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New Questions Answered

Sudan: Voter Registration of nomad tribes without a permanent address: We would highly appreciate if anyone could give us information on this issue: "I am currently doing research for the UN mission in Sudan for the upcoming referendum in January. There appears to be problems regarding voter registration for nomadic tribe members. ... [read more »](#)

Electoral system simulation tool International IDEA is looking to develop an online tool for electoral system simulations that can be used to illustrate the difference between different systems in real or fictional countries. There are several tools available already, but most seem to focus on the setup of one specific country or one or two electoral systems, and not be able to be used more widely. ... [read more »](#)

Electoral violence - early warning tools As a result of recent violence surrounding recent elections - such as that in Kenya, Mongolia and Pakistan - International IDEA has begun work on identifying existing methodologies that may be used to forecast the potential for violence during the electoral cycle. Although we are aware of ongoing efforts to monitor potential violent outbreaks in a more general sense, we have but a few examples of tools that are being used to predict/prevent violence that is triggered by the electoral cycle. ... [read more »](#)

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Burkina Faso Presidential, November 21

Moldova Parliamentary, November 28

Tonga Parliamentary, November 25

Haiti Presidential, November 28

Cote d'Ivoire Presidential, November 28

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Events Calendar

November 23, 2010 | Johannesburg, South Africa
[Fifth Annual EISA Symposium](#)

November 25, 2010 | Johannesburg, South Africa
[Electoral Management Bodies \(EMBs\) workshop on Elections and Technology](#)

December 2, 2010 | London, United Kingdom
[FuturE-Democracy'2010](#)

December 6, 2010 | Washington, D.C.
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