



## Section for Non-Governmental Organizations

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**June 2011**

- ❖ **EDUsummIT 2011: International Summit on Information and Communication Technologies in Education (Paris, 8 – 10 June 2011):** This meeting will bring together 120 policy makers, educators, researchers, journal editors and private sector leaders - those key to the field of information and communication technologies in Education - to build on the outcomes of EDUsummIT 2009. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **Seminar on Youth, Civic Engagement and Democracy: Ethics and Democracy in the Egyptian Context (Cairo, 9 June 2011):** This seminar will promote key concepts of ethics and democracy, and provide a platform for discussion, information exchange and networking among youth in Egypt. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **High Level Meeting on AIDS - United Nations General Assembly (New York, 8 – 10 June 2011):** Thirty years into the AIDS epidemic, and 10 years since the landmark UN General Assembly Special Session on HIV/AIDS, the world will come together to review progress and chart the future course of the global AIDS response. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **3rd Conference of Parties to the Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions (Paris, 14 – 17 June 2011):** During this conference the Parties will consider, in particular, several draft operational guidelines submitted for their approval, following which they will proceed to elect half the members of the Committee. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **35th Session of The World Heritage Committee (Paris, 19 – 29 June 2011):** The World Heritage Committee examines the proposals made by States Parties with a view to identifying cultural and natural properties of outstanding universal value to be protected under the Convention and added to the World Heritage List. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **For Life, for Futures – Biosphere Reserves and Climate Change (Dresden, 26 – 28 June 2011):** Two starting points to this conference: climate change as a global challenge and the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the MAB Programme. After outlining these two issues, the Conference will focus on land use and governance. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **NGO Day - UNESCO (Paris, 27 June 2011):** This meeting, organized by the NGO-UNESCO Liaison Committee in collaboration with the UNESCO Natural Sciences Sector, will discuss the following theme: “Water, Source of Life and Universal Human Resource : Cliché and Realities”. More information by clicking on [this link](#).
- ❖ **23<sup>rd</sup> Session of the International Coordinating Council of the Man and the Biosphere Programme (MAB) (Dresden, 28 June – 1st July 2011):** The MAB-ICC will review progress made in the implementation of the Madrid Action Plan (MAP) adopted at its 20th session in February 2008 and discuss various matters concerning the future of MAB. More information by clicking on [this link](#).

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