

CED and WGEID Joint Webinar on Search and Investigation

Marking 40 years of the Working Group and 10 years of the Convention for the Protection of all Persons from Enforced Disappearance

Draft Program of Meeting

Webinar I- 23 September from 14h00 to 15h30

Search and investigations: how to promote the implementation of the CED and WGEID recommendations

Topics	Speaker	Speaking Time	Key messages	Intervention
1. Welcome	Moderator ¹ : Olivier de Frouville , <i>member of the CED</i>	6 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intro to webinar• Brief intro to the Committee and the WGEID.• 10th Anniversary of the Convention (call to ratify).• Relevance of the WGEID mandate on 40th anniversary	14h00-14h06
2. Opening (Anniversaries)	H.E. Mr. François Rivasseau , Ambassador of France	3 minutes	Words of Support to the mechanisms.	14h06-14h09
	H.E. Mr. Okaniwa Ken , Ambassador of Japan	3 minutes	Words of Support to the mechanisms.	14h09-14h12
3. Search and investigation	Rainer Huhle, and Maria Clara Galvis Patiño , <i>former members of the CED</i>	8 minutes	CED: Guiding Principles for the Search for Disappeared Persons	14h12-14h20
	Luciano Hazan , <i>Chair of the WGEID</i>	6 minutes	WGEID: Thematic Report on standards and public policies for an effective investigation of enforced disappearances	14h20-14h26
4. Stock taking	Estela Carlotto , <i>Grandmothers of the Plaza de Mayo (Argentina)</i>	8 minutes	Lived experience engaging in the search of relatives/access to justice.	14h26-14h34

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	Fadel Abdul Ghany , <i>Syrian Network for Human Rights (SNHR)</i>	8 minutes	Lived experience engaging in the search of victims/access to justice.	14h34-14h42
	Commissioner Nimalka Fernando , <i>Office on Missing Persons (OMP), Sri Lanka</i>	8 minutes	Progress made and recurring obstacles	14h42-14h50
	Carmen E. Osorno Solís , <i>Forensic Commission (EAAF- Mexico)</i>	8 minutes	Progress made and recurring obstacles	14h50-14h58
4. Q&A Public	Moderator/participants/experts	30 minutes		14h58-15h28
7. Closing	Bernard Duhaime , <i>member of the WGEID</i>	4 minutes		15h28-15h32

Webinar II-25 September from 12h00 to 13h30

Ways forward in the current global context: How to tackle impunity for cases of enforced disappearance and promote victim centred approaches

Topics	Speaker	Speaking Time (minutes)	Key messages	
1. Welcome	Moderator²: Gabriella Citroni , <i>Senior Legal Advisor, TRIAL International</i>	5 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to webinar • Outline and “rules” • Introduction of speakers 	12h00-12h05
2. Opening	His Excellency Mr. Federico Villegas , <i>Ambassador of Argentina</i>	3 minutes	Words of support to the mechanisms.	12h05-12h08
	Ms. Wiam Labiad , <i>Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Morocco</i>	3 minutes	Words of support to the mechanisms.	12h08-12h11
3. The role of international human rights mechanisms looking forward	Carmen Rosa Villa , <i>member of the CED</i>	5 minutes	The jurisprudence of the Committee and relevance of its mechanisms to tackle impunity and promote	12h11-12h16

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			victim centred approaches.	
	Houria Eslami , <i>member of the WGEID</i>	5 minutes	The role of the WG; Enhanced focus on the support to relatives.	12h16-12h21
4. Regional Perspectives	Khurram Parvez , <i>Chair of Asian Federation Against Enforced Disappearances</i>	8 minutes	EID and tackling impunity, examples from Asia.	12h21-12h29
	Joanna Evans , <i>Legal Director of the European Human Rights Advocacy Centre</i>	8 minutes	Tackling impunity, examples from Europe.	12h29-12h37
	Commissioner Antonia Urrejola Noguera , <i>IAHRC (TBC)</i>	6 minutes	IACHR work on enforced disappearances in the Americas.	12h37-12h43
	Commisioner Ndiame Gaye , <i>Chairperson of the Working Group on Death Penalty, Extra-Judicial, Summary or Arbitrary Killings and Enforced Disappearances in Africa, ACHPR</i>	6 minutes	The ACHPR mandate on enforced disappearance and how the WG will be addressing enforced disappearances in Africa.	12h43-12h49
5. Capacity building and promoting multi-disciplinary approaches	Andreas Kleiser , <i>Director Policy and Cooperation ICMP</i>	6 minutes	ICMP: good practices and successes.	12h49-12h55
	Mina Rauschenbach , <i>University of Lausanne</i>	6 minutes	The value of multidisciplinary to a victim-centered approach.	12h55-13h01
6. Q&A Public	Moderator/participants/experts	25 minutes		13h01-13h26
7. Closing	Mohamed Ayat , <i>Chair of the CED</i>	4 minutes		13h26-13h30