Some interesting facts

- 2018 – 311.8 million were available (RB 125.6m / XB 186.2m)

- To respond positively to requests for assistance in 2019 - 321 million USD are required from voluntary contributions to supplement the 111 million from the RB.
OHCHR – In the Field through 72 Presences

- Regional Offices (12)
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- Human Rights Components Of UN Peace Missions (12)
- Human Rights Advisors/HR Mainstreaming Projects in UN Country Teams (31)
OHCHR Technical Cooperation & Advisory Services on the ground

- Provision of expert legal advice on HRs Issues
- Facilitate learning, knowledge transfer
- HR education and capacity building
- Outreach and human rights awareness raising

GREATER FREEDOM
OHCHR Technical Cooperation & Advisory Services on the ground

- Monitor to understand human rights challenges on the ground; report on human rights situations & provide advice and programmes to address them

- Provide support to protect CSOs, Activists and HR Defenders

- Facilitate dialogues amongst all stakeholders
Voluntary contributions channeled and managed through nine trust funds and support all TC from the Office.

VFTC – the second largest fund - one of the tools to provide technical cooperation on the ground (others: Regular Budget for Technical Cooperation; UPR Trust Fund)
VFTC – 2018 Expenditures in technical cooperation and advisory services

Estimated Total: 15,456,207

HRAs/Mainstreaming
Staff Costs – 6,500,203
Activity costs – 2,232,798
59 Staff Total in 29 countries

Country Offices
Staff Costs: 4,045,745
Activity costs: 1,672,258
42 Staff in total in 4 countries

Peace Missions – HR Components
Staff Costs: 0
Activity costs: 1,005,223
In 9 countries
Samples of results in support of implementation of recommendations from HR mechanisms and in support of SDG Implementation
Implementation through partnerships

- Government, including local administration
- Judiciary and parliament
- Law enforcement: police and prisons
- National Human Rights Institutions
- Civil society
- Media
- Academic institutions
- UN agencies
- Regional human rights protection mechanisms
The Regional Office for Central America developed a Model Protocol to guide investigations and prosecutions of gender-based killings of women in Latin America.

An online training course on the Model Protocol, with a first online training in Argentina.

Currently training 220 public officials in Central America.
Regional Offices/Regional Centres

- Supported the NHRC Thailand & Ministry of Justice on the organization of the consultation on the draft National Action Plan on Business and Human Rights.

- The consultation, first one organized with broad-based participation, included 250 human rights defenders, representatives from CSOs, and affected communities across Thailand.

- Information is incorporated into the draft of the National Action Plan following the country visit in March 2018 by the Working Group.

- East Africa
- Southern Africa
- Central Africa
- West Africa
- Middle East & North Africa
- Pacific
- South East Asia
- Central America
- South America
- SW Asia/Arab Region
- Central Asia
- Europe
Country Offices/Human Rights Missions

- Uganda
- Guinea
- Burundi
- Cambodia
- Seoul (DPRK)
- OPT
- Mauritania
- **Tunisia**
- Yemen
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- Syria Based in Beirut

Support the county to further strengthen its position as a regional leader in women’s equality:

- Technical advice on the elaboration and adoption of a landmark law on eliminating violence against women and girls, in full compliance with international human rights standards.

- Five-year process of developing the bill, working alongside the authorities, civil society groups and UN organisations.

- Positive provisions in the legislation include the classification of gender-based violence as a public order offence and the establishment of a police unit to deal with gender-based violence.
Country Offices/Human Rights Missions

Support provided to prison authorities and prisoners themselves who are often without up-to-date information on their cases.

With the information prisons are able to fully implement their sentences, prisoners are able to apply for sentence reductions or pardons and release procedures.

The Office has helped technically to document thousands of cases that were missing information on their sentences or appeal rulings. By working with all partners contributed to reducing the backlog of prisoners awaiting appeal and helped to improve the legality of detention.

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Human Rights Advisors in UN Country Teams

Supporting efforts in respect to groups at highest risk of being left behind:

- Advice and assistance to NCHR & Statistics Bureau identifying stronger data collection and analysis.

- Twenty five population groups most at risk identified: indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons with albinism, slum dwellers, and women from the poorest regions.

- Approach integrated into next year’s Census

- Experience being replicated in other countries in the Africa & Americas

- Chad
- Kenya
- Madagascar
- Rwanda
- Sierra Leone
- Malawi
- Nigeria
- Sri Lanka
- Papua New Guinea
- Timor Leste
- Philippines
- Asia-Pacific (Bangkok)
- Sth Caucasus
- FYR Macedonia
- Paraguay
- Jamaica
- ……
Human Rights Components in UN Peace Missions

- Sudan
- South Sudan
- DRC
- Liberia
- CAR
- Guinea Bissau
- Somalia
- Mali
- Afghanistan
- Iraq
- Libya
- Kosovo
- Haiti

- Joint Investigation Teams deployed on 23 occasions and 25 mobile court hearings facilitated - 903 beneficiaries victims and witnesses.

- Regular contacts maintained with national authorities of military justice to share monthly updates about its human rights monitoring.

- Supported mobile court hearings of military tribunals, which resulted in the sentencing of 11 military and three police agents for sexual violence offences.
Q&As

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