



VERONA

September 5-7, 2024

PROGRAMME

Thursday, 5 September

19.00

Opening ceremony in the presence of the President of the Republic, Sergio Mattarella (Castelvecchio Museum).

Friday, 6 September

10.00 – 10.30

Inaugural Session: (Palazzo Scaligero – Palazzo del Podestà)

Lorenzo FONTANA

President of the Chamber of Deputies

Giorgia MELONI

President of the Council of Ministers

Opening addresses:

Roberta METSOLA

President of the European Parliament

Ruslan STEFANCHUK

President of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

10.30 – 11.45

First Session: Security and Development: new geopolitical balances and access to strategic resources.

Keynote speakers:

Mike JOHNSON

Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States of America;

Fukushiro NUKAGA

Speaker of the House of Representatives of Japan.

Debate.

11.45 – 13.00

Second Session: The G7 for Africa and the Mediterranean: the common challenges of stability and growth.

Keynote speakers:

Yaël BRAUN-PIVET

President of the National Assembly of France;

Greg FERGUS

Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada;

Tulia ACKSON

Speaker of the National Assembly of Tanzania and President of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

Debate.

13.00

Family Photo.

15.00 – 16.30

Third Session: *Artificial Intelligence, Cyber-Security and the Protection of National Interests: the Role of Parliaments in the Digital Transition.*

Keynote speakers:

Bärbel BAS

President of the German Bundestag;

Lindsay HOYLE

Speaker of the House of Commons of the United Kingdom.

Debate.

16.30

Conclusions:

Lorenzo FONTANA

President of the Chamber of Deputies

Adoption of the final declaration and handover of the G7 Presidency



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