



2024 Commemoration of the United Nations World Interfaith Harmony Week and
Celebration of the Golden Rule Day in
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on
April 15-16, 2024.

Co-Organised by
Inter-Religious Council of Ethiopia
United Religions Initiative Africa
G20 Interfaith Forum Association
The African Union Interfaith Dialogue Forum
The African Union Economic, Social and Cultural Council, and
The African Union Citizens & Diaspora Directorate

Terms and Conditions

The 2024 Commemoration of the U.N. World Interfaith Harmony Week and Celebration of Golden Rule Day

The 2024 Commemoration of the U.N. World Interfaith Harmony Week and Celebration of the Golden Rule Day will take place on April 15-16, 2024 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (with some availability on-line). All such events shall be referred to collectively herein as the “Events”. The Events are being co-organised by the Interreligious Council of Ethiopia, the United Religions Initiative Africa, the G20 Interfaith Forum Association, The African Union Interfaith Dialogue Forum, the African Union Economic, Social and Cultural Council and the African Union Citizens and Diaspora Directorate (collectively, the “Co-Organisers”, and each a “Co-Organiser”). The Events are also part of the lead-in to the G20 Interfaith Forum, in conjunction with the 2024 G20 meetings in Brazil (the host country of such meetings for 2024). The G20 Interfaith Forum offers an annual platform where networks of religiously linked and faith-inspired actors engage on global agendas, within the broad framework of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the G20 host country’s agenda. The G20 Interfaith Forum is part of an ongoing process that draws on contributions made by participants to share ideas with G20 leaders and with other participants in the G20 process.

Among other things, these terms and conditions are intended to facilitate and assure compliance with the European Data Protection Regulation and other similar data protection provisions in different jurisdictions (referred to collectively as “GDPR”) that may apply.

Registration and processing of data

By registering for the Events, the registrant accepts that his or her data can be processed by the Co-Organisers for the purposes described in these Terms and Conditions. The registrant acknowledges that because the Events involve international participants and Co-Organisers from many jurisdictions that have differing laws governing data protection and data privacy that are difficult to reconcile, and the registrant and Co-Organisers acknowledge that the various Co-Organisers are doing their best to comply in good faith with applicable legal provisions.

During registration and as part of participation in the Events, the registrant may be asked to share:

- a) Identification data and other personal data (including first name, last name, gender, nationality, country of residence, e-mail, social media details, academic/professional title, position, organisation name and type), as well as birthdate and passport information that may be needed to facilitate travel arrangements. Opportunity is also provided to indicate dietary requirements and other special needs. Not all information is required, although it helps the Co-Organisers to create a network of religious-linked and faith-inspired actors to engage in global agendas. The mandatory identification data is needed for logistical and organisational purposes (for example, the email is needed for confirmation of the registration as well as a means of contact throughout the Events and follow-up). The non-mandatory other personal data will be used to facilitate the registrant's engagement with the Events and the G20 Interfaith Forum process, for historical archiving and for anonymized statistical purposes.
- b) Religious information (including religious affiliation and religious title when applicable). As a religious aggregatory event it is in the interest of the Co-Organisers to collect information on religious preference of the registrants. This information is not mandatory. Before providing such information, the registrant is required to give express consent, and only then can such information be provided. It may be shared among Co-Organisers, but only on the understanding that such data will only be processed to help assure maximum inclusion and non-discrimination, and for anonymized statistical purposes. There will be no other disclosure of registrants' religious information. These steps and protections are taken in recognition that in many jurisdictions, this data is subject to specific consent requirements. In addition to securing specific consent for such sensitive information at the time of electronic registration for the Events, efforts will be made at the Events themselves to obtain formal written consents reconfirming the specific consents made pursuant to these Terms and conditions as a matter of best practice. In the event such religious or other sensitive data is submitted, the data subject will be deemed to consent to this data being collected if and when he or she specifically consents to sharing such data and in fact submits such data.

By registering for the Events, the registrant grants permission to the Co-Organisers to record, publish, share, or otherwise use any written, audio, photographic, video, or other electronic copies or sound or other images of presentation(s), interview(s), chat submission(s), programming, promotional materials, translations or materials that emerge in connection with the Events in written, video, audio, photographic, or any other hard copy or electronic format, including on various websites of, or associated with, the Co-Organisers. It is understood that representatives of various media will attend and will be free to treat communications as newsworthy, as on the record, and subject to being referenced in their work.

Information regarding the registrant will be processed by the Co-Organisers and their affiliates. Only authorized personnel will have access to the data. Appropriate security and confidentiality measures in accordance with industry norms are in place. The Co-Organisers will share data with other Co-Organisers as joint controllers who agree to maintain the required data protections and further agree to use the data solely in the planning and communication regarding the Events and related G20 Interfaith Forum events. The data will be deleted within a reasonable period after the purpose of the gathered information has been fulfilled.

The registrant has the right to request access to the data that the Co-Organisers holds on him/her, to ask for rectification of the personal data, if they are inaccurate or incomplete, and to object to the further processing at any time, without cause and at no cost by contacting G20 Interfaith Forum Association at secretariat@g20interfaith.org. Registrant agrees that Co-Organisers will not be required to de-publish any content already published or based on statistical and other data that is aggregated, despite registrant objection to continued data processing, unless required by applicable law.

The conditions

By registering, the data subject accepts the conditions by which Co-Organisers jointly or separately processes data subject to applicable law and their individual privacy policies found on the following sites of the listed Co-Organisers:

- United Religions Initiative – Africa: See www.uri.org/region/africa
- G20 Interfaith Forum Association: See www.g20interfaith.org
- The African Union Interfaith Dialogue Forum: See au.int/en/interfaith-dialogue-forum
- The African Union Economic, Social and Cultural Council: See au.int/en/about/ecosocc

The African Union Commission Department of Civil Society & Diaspora Directorate: See au.int/cido

Objections.

If the registrant objects to any of the foregoing provisions, he or she may request separate registration by sending an email to secretariat@g20interfaith.org, specifying the terms or conditions to which he or she objects. In that case, the registrant may be allowed to attend the Event if the registrant signs a separate terms and conditions agreement mutually acceptable to the G20 Interfaith Forum Association, other Co-Organisers, and the registrant.

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General rules

The Events are public events, open to those who register to participate.

The registrant agrees not to violate any copyright, treaty, or legal restrictions in any country, the use of which would subject the Co-Organisers or their affiliates to liability.

Registrants agree to abide by reasonable standards or courtesy, civility, and conduct (including any appropriate “streaming” conduct if participating on-line) during the Events.

The registrant waives the right to bring claims against any of the Co-Organisers with respect to any of the matters which he or she has granted permissions or to which he or she has otherwise agreed under these Terms and Conditions.

The Co-Organisers shall have the right to exclude the registrant from the Events if any of the foregoing conditions are violated.