

T20 United States Summit 2026

Harnessing Knowledge and Ensuring Continuity for Better Policymaking in Uncertain Times

**The Program is still subject to change.*

Day 1 Wednesday, 18 November 2026				
8:45 - 9:30 am	Guest Arrivals / Registration / Light Breakfast & Coffee			
9:30 - 9:45 am	Welcome Remarks / Introductions			
9:45 - 10:15 am	Opening Plenary: Keynote Address & Moderated Panel: The United Nations and G20: Global Governance at a Crossroad - Alexia Latortue, Future of Development Cooperation Coalition Moderator: Maria João Rodrigues, Re-Imagine Europa			
10:20 - 11:00 am	Panel 1: Fostering Trade and People-Centered Economic Growth			
11:00 - 11:15 am	Coffee-Tea Break			
Time	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
11:15 am - 12:30 pm	Deep Dive 1A: T20/G20 Multi-Year Implementation Roadmaps	Deep Dive 1B: Strengthening the implementation of Climate Commitments through the G20, UK, and beyond	Deep Dive 1C: Governing Agentic AI: Shared Principles, Enforceable Safeguards, and Harmonized Global Governance	Deep Dive 1D: Rewiring Value Chains for Resilience and Global South Growth
12:30 - 1:30 pm	G20 Book Launch & Lunch "G20 Global South Presidencies (2022–25): Indonesia, India, Brazil, and South Africa." Published by the Institute for Policy, Advocacy and Governance (IPAG) International, U.S. - Amitabh Kant, <i>Sherpa G20 India 2023, Lead Author</i> - Professor Syed Munir Khasru, <i>Chairman, The Institute for Policy, Advocacy, and Governance, Editor</i> - Dima Al-Khatib, <i>Director, United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation (UNOSSC)</i>			
1:30 - 2:15 pm	Panel 2: Safeguarding Energy Security and Resilience			
2:15 - 3:00 pm	Panel 3: Mobilizing Finance and Tackling Debt Constraints, including through International Financial Architecture Reform			
3:00 - 3:15 pm	Coffee-Tea Break			
Time	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
3:15 - 4:30 pm	Deep Dive 2A: T20 Troika Plus	Deep Dive 2B: The New Alignment	Deep Dive 2C: <i>Energy security for the AI economy: Powering the next era of growth</i>	Deep Dive 2D: Building a Cohesive Global Order: Promoting Interregionalism between G20 and other international organizations
4:30 - 5:00 pm	Fireside Chat: The General Assembly and the United Nations System: Global Governance at an Inflection Point			
5:00 - 6:00 pm	Report Backs from Deep Dives 1 and 2, Discussion, and T20 U.S. Communiqué Design			
6:00 pm	Guests Depart for Reception			
6:15 - 7:30 pm	Reception Hosted at Member State			

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Day 2 Thursday, 19 November 2026				
8:30 - 9:00 am	Guest Arrivals / Light Breakfast & Coffee			
9:00 - 9:15 am	Welcome to Day II / Introductions & Day 1 Recap			
9:15 - 9:45 am	Special Plenary on Keeping the G20 and Its Engagement Groups Dynamic, Inclusive & Impactful			
9:45 - 10:30 am	Panel 4: Governing AI and other Innovative Technologies			
10:30 - 11:15 am	Coffee-Tea Break			
Time	Room 1	Room 2	Main Room	Room 4
11:15 am - 12:45 pm	Deep Dive 3A: G5 Epistemic Caucus	Deep Dive 3B: T20/G20 Foresight Network	Deep Dive 3C: Track 1.5 G20 Engagement Groups Platform: G20-EGP	Deep Dive 3D: People-Centered, Place-Based Policies to Enhance Productivity and Cohesion on Both Sides of the Atlantic
12:45 - 1:45 pm	Lunch provided			
1:45 - 2:30 pm	Panel 5: Sustaining and Strengthening Global Coordination on Socioeconomic Development and Peacebuilding			
2:30 - 3:15 pm	Panel 6: Cross-Cutting G20/UN Themes and the Future of the T20			
3:15 - 3:30 pm	Coffee-Tea Break at Ford Foundation			
Time	Room 1	Room 2	Main Room	Room 4
3:30 - 4:45 pm	Deep Dive 4A: From Local Voices to Global Action: Closing the Implementation Gap	Deep Dive 4B: <i>Security Council Reform</i>	Deep Dive 4C: Fixing Trade: WTO Reform and Inclusive Economic Security	Deep Dive 4D: From Rule-Takers to Rule-Makers: Equitable AI and Data Governance
4:45 - 5:15 pm	Fireside Chat: Iran, Nukes & Choke Points: Finding a Durable Diplomatic Solution			
5:15 - 5:50 pm	Report Backs from Deep Dives 3 and 4, Discussion, and T20 U.S. Communiqué Design			
5:50 - 6:00 pm	Closing T20 Summit Remarks, Handover to the T20 UK, & Vote of Thanks			
6:00 - 7:00 pm	Closing Networking Reception at Ford Foundation			

Deep Dive Topics:

1. DEEP DIVE 1: T20 Troika Plus
2. DEEP DIVE 2: T20/G20 Multi-Year Implementation Roadmaps
3. DEEP DIVE 3: Track 1.5 G20 Engagement Groups Platform: G20-EGP
4. DEEP DIVE 4: T20/G20 Foresight Network
5. DEEP DIVE 5: People-Centered, Place-Based Policies to Enhance Productivity and Cohesion on Both Sides of the Atlantic**(Title change in progress)
6. DEEP DIVE 6: G5 Epistemic Caucus
7. DEEP DIVE 7: Strengthening the implementation of Climate Commitments through the G20 UK and beyond
8. DEEP DIVE 8: From Local Voices to Global Action: Closing the Implementation Gap
9. DEEP DIVE 9: Fixing Trade: WTO Reform and Inclusive Economic Security
10. DEEP DIVE 10: Rewiring Value Chains for Resilience and Global South Growth
11. DEEP DIVE 11: Building a Cohesive Global Order: Promoting Interregionalism between G20 and other international organizations
12. DEEP DIVE 12: From Rule-Takers to Rule-Makers: Equitable AI and Data Governance
13. DEEP DIVE 13: Governing Agentic AI: Shared Principles, Enforceable Safeguards, and Harmonized Global Governance
14. DEEP DIVE 14: Powering AI for Public Benefit: Compute and Energy Security
15. DEEP DIVE 15: The New Alignment
16. DEEP DIVE 16: Security Council Reform