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## Diary Notice World Economic Forum: Amnesty International Secretary General to urge greater respect for human rights in meeting global challenges

Amnesty International's Secretary General Irene Khan will be attending the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting in Davos, Switzerland from the 18th to 22nd of January.

As the World Economic Forum's Annual Meeting highlights the need for a creative approach to global challenges, Ms Khan will call on the audience of government and corporate leaders, public figures, civil society participants, to put respect for human rights at the centre of all their initiatives.

Ms Khan will be making public presentations on rebuilding trust in public and private institutions, the responsibility of the corporate sector to respect and promote human rights, and the need for an Arms Trade Treaty to prevent irresponsible weapons transfers from undermining human rights and global security.

Ms Khan will also hold bilateral meetings with government representatives and CEOs.

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