

**Session: Synergies and differences between the Mine Ban Treaty, Convention on Cluster Munitions and Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities**

	<b>Mine Ban Treaty</b>	<b>Convention on Cluster Munitions</b>
Stockpile Destruction	<p>All stockpiles destroyed within 4 years.</p> <p>No deadline extension is possible.</p> <p>States may retain the “minimum number absolutely necessary” of antipersonnel mines for training and research on mine clearance.</p> <p>Reporting on the use of retained mines is on a voluntary basis.</p>	<p>All stockpiles destroyed within 8 years.</p> <p>States may request one or more deadline extension of up to 4 years. Extension request process has lessons learned from MBT.</p> <p>States may retain a “minimum number” of cluster munitions and submunitions for training and research on clearance.</p> <p>States must report on use of cluster munitions and submunitions retained.</p>
Clearance	<p>All mined areas must be cleared as soon as possible, within 10 years.</p> <p>States may require one or more deadline extensions of up to 10 years.</p> <p>States must report on location of contaminated areas and number of mines cleared.</p>	<p>All contaminated areas must be cleared as soon as possible, within 10 years.</p> <p>States may request one or more deadline extensions of up to 5 years. Extension request process has lessons learned from MBT.</p> <p>States must report on size and location of areas contaminated and size and location of areas cleared.</p>
Transparency Reporting	<p>States must report annually on a number of issues related to treaty implementation.</p> <p>Reporting forms are already agreed upon, though can evolve.</p>	<p>States must report annually on a number of issues related to treaty implementation.</p> <p>Reporting forms should be agreed to at the First Meeting of the States Parties.</p>
National Implementation Measures	<p>States must take all appropriate legal, administrative and other measures, including the imposition of penal sanctions, to prevent and suppress any prohibited activity.</p>	<p>States must take all appropriate legal, administrative and other measures to implement the convention, including the imposition of penal sanctions to prevent and suppress any prohibited activity.</p>