# NDV 28 PROGRAMME

## WEDNESDAY 9 APRIL

- 08:00 09:00 Arrival and registration of participants
- 09:00 09:30 Coffee
- 09:30 10:00 Opening Session Room D
- **10:00 10:30 Keynote Speech** Room D
- 10:30 11:45
   Plenary Session 1:

   Room D
   Mine Action in Cities: Realities and Responses
- 12:00 13:00 Lunch
- 13:15 14:30 Side Events
  - Room B How can mine action operators best support reconstruction in urban environments that have suffered devastation during conflict?
  - Room C Syria at crossroads: Challenges and opportunities in addressing EO contamination in Syria's new context
  - Room E Mine Action Review briefing on latest 'Clearing the Mines', 'Clearing Cluster Munition Remnants', and environment reports
  - **Room F** Protecting civilians in active conflict
- 14:30 15:00 Coffee
- 15:00 16:15 Plenary Session 2: Room D Restoring Land for a Greener, Sustainable Future
- 16:30 17:45 Side Events
  - Room B Mine Action is Core for Safe Futures in Ukraine: Situation, Prospects and Challenges
  - Room C Advancing cross-border demining: Practices from successful projects and innovations from outside mine action
  - Room E Enhancing Media and Communications Capacity for Mine Action National Authorities
  - Room F Technology and Innovation Speed-Pitch Session

18:00 - 19:30 Reception

# THURSDAY 10 APRIL

- 08:00 09:15 Side Events
  - Room B Climate and environmental risks and outcomes in mine action practical tools and way forward
  - Room C From land release to durable solutions for resilient communities: measuring the impact of humanitarian mine action
  - Room E From Awareness to Action: How Community-Led EORE is Saving Lives in Conflict Affected Zones of Northeast Nigeria
- 09:15 09:30 Coffee
- 09:30 10:45 Plenary Session 3:
  - Room D National Capacity Development: Effective Localisation in Mine Action
- 11:00 12:15 Side Events
  - Room B Beyond the Blast: Progress and Challenges of Mine Action in the Sahel
  - Room C Securing the Future: Integrating Mine Action into Sudan's Humanitarian, Recovery, and Peacebuilding Effort
  - Room E Saving Lives Through Coordinated Action: Mine Action AoR's role in complex crises (Gaza, Syria, Ukraine)
  - Room F HDP Nexus for Effective Mine Action: Strengthening National Capacity from Emergency to Development

### 12:15 - 13:15 Lunch

- 13:15 14:30 Side Events
  - Room B Applying IMAS for ADS in National Mine Action Programmes: Challenges, Lessons, and Practical Solutions
  - Room C Clearing the Past, Securing the Future: Addressing Explosive Remnants of War in the Pacific
  - Room E Common Operational Datasets and Streamlined Reporting for Mine Action
- 14:30 15:00 Coffee
- **15:00 17:30** National Directors Breakout Sessions
  - Room B French
  - Room C English 1
  - Room D Arabic
  - Room E English 2

# FRIDAY 11 APRIL

# 08:00 - 09:15 Side Events Room B She maps. She protects. Women in GIS for Safer Lands Room C Sustainable and Nationally Owned from the Outset: Experiences from Lebanon and Syria Room E Residual Contamination Management Room F Advancing Research, Innovation, and Technology in Humanitarian Mine Action 09:15 - 09:30 Coffee 09:30 - 10:45 Plenary Session 4:

Room D Report back from the National Directors breakout sessions

### 11:00 - 12:15 Side Events

- Room B 25 years of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda Maintaining progress across pillars of mine action
- Room C Mine action in Gaza Saving lives, enabling humanitarian response and rubble removals
- Room E Partnerships in Action: How Collaboration and Innovation Drive Impact
- Room F Pathways to access: Mine Action through Community Engagement in Colombia
- 12:15 13:15 Lunch
- 13:15 14:30 Side Events
  - Room B A Global Call to Strengthen Mine Action Efforts in the Central African Republic
  - Room C What will mine clearance look like in 2030? A strategic approach to mine action innovation
  - Room E Strengthening Local Capacity to Respond to Explosive Injuries
  - Room F Mine Action in Yemen a path towards improved livelihood
- 14:30 15:00 Coffee
- 15:00 16:15 Plenary Session 5:
  - Room D Casualty Recording, a Fundamental Tool To Preserve Lives
- 16:15 16:45 Closing Session