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## NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Dates of the 34th meeting of the Conference of the Parties (CoP-34) and the 61st meeting of the Executive Council (EC-61), via videoconference**

Dear Madam or Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that the 34th meeting of the Conference of the Parties (CoP-34) and the 61st meeting of the Executive Council (EC-61), will be held in June 2026, via videoconference, on the following dates:

- The 61st meeting of the Executive Council (EC-61) will be held on **3 June 2026**.
- The 34th meeting of the Conference of the Parties (CoP-34) will be held on **3 and 4 June 2026**.

The EC-61 and the CoP-34 will address financial and administrative matters related to the governance and future development of the Institute.

The CoP-34 agenda will also include the review and approval of administrative and financial matters, as well as the presentation of reports from the Executive Council and working groups. Elections of members of the Institute's advisory committees will also take place, together with the presentation of their respective reports. The meeting will further include a report from the Directorate on the progress of the Institute's programs and its main initiatives.

Provisional agendas and official documents for EC-61 and CoP-34 will be made available on the IAI website in the working languages of the IAI, English and Spanish, at least 30 days before the start of the meetings per the Standing Rules of the Executive Council of the IAI and the Standing Rules of the IAI Conference of the Parties. The registration link will be made available in due course.

The IAI Directorate is grateful for and acknowledges the generous offer and efforts made by the Governments of Colombia and Jamaica to co-host CoP-34.

Please accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely,



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Interim Executive Director