

UPR-Related Calendar of Events

Below, please find a list of UPR-related events and others around the U.S. and abroad. If you are planning an event or know of events relating to the UPR (including UN Side events in the U.S. or Geneva), please add it to the form [linked here](#). This calendar list will be updated regularly.

SEPTEMBER 2025

September 26, 2025 from 1PM - 5PM (ET). UPR: Community 2 Community event will be hosted at the Church Center in NYC, See flyer [here](#). Contact Joshua Cooper for more information at joshuacooperhawaii@gmail.com.

September 29, 2025 from 9:30am-11am (ET) UPR: Community 2 Community event at Amnesty International in Washington, DC. Contact Joshua Cooper for more information at joshuacooperhawaii@gmail.com.

OCTOBER 2025

October 5-9, 2025. The International Association of Official Human Rights Agencies is hosting *Strength in Unity: Human Rights in the Present* in Anchorage, Alaska. The tentative conference agenda can be found [here](#).

October 16, 2025 @ 4.30-6.30pm at the New School. A UN UPR side event is being organizing with the SR on adequate housing (dialogue with local housing experts, mix of directly impacted folks and policy folks) on the criminalization of homelessness/poverty, sponsored by NHLC, ACLU, Women in Need NYC. Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ending-homeless-criminalization-enforcing-human-rights-tickets-1743572324759?aff=oddtcreator>

October 22, 2025 @ 8:30-10:00AM: UNGA 80 side-event “Legal Implications of Recent Trends in Externalization of Migration Governance” and the Church Center, 11th floor- 777 United Nations Plaza and online. Registration required, both [in person](#) or [webinar](#). Ambassador Norberto Moretti, Deputy Permanent Representative of Brasil to the United Nations in New York will deliver welcoming remarks, and the event will feature a keynote from UN Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants, Mr. Gehad Madi. Co-organized by the UN Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants, Cornell Law School and Franciscans International.

October 22, 2025 @ 1:15PM & 5:30PM (ET). Children's Rights, NHLC, and SPLC will be hosting a side event focused on [Youth Criminalization](#), and Children's Rights and

JMACforFamilies will be hosting an additional side event on [Family Policing](#) at the Church Center, 777 United Nations Plaza New York NY 10017.

1:15PM - 2:45 PM (ET): Every day, young people in the U.S. are harmed by school punishment, housing insecurity, immigration enforcement, incarceration, family separation, and institutionalization. Youth experts will connect their lived experiences to racial and economic inequities, criminalization, and violations of international human rights standards. The conversation will illustrate how current U.S. policies—for example, zero-tolerance discipline and expanded immigration detention—cause lasting harm and reinforce racial disparities. Speakers will call for an end to discriminatory and punitive practices and for supportive, rights-based reforms driven by youth-led advocacy. Register using this [link](#).

5:30PM - 7:30PM (ET): For the first time ever, the United States is refusing to participate in its human rights review. Our convening will bring together advocates, scholars, system-impacted families, and international experts to expose how the U.S. family policing system (“child welfare”) operates as a machine of surveillance, control, and racialized punishment. Grounded in lived experience and shared resistance, the conversation will connect these domestic struggles to global human rights frameworks, underscore the U.S. government’s ongoing failures, and highlight the critical actions needed to build and strengthen communities instead. Register using this [link](#).

October 22, 2025. A UPR Reproductive Justice event will be hosted in New Orleans, Louisiana. Contact Diamond Cunningham for more information at diamond@louisianaabortionfund.org.

October 23, 2025 @ 10AM. The People’s UPR Halt Solitary & Justice Bus will be hosting a press conference in Harlem. Everyone is invited to come and talk about the People’s UPR. Learn more [here](#).

October 23, 2025. The People’s UPR in New York City on Thursday, October 23, 2025, at the Church Center of the United Nations, 777 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017. Please register at this [link](#) to receive a ticket for the event to attend in-person or to receive a link to view the live webstream.

October 27, 2025 @ 5:30 - 7:00 PM (ET) at Fordham Law School. The UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Health: Leveraging Domestic Legislative and Judicial Processes to Advance International Human Rights. UNGA side-event following the presentation of Special Rapporteur Dr. Tlaleng Mofokeng’s final report to the UN General Assembly. She will be reflecting on the legacy of her tenure as Special Rapporteur in conversation with South African human rights lawyer Advocate Letlhogonolo Mokgoroane. Their discussion will focus on Dr. Mofokeng’s unique use of legislative and judicial processes in the fulfillment of her mandate - to promote the entitlements to health care, and the underlying social determinants of health that

provide equality of opportunity for people to enjoy the highest attainable standard of health. Registration link [here](#).

October 28, 2025 @ 1pm-5pm in NYC. Contact Joshua Cooper for more information at joshuacooperhawaii@gmail.com.

November 11, 2025 @ 1pm-3pm ET Online. Right to Food in the United States: Solidarity and Accountability through the Universal Periodic Review. Register [here](#).

November 4, 2024 @ 1pm ET in DC. Greenpeace. Contact Joshua Cooper for more information at joshuacooperhawaii@gmail.com.