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The following six groups have been categorised with a view to helping readers navigate among the “official document” collections available on the OSCE web. Each group is chronologically organized and provides links to individual documents front pages where one can also access available language variations. Some sections include recently released documents related to events or activities that took place prior to this time period.

- I. OSCE PERIODICALS AND E-PUBLICATIONS** are digital resources such as annual reports, e-books, guidelines, manuals, factsheets and other OSCE e-publications.
- II. DECISIONS, CONSENSUS DOCUMENTS AND JOURNALS OF THE DAY** yielded by regular OSCE negotiating and decision-making bodies (such as plenary meetings of the Permanent Council and the Forum for Security Co-operation).
- III. SELECTED STATEMENTS, INTERVENTIONS, REGULAR REPORTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS** made by the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office and High Officials representing OSCE structures, institutions and field activities.
Statements and contributions made by national delegations during regular plenary meetings are grouped according to the negotiating body they were delivered at. See Permanent Council meetings at <https://www.osce.org/pc/109624> and Forum for Security Co-operation meetings at <https://www.osce.org/fsc/109625>.
- IV. CONSOLIDATED SUMMARIES, REPORTS AND AGENDAS (non-consensus)** released by/at various OSCE meetings, events, conferences, seminars and workshops. This section also includes recently released documents related to events that will take place in the months to come.
- V. ELECTION OBSERVATION REPORTS** prepared by various types of OSCE/ODIHR election missions, as well as statements or opinions and analysis concerning election observation in participating States.
- VI. SELECTED INTEREST AND REFERENCE DOCUMENTS** relating to events or activities within the three OSCE dimensions.

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ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AIAM — Annual Implementation Assessment Meeting
ASRC — Annual Security Review Conference
ATU — Action against Terrorism Unit
CCA — Court of Conciliation and Arbitration
CiO — Chairperson-in-Office
CGAP — Contact Group of the Asian Partners for Co-operation
CGMP — Contact Group of the Mediterranean Partners for Co-operation
COMMS — Communication and Media Relations Section
CPC — Conflict Prevention Centre
CS — OSCE Secretariat Conference Services
DHR — Department of Human Resources
EAM — Election Assessment Mission
EEF — Economic and Environmental Forum
EET — Election Expert Team
EOM — Election Observation Mission
EST — Election Support Team
ExtCoop — External Co-operation
FSC — Forum for Security Co-operation
FSC-PC — Joint FSC-PC Meeting
HCNM — High Commissioner on National Minorities
HDC — Human Dimension Committee
HDIM — Human Dimension Implementation Meeting
HDS — Human Dimension Seminar
HOC — Head of Centre
HOM — Head of Mission
IEOM — International Election Observation Mission
IROM — International Referendum Observation Mission
LEOM — Limited Election Observation Mission
MC — Ministerial Council
NAM — Needs Assessment Mission
OCEEA — Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities
ODIHR — Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights

OIO — Office of Internal Oversight
OM Moldova — OSCE Mission to Moldova
OM Montenegro — OSCE Mission to Montenegro
OM Serbia — OSCE Mission to Serbia
OM Skopje — OSCE Mission to Skopje
OMBaH — OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina
OMiK — OSCE Mission in Kosovo
OPA — OSCE Presence in Albania
OPCU — OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine
OSCE PoA — OSCE Panel of Adjudicators
OSG — Office of the Secretary General
OSPU — OSCE Support Programme for Ukraine
OSR/CTHB — Office of the Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combatting Trafficking in Human Beings
PA — Parliamentary Assembly
PACE — Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe
PC — Permanent Council
PC in Uzbekistan — OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Uzbekistan
PGI — Programme for Gender Issues
PO in Astana — OSCE Programme Office in Astana
PO in Bishkek — OSCE Programme Office in Bishkek
PO in Dushanbe — OSCE Programme Office in Dushanbe
PRCiO — Personal Representative of the Chairperson-in-Office
ROM — Referendum Observation Mission
RFoM — Representative on Freedom of the Media
SEAM — Special Election Assessment Mission
SEC — Secretariat
SG — Secretary General
SHDM — Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting
SPMU — Strategic Police Matters Unit
SRCiO — Special Representative of the Chairperson-in-Office
TNTD — Transnational Threats Department

Documentation acronyms (ID)

.JOUR — Journal of the day
.DEC — Decision
.DEL — Issued by one or more delegation(s)
.DOC — Document of particular importance
.GAL — Substantive or general nature
.INF — Basic information

OSCE working languages

Most OSCE official journals and consensus documents, such as decisions, are issued in all six OSCE working languages listed below:

English	French
German	Italian
Russian	Spanish

Other languages

Publications and documents listed herein include a mention of the language variations in which they are available. By clicking on the link you will arrive on the web page of your selection and from there you can click on the language of your choice.

Document ID Reference System

Document identification and distribution follows a set of registry values, some or all of which will form the document identification block appearing on the upper right corner of distributed documents.

Main category: Capital letters denoting the nature of the document and referring to the main OSCE body to which it is to be submitted or from which it originates (PC, FSC, MC, SEC, ODIHR).

Subcategory: Capital letters referring to meetings of bodies working under the authority of the main OSCE bodies (PC.ACMF, PC.SHDM, FSC.AIAM, etc.).

Subgroup: Capital letters indicating the document type (such as field reports, journals, etc. – also see acronyms listed above).

Suffixes may be added, where necessary, in order to indicate modifications of the text (Rev — Revision; Corr — Correction; Add — Addendum).

I. OSCE PUBLICATIONS AND PERIODICALS

are digital resources which cover the whole range of issues the OSCE is engaged in. This section includes annual reports, e-books, guidelines, manuals and factsheets.

No.	Document type/ Originator	Title/Description	OSCE ID or ISBN	Language	URL
2023					
1	Compendium/SEC/ OSR/CTHB	Protecting People Fleeing Ukraine: A Compendium of Anti-trafficking Training Courses for First Line Responders. The publication is developed in the framework of an Extra-Budgetary Project “Preventing and responding to trafficking in human beings amid the humanitarian crisis related to the war in Ukraine” implemented with the financial support from the Governments of France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Liechtenstein, Poland, Spain, Switzerland, UK and US.		English	https://www.osce.org/cthb/562572
2	Guidelines/ODIHR	Guidelines on Democratic Lawmaking for Better Laws. The Guidelines provide an overview of the guiding principles of democratic lawmaking and concrete, practical recommendations on how these principles can be adhered to at each stage of the legislative cycle to achieve high-quality laws, based on the rule of law and human rights.	978-92-9271-153-5	English	https://www.osce.org/odhr/558321
3	Study/OM Montenegro	Media Literacy in Montenegro - Public Opinion Research 2023. Quantitative public opinion research was conducted on a representative sample of 1003 citizens of Montenegro, aged between 16 and 75 years.		English Montenegrin	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-montenegro/564889
4	Book/OM Serbia	Twenty Years of Parliamentary Gender Equality Mechanisms in Serbia. The publication was developed in 2023 on the occasion of the 20-year anniversary of the establishment of the National Assembly Committee for Gender Equality, as well as the 20-year anniversary of the establishment of the gender equality mechanism in the Parliament of Vojvodina.		English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-serbia/562974
2024					
5	Brochure/ Chairpersonship	Malta’s 2024 OSCE Chairpersonship Priorities. This document serves as a roadmap, providing a detailed overview of Malta’s strategic priorities during its Chairpersonship. It encapsulates our approach to fostering regional security and addressing existing and emerging threats.		English	https://www.osce.org/chairpersonship/priorities
6	Study/SEC/OSG/PGI	Gender and Corruption in the Access to Natural Resources: Preliminary Findings. The publication aims at uncovering the nexus between gender and corruption in natural resource management by focusing on women’s access to water, land, forestry and extractives. This publication is part of the OSCE Secretariat WIN Project (Women and Men Innovating and Networking for Gender Equality).		English	https://www.osce.org/secretariat/563466

7	Brochure/SEC/OSR/CTHB	Identification of Trafficking in Human Beings Related to the Humanitarian Crisis Stemming from the War against Ukraine - Brief for First Line Responders. The publication is developed in the framework of an Extra-Budgetary Project “Preventing and responding to trafficking in human beings amid the humanitarian crisis related to the war in Ukraine” implemented with the financial support from the Governments of France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Liechtenstein, Poland, Spain, Switzerland, UK and US.		English	https://www.osce.org/cthb/561466
8	Brochure/SEC/OSR/CTHB	Addressing Trafficking in Human Beings related to the Humanitarian Crisis Stemming from the War against Ukraine - Code of Conduct for First Line Responders. The publication is developed in the framework of an Extra-Budgetary Project “Preventing and responding to trafficking in human beings amid the humanitarian crisis related to the war in Ukraine” implemented with the financial support from the Governments of France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Liechtenstein, Poland, Spain, Switzerland, UK and US.		English	https://www.osce.org/cthb/565006
9	Report/SEC/OSR/CTHB	It’s About People: National Leadership to End Human Trafficking. Conclusions from the 23 rd Alliance against Trafficking in Persons Conference.		English	https://www.osce.org/cthb/562728
10	Brochure/SEC/OCEEA	Empowering Women to Drive Sustainable Energy Access in Rural Tajikistan: A Catalyst for Community Development and Wellbeing. The Report analyses the impact of a pilot initiative that provided women from the Yaghnob Valley of Tajikistan with access to clean energy technologies, as solar parabolic cookers and mini-solar power stations, and trained them on how to make the best use of these devices for their wellbeing and that of their communities.		English	https://www.osce.org/oceea/565060
11	Study/SEC/OCEEA	Green Paper on Social Economy in the Western Balkans. The Green Paper on Social Economy in the Western Balkans is a key output of the OSCE/OCEEA extrabudgetary project “Young Developers and Entrepreneurs Advancing Start-ups”, which aims to provide opportunities for skills development, networking and job creation for young women and men in the Western Balkans, as well as promote an enabling environment for innovative, socially-impactful and green start-ups in the region through policy-relevant dialogue.		English	https://www.osce.org/oceea/563409
12	Study/SEC/OCEEA	The Effects of the Crisis in Afghanistan on Central Asia’s Energy Sector: A Risk Assessment. The study was carried out within the framework of the OSCE project “Strengthening Energy Sector Co-operation and Analysis in Central Asia in the Context of Afghanistan’s Energy Crisis”, funded by Germany and Sweden, and was created in close collaboration with Central Asian officials and experts to reflect their needs, priorities, and responses to the situation.		English	https://www.osce.org/oceea/564931
13	Study/SEC/OCEEA	Advancing a Just Energy Transition in Central Asia: Women’s Key Role in the Energy Sector. The OSCE study analyzes – through a gender lens – the socio-economic benefits of the energy transition for the five OSCE participating States in the region.		English Russian	https://www.osce.org/oceea/561811
14	Factsheet/HCNM	Max van der Stoel Award. The Max van der Stoel Award Recognizes Extraordinary and Outstanding Achievements in Improving the Position of National Minorities in the OSCE Participating States.		English	https://www.osce.org/hcnm/115546

15	Annual Report/ODIHR	Democracy and Human Rights in the OSCE: The ODIHR Annual Report 2023. This report highlights the impact of activities carried out by the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR) in 2023.	978-92-9271-262-4	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/annual-report/2023
16	Brochure/ODIHR	ODIHR 2023 Publications. The Office's 2023 publications covered a wide range of topics, including human rights, strengthening democratic institutions, parliamentary integrity, election observation, combating hate crime, combating human trafficking, Roma inclusion, and many more.		English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/562740
17	Handbook/ODIHR	Handbook for the Observation of Information and Communication Technologies in Elections. While the handbook is mainly for election observers, we hope that it will provide useful guidance for OSCE participating States in their efforts to introduce and use ICT-based election solutions.	978-92-9271-152-8	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/558318
18	Report/ODIHR	Holocaust Memorial Days: An Overview of Remembrance and Education in the OSCE Region. The publication provides information on when, where and how OSCE participating States promote the commemoration and study of the Holocaust and the genocide of Roma and Sinti.	978-92-9271-187-0	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/562022
19	Guidelines/OMBaH	Guidelines for the Management of Small Arms and Light Weapons in Police Organizations in Bosnia and Herzegovina. The Guidelines aim to promote an efficient and uniform approach by police officers in ensuring the safe storage and handling of weapons for their use, in accordance with relevant laws and regulations.	978-92-9234-057-5 978-92-9234-059-9 978-92-9234-056-8 978-92-9234-058-2	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/564949
20	Report/OMBaH	Guidelines for Enhancement of Inter-institutional Communication and Outreach on SALW. The Guidelines do not intend to replace communication strategies or communication plans of the institutions represented in the SALW CCB and/or law enforcement agencies in regard to this topic and their regular, planned or ad-hoc activities.	978-92-9234-068-1 978-92-9234-069-8 978-92-9234-067-4 978-92-9234-070-4	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/564635
21	Report/OMBaH	Monitoring and Evaluation Framework Guidelines for Enhancement of Inter-institutional Communication and Outreach on SALW. A poll implemented by the Consultant of the OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina on internal and external communication practices among the institutions represented in the Co-ordination Board for the Control of Small Arms and Light Weapons in BiH in April/May 2022 pointed to the lack of common monitoring and evaluation practices in place in regard to communication and outreach activities on this topic.	978-92-9234-076-6 978-92-9234-077-3 978-92-9234-074-2 978-92-9234-078-0	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/564605
22	Factsheet/OMiK	Municipal Community Safety Councils (MCSCs) 2023. The OSCE Mission in Kosovo supports institutions mandated to address communities' security concerns. To assist in this effort, the Mission regularly monitors the performance of Municipal Community Safety Councils.		Albanian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/562215
23	Poster/OMiK	Call for Applications - EmPOWER Local Women Politicians Programme 2024. The seven-month long programme, from May to November, consists of compulsory workshops and training sessions.		Albanian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/563340

24	Report/OMiK	School Dropout Report: Behind the Numbers of Dropouts from Compulsory Education in the Kosovo System 2020-2023. This report provides an overview of school dropouts data from non-majority communities from the Kosovo education system between 2020 and 2023, analyses the causes behind individual cases and looks into successful initiatives to return children to school, as per the OSCE's mandate to monitor and promote human rights.		Albanian English Romanian Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/563373
25	Report/OMiK	Fair Trial Issues for Detained Persons with Mental Health Needs. This report provides an analysis of data collected by the OSCE Mission in Kosovo trial monitoring programme from January to December 2022 and identifies trends in prosecution, defence and court practices in relation to the imposition of detention measures on defendants with mental health needs in Kosovo.		Albanian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/562674
26	Report/OMiK	The Mitrovicë/Mitrovica Justice System Status Before and After the Mass Resignation of Kosovo Serb Judges, Prosecutors, and Administrative Staff. This report analyses publicly available statistical data and factual observations collected about the functioning of the Kosovo justice system institutions in the Mitrovicë/Mitrovica region before and after the mass resignation of Kosovo Serb judges, prosecutors, and administrative staff in November 2022.		Albanian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/562500
27	Report/OMiK	Property Rights Monitor - 9th Edition. It is a bi-annual publication of the observations of OSCE field monitoring Kosovo wide and aims to provide an overview of the situation in the field of property and housing rights of non-majority community members and displaced persons.		Albanian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-in-kosovo/564797
28	Report/OM Montenegro	Perception of the State Prosecutor's Office in Montenegro – 2023. This report has an aim of analysing the opinions of the citizens of Montenegro on the topic of the State Prosecutor's Office as an institution, its officials and activities which it undertakes.		English Montenegrin	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-montenegro/561691
29	Study/OM Montenegro	Perception of the Police in Montenegro 2023. This research represents a continuation of the OSCE Mission to Montenegro activities on the support program for the further improvement and efficiency of the overall capacities of the Ministry of Interior and the Police Directorate.		English Montenegrin	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-montenegro/565165
30	Brochure/OM Serbia	Security from Women's Perspective. The printing is supported by the OSCE Mission to Serbia as part of the Consolidating the democratization process in the security sector in Serbia project supported by the government of Sweden.		Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-serbia/564515
31	Handbook/OM Skopje	Handbook on Gender Equality Regulatory Impact Assessment. This Handbook is a practical tool for regulatory and policy impact assessment at central and local governance and is intended to facilitate the process of incorporating the gender perspective in decision-making.		Albanian English Macedonian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-skopje/562644
32	Guidelines/OPA	Guidelines for Primary Legal Aid Service Providers. The publication guides on how to communicate and receive citizens of vulnerable categories.		Albanian	https://www.osce.org/presence-in-albania/563909
33	Report/PC in Uzbekistan	Monitoring of Biodiversity of Wetlands of Southern Priaralie – 2023. Ecological monitoring of biodiversity is conducted by the Agency of IFAS jointly with the Karakalpak Research Institute of Natural Sciences, with financial support from the OSCE.		English Russian	https://www.osce.org/project-coordinator-in-uzbekistan/564092

34	Brochure/CCA	The Stockholm Convention in a Europe in Crisis. The publication presents a selection of the proceedings of the seminar held on 24 November 2022 in Stockholm to mark the 30 th anniversary of the adoption of the Convention on Conciliation and Arbitration within the OSCE.	978-92-9271-378-2	English	https://www.osce.org/court-of-conciliation-and-arbitration/564857
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II. DECISIONS AND OTHER CONSENSUS DOCUMENTS & JOURNALS

No.	Date	Venue/Place	Originator	Document type – Title (Description)	Language	URL
2023						
35	30 November – 1 December 2023	Skopje	MC	<p>JOURNAL of the 30th OSCE Ministerial Council;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - AGENDA for the 30th Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council - DECISION No. 1/23 on the time and place of the next meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council. - DECISION No. 2/23 on the OSCE Chairmanship in the year 2024. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Malta. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United States of America. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United Kingdom. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Norway, also on behalf of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Georgia, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Moldova, Monaco, Switzerland, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the Spanish EU Presidency. - STATEMENT by the delegation of Türkiye. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Armenia. - DECISION No. 3/23 on the extension of the appointment of the OSCE Secretary General. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United States of America. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the Russian Federation. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the Spanish EU Presidency. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Canada, also on behalf of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Monaco, Montenegro, Norway, Switzerland and Ukraine. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United Kingdom. - DECISION No. 4/23 on the appointment of the Director of the Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United States of America. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the Russian Federation. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the Spanish EU Presidency. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Canada, also on behalf of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Monaco, Montenegro, Norway, Switzerland and Ukraine. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of the United Kingdom. - INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT by the delegation of Armenia. <p><i>(continued on next page)</i></p>	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/chairpersonship/561316

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2024						
36	17 January	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1066th Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Opening Session: Opening Statement by H.E. Dr. Constantinos Kombos, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Cyprus.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/562806
37	24 January	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1067th Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Security Dialogue “Humanitarian Mine Action – Victim Assistance”: – Presentation by Mr. D. Wolsey, Adviser on Inclusive Risk Reduction, Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining; – Presentation by Mr. T. Pistriuha, Head, Ukrainian Deminers Association; – Presentation by Ms. S. Nemtsova, Project Manager, Ukrainian Deminers Association; – Presentation by Mr. N. Yamashita, Humanitarian Demining Sherpa for the Ambassador of Japan to Ukraine, Co-Chair of the Sectoral Working Group on Humanitarian Demining at the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine. Russian war of aggression against Ukraine. Special military operation to denazify and demilitarize Ukraine.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/562815
38	25 January	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1457th Special Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; Opening address by the Chairperson-in-Office and Minister for Foreign and European Affairs and Trade of Malta, Hon. Dr. Ian Borg.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/562710
39	26 January	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1458th Special Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/562719
40	31 January	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1068th Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Russian war of aggression against Ukraine. Special military operation to denazify and demilitarize Ukraine.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/562821
41	1 February	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1459th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; Address by the President of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Education and Sport of Liechtenstein, H.E. Ms. Dominique Hasler. The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Address by the Chair of the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance. Ongoing crimes by the Kiev regime and dangerous policies of the Western alliance to exacerbate tensions. Ongoing grave violations by the Baltic States of the rights of the Russian and Russian-speaking population. Elections to the European Parliament, to be held from 6 to 9 June 2024. Reasons for the OSCE/ODIHR’s absence from international observation of the 2024 presidential election in the Russian Federation, to be held from 15 to 17 March 2024.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/562788
42	7 February	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1069th Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; The draft agenda was not agreed upon by the FSC. - STATEMENT by the FSC Chairperson.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/562827

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43	8 February	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1460th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; Address by the President of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly. The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Ongoing crimes by the Kiev regime and dangerous policies of the Western alliance to exacerbate tensions. Concerns related to human dimension commitments in Belarus. Visit of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office, H.E. Mr. I. Borg, to Ukraine on 2 and 3 February 2024.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/562794
44	14 February	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1070th Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Russian war of aggression against Ukraine. Special military operation to denazify and demilitarize Ukraine. Politico-military events organized at the OSCE and implementation of OSCE politico-military commitments.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/563613
45	15 February	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1461st Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Derailing of the Minsk agreements by the Kiev regime and the Western alliance: ramifications and lessons for the OSCE. Recent developments in Kosovo and Metohija. Recent developments in Kosovo. Provocation and use of force unleashed by Azerbaijan against Armenia. Ceasefire violations on the Armenia-Azerbaijan border. Early presidential election in Azerbaijan, held on 7 February 2024.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/563532
46	21 February	Vienna/ online	FSC-PC	JOURNAL of the 90th Joint Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation and the Permanent Council; Security Dialogue: “Security and Environment”.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/node/563622
47	23 February	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1462nd Reinforced Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/564134
48	28 February	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1071st Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Russian war of aggression against Ukraine. Special military operation to denazify and demilitarize Ukraine.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/563933
49	29 February	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1463rd Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Increasing military involvement of certain NATO member States in yet more confrontation in and around Ukraine. The elections in Belarus and the deteriorating human rights situation in that country. Elections in Belarus held on 25 February 2024. The death of Mr. A. Navalny and the dire human rights situation in Russia. The Western alliance’s gross attempts to interfere in the internal affairs of Russia. Invocation of the OSCE Moscow Mechanism to address the arbitrary detention of Ukrainian civilians by the Russian Federation amidst human rights violations and the humanitarian impacts of Russia’s war of aggression against Ukraine. - DECISION No. 1479 on the recommendation to adopt a decision on the time and place of the next meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/564548

No.	Date	Venue/Place	Originator	Document type – Title (Description)	Language	URL
50	6 March	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1072nd Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Security Dialogue “Women, Peace and Security: Integrating Gender Perspective When Fulfilling the OSCE Politico-Military Commitments and Activities”: – Presentation by Ms. C. Wallander, United States Department of Defense; – Presentation by Ms. J. Christodoulou, Commissioner for Gender Equality of Cyprus; – Presentation by Ms. G. Baldwin, Peace Operations and Conflict Management Programme of the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI); – Presentation by Major General V. Klochkov, Armed Forces of Ukraine; – Presentation by Ms. L. Nilsson, Ministry of Employment of Sweden. Russian war of aggression against Ukraine. Special military operation to denazify and demilitarize Ukraine.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/564704
51	7 March	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1464th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Address by the Special Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Gender on the occasion of International Women’s Day. Increasing military involvement of certain NATO member States in yet more confrontation in and around Ukraine.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/565027
52	13 March	Vienna/ online	FSC	JOURNAL of the 1073rd Plenary Meeting of the Forum for Security Co-operation; Closing Session: Statement by the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Cyprus, Mr. Andreas Louka.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/forum-for-security-cooperation/565336
53	14 March	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1465th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; Address by the Deputy Prime Minister – Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan, H.E. Mr. Murat Nurtleu. Report by the Director of the Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights, Mr. Matteo Mecacci. The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Increasing military involvement of certain NATO member States in yet more confrontation in and around Ukraine. Farewell to the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the OSCE, Ambassador M. Carpenter. - DECISION No. 1480 on the theme, agenda and modalities for the 31 st Economic and Environmental Forum.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/565288
54	21 March	Vienna/ online	PC	JOURNAL of the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council; The Russian Federation’s ongoing aggression against Ukraine. Report by the Head of the OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ambassador Brian Aggeler. Report by the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities, Ambassador Bakyt Dzhusupov. Increasing military involvement of certain NATO member States in yet more confrontation in and around Ukraine. Commitments regarding tolerance and non-discrimination: ensuring freedom of religion or belief. Presidential election in the Russian Federation, held from 15 to 17 March 2024. The Russian presidential election and Russia’s violations of OSCE principles and commitments. International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, observed on 21 March 2024. Twenty-fifth anniversary of NATO’s aggression against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia. Twenty-fifth anniversary of the NATO response to the humanitarian crisis in Kosovo. Russia’s intensified missile attacks against critical civilian infrastructure in Ukraine amidst ongoing Russian aggression. General elections in the United States of America, to be held on 5 November 2024.	English German Russian	French Italian Spanish https://www.osce.org/permanent-council/565342

III. SELECTED STATEMENTS, REGULAR REPORTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

made by the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office and high officials representing OSCE structures, institutions and field activities.

Statements and contributions made by national delegations during regular plenary meetings are grouped according to the negotiating body they were delivered at

PC meetings: <https://www.osce.org/pc/109624> | FSC meetings: <https://www.osce.org/fsc/109625>

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55	16 February	Tirana	OMBaH	INTERVIEW with Ambassador Brian Aggeler: Fabricated threats allow corruption to flourish, Dnevni avaz.	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/562953
56	22 February	Vienna	SEC/SG	REMARKS by Secretary General Helga Maria Schmid at the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly Winter Meeting.	English	https://www.osce.org/secretary-general/563652

IV. CONSOLIDATED SUMMARIES – (non-consensus) REPORTS AND AGENDAS

released by/at OSCE meetings, events, conferences, seminars and workshops. This section also includes recently released documents related to events that took place last year, or that will take place in the months to come.

No.	Date	Venue/Place	Originator	Document type – Title (Description)	Language	URL
57	15–16 April	Vienna	OSR/CTHB	CONCEPT NOTE: 24 th Alliance Conference against Trafficking in Persons Beyond Awareness-Raising: Reshaping Human Trafficking Prevention.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/cthb/564740
58	15–16 April	Vienna	OSR/CTHB	TECHNICAL NOTE: 24 th Alliance Conference against Trafficking in Persons Beyond Awareness-Raising: Reshaping Human Trafficking Prevention.	English	https://www.osce.org/cthb/564749
59	15–16 April	Vienna	OSR/CTHB	DRAFT AGENDA: 24 th Alliance Conference against Trafficking in Persons Beyond Awareness-Raising: Reshaping Human Trafficking Prevention.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/cthb/564907
60	22–23 April	Vienna	ODIHR	SHORT AGENDA: 2024 Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting I.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/565000

V. ELECTION OBSERVATION REPORTS

prepared by various types of OSCE election missions. This section includes statements or opinions concerning elections in participating States.

No.	Date	Country	Originator	Document type – Title (Description)	Language	URL
2023						
61	30 April 2023	Uzbekistan	ODIHR/ LROM	FINAL REPORT on the constitutional referendum held on 30 April 2023 in Uzbekistan.	English Russian Uzbek	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/uzbekistan/561158
62	23 July 2023	Spain	ODIHR/EET	FINAL REPORT on the early parliamentary elections held on 23 July 2023 in Spain.	English Spanish	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/spain/563361
63	30 September 2023	Slovakia	ODIHR/EAM	FINAL REPORT on the early parliamentary elections held on 30 September 2023 in Slovakia.	English Slovak	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/slovakia/563625
64	November 2023 – January 2024	EU	ODIHR/NAM	NEEDS ASSESSMENT REPORT on the European Parliament elections foreseen to be held on 6 June – 9 June 2024 in the European Union Member States.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/563097
65	5 November 2023	Moldova	ODIHR/EOM	FINAL REPORT on the local elections held on 5 November 2023 in Moldova.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/moldova/564925
66	17 December 2023	Serbia	ODIHR/EOM	FINAL REPORT on the early parliamentary elections held on 17 December 2023 in Serbia.	English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/serbia/563505
67	29 December 2023 – 19 January 2024	Azerbaijan	ODIHR/EOM	INTERIM REPORT on the early presidential election foreseen to be held on 7 February 2024 in Azerbaijan.	Azerbaijani English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/azerbaijan/561799
2024						
68	30 January – 2 February	North Macedonia	ODIHR/NAM	NEEDS ASSESSMENT REPORT on the presidential and early parliamentary elections foreseen to be held on 24 April and 8 May 2024 in North Macedonia.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/north-macedonia/563592
69	1 February	EU	PC/Belgium-EU	STATEMENT by the Belgian EU Presidency on the elections to the European Parliament, to be held from 6 to 9 June 2024, as delivered at the 1459th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/563220
70	1 February	Russian Federation	PC/Russian Federation	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the Russian Federation on reasons for the OSCE/ODIHR's absence from international observation of the 2024 presidential election in the Russian Federation, to be held from 15 to 17 March 2024, as delivered at the 1459th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/563223

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71	1 February	Russian Federation	PC/Norway	STATEMENT by the Delegation of Norway on reasons for the OSCE/ODIHR's absence from international observation of the 2024 presidential election in the Russian Federation, to be held from 15 to 17 March 2024, as delivered at the 1459th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/563229
72	1 February	Russian Federation	PC/USA	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the United States of America on reasons for the OSCE/ODIHR's absence from international observation of the 2024 presidential election in the Russian Federation, to be held from 15 to 17 March 2024, as delivered at the 1459th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/563232
73	7 February	Azerbaijan	ODIHR/EOM	STATEMENT OF PRELIMINARY FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS on the early presidential election held on 7 February 2024 in Azerbaijan.	Azerbaijani English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/azerbaijan/562473
74	9 January – 12 January	Portugal	ODIHR/NAM	NEEDS ASSESSMENT REPORT on the early parliamentary elections foreseen to be held on 10 March 2024 in Portugal.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/elections/portugal/562773
75	15 February	Azerbaijan	PC/Russian Federation	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the Russian Federation on the early presidential election in Azerbaijan, held on 7 February 2024, as delivered at the 1461st Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/563604
76	15 February	Azerbaijan	PC/USA	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the United States of America on the early presidential election in Azerbaijan, held on 7 February 2024, as delivered at the 1461st Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/563610
77	29 February	Belarus	PC/Norway	STATEMENT by the Delegation of Norway, also on behalf of several delegations, on the elections in Belarus and the deteriorating human rights situation in that country, as delivered at the 1463rd Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/564665
78	29 February	Belarus	PC/USA	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the United States of America on the elections in Belarus and the deteriorating human rights situation in that country, as delivered at the 1463rd Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/564668
79	29 February	Belarus	PC/Russian Federation	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the Russian Federation on the elections in Belarus held on 25 February 2024, as delivered at the 1463rd Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/564671
80	21 March	Russian Federation	PC/Russian Federation	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the Russian Federation on the presidential election in the Russian Federation, held from 15 to 17 March 2024, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/565393
81	21 March	Russian Federation	PC/Belgium-EU	STATEMENT by the Belgian EU Presidency on the Russian presidential election and Russia's violations of OSCE principles and commitments, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/565402
82	21 March	Russian Federation	PC/USA	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the United States of America on the Russian presidential election and Russia's violations of OSCE principles and commitments, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/565408

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83	21 March	Russian Federation	PC/Ukraine	STATEMENT by the Delegation of Ukraine on the Russian presidential election and Russia's violations of OSCE principles and commitments, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/565414
84	21 March	Russian Federation	PC/Russian Federation	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the Russian Federation in response to statements by delegations, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English Russian	https://www.osce.org/node/565417
85	21 March	USA	PC/USA	STATEMENT by the Delegation of the United States of America on the general elections in the United States of America, to be held on 5 November 2024, as delivered at the 1466th Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council.	English	https://www.osce.org/node/565804

VI. SELECTED INTEREST AND REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

This section includes various items relating to events or specific activities within the three OSCE dimensions.

No.	Date	Country	Originator	Document type – Title (Description)	Language	URL
2023						
86	17 October 2023	Skopje	OSCE-UNHCR	FINAL OUTCOME DOCUMENT of the OSCE-UNHCR Regional Conference on Access to Civil Documentation and Prevention of Statelessness in South-Eastern Europe.	English	https://www.osce.org/odihr/564479
2024						
87	22 January	Bosnia and Herzegovina	OMBaH	HATE MONITOR REPORT , November 2023.	English	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/561733
88	22 January	Bosnia and Herzegovina	OMBaH	HATE MONITOR REPORT , December 2023.	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/561748
89	26 January	OSCE area	FSC	BEST PRACTICE GUIDE on Procedures for Management of Stockpiles of Conventional Ammunition.	English French German Italian Russian Spanish	https://www.osce.org/resources/510899
90	27 February	Bosnia and Herzegovina	OMBaH	HATE MONITOR REPORT , January 2024.	Bosnian Croatian English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-bosnia-and-herzegovina/563439
91	07 March	Serbia	OM Serbia	2023 REPORT on the Activities of the Permanent Working Group for Safety of Journalists.	English Serbian	https://www.osce.org/mission-to-serbia/564299