Congress, to be held in Brussels, Belgium on 11 and 12 February 2026**16. Sub-committees**

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Approval of modifications in the composition of the sub-committees

17. Other business

18. Next meetings

- Paris, 12 March 2026
- Strasbourg, 20 – 24 April 2026 (during the Assembly part-session)
- 2 – 3 June 2026, Istanbul, Türkiye (subject to authorisation by the Bureau of the Assembly)
- Strasbourg, 22 – 26 June 2026 (during the Assembly part-session)
- Strasbourg, 28 September – 2 October 2026 (during the Assembly part-session)
- Paris, 13 October 2026
- Paris, 2 December 2026