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Dear Colleagues,

I am pleased to invite you, on behalf of the SIO Chair and the members of the Executive Board, to attend the 35th annual session of the SIO. This meeting will take place in Geneva on 6 and 7 May 2009 and be hosted by the United Nations Office in Geneva (UNOG). The meeting will be preceded by a Workshop on “Access to Records and Archives: policies and practices to increase accountability and transparency” on 4 and 5 May hosted by the International Labor Organization (ILO). You’re also kindly invited to participate in this workshop.

Please find attached the provisional agenda for the meeting. Should you wish to suggest additional items for the agenda then you’re welcome to do so (in an e-mail to me). More detailed information about the workshop contents, practical arrangements and an updated agenda will be sent to you before the meeting. You are also kindly invited to consult the SIO web site (http://www.unesco.org/webworld/ica_sio/), where more information will be posted.

Please confirm to me by email (canelaga@unhcr.org) as soon as possible whether you will be able to attend the meeting and/or the workshop.

Warm regards

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35th Meeting of the Section of International Organizations, International Council on
Archives (ICA/SIO)
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Provisional Agenda

1. Introduction
2. ICA programme and activities
3. Update on projects in the SIO Activity plan 2008-2012
4. Round table session on activities in member organizations (5 minutes per organization)
5. Vital records programme
6. Multimedia archives of international organizations (presentation on audiovisual digitisation projects of the International Tribunals)
7. Membership (including campaign)
8. Web site developments
9. SIO budget / financial status
10. SIO statutes
11. Recommendations