

**Report of the Consultative Group to the President of the Human Rights Council
relating to the vacancies of mandate holders to be appointed
at the fifty-fifth session of the Human Rights Council
Addendum (mandates on environment and climate change)**

16 February 2024

I. Background

1. In paragraphs 47 and 49 of the annex to its resolution 5/1, the Human Rights Council decided to establish a Consultative Group comprised of five members appointed by Regional Groups and serving in their personal capacity. The Consultative Group is mandated by the Council to propose to the President a list of candidates who possess the highest qualifications for the mandate in question and meet the general criteria and particular requirements. Recommendations to the President of the Human Rights Council are required to be made public and substantiated pursuant to paragraph 50 of the annex to resolution 5/1.

2. The members of the Consultative Group for the selection of the mandate holders to be appointed at the fifty-fifth session of the Human Rights Council (26 February to 5 April 2024) are: Her Excellency Ms. Claudia Fuentes Julio (Chile),¹ His Excellency Mr. Abdul-Karim Hashim Mostafa (Iraq), His Excellency Mr. Andranik Hovhannisyan (Armenia) and Dr. Iakovos Iakovidis (Greece).² The working cycle of the current Consultative Group commenced on 1 April 2023 and will end on 31 March 2024, pursuant to paragraph 1(b) of Council decision 30/115. The Consultative Group held its initial organizational meeting on 25 April 2023.

3. A total of 14 vacancies of mandate holders, that is 2 expert mechanism and 12 special procedure positions, are to be filled at the Council's fifty-fifth session as follows (listed in alphabetical order):

1. **Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, member from Africa** (Human Rights Council resolution 33/25)
2. **Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, member from North America** (Human Rights Council resolution 33/25)
3. **Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/4)
4. **Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali** (Human Rights Council resolution 52/42)³
5. **Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment** (Human Rights Council resolution 46/7)³
6. **Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change** (Human Rights Council resolution 48/14)
7. **Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/8)

¹ H.E. Ms. Claudia Fuentes Julio (Chile) replaced H.E. Mr. Alvaro Moerzinger Pagani (Uruguay), who resigned on 3 October 2023.

² The Group of African States has not yet designated a new member to serve the remainder of the term of H.E. Mr. Stuart H. Comberbach (Zimbabwe) following his resignation on 16 October 2023.

³ The appointment of this mandate holder will be made provided that the mandate itself is extended by the Human Rights Council.

- 8. Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association** (Human Rights Council resolution 50/17)
- 9. Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from African States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
- 10. Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Asia-Pacific States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
- 11. Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Eastern European States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
- 12. Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Latin American and Caribbean States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
- 13. Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Western European and other States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
- 14. Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination, member from African States** (Human Rights Council resolution 51/13)

4. Out of the 14 vacancies, 7 were initially foreseen and 7 arose subsequently as follows: vacancies 5 and 6 (as numbered above), namely those of Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment and of Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change, were not initially foreseen and arose due to the resignation of the mandate holders, Mr. David Boyd, effective as of 1 May 2024, and Mr. Ian Fry, effective as of 8 December 2023, respectively. Vacancies 9 to 13 (as numbered above) relating to the Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas were not initially foreseen and arose due to the establishment of the new Working Group mandate by the Human Rights Council at its fifty-fourth session.

5. On 29 January 2024, the Consultative Group presented its main report⁴ to the President of the Human Rights Council with its list of candidates recommended for the following 12 mandates (listed in alphabetical order):

- 1. Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, member from Africa** (Human Rights Council resolution 33/25)
- 2. Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, member from North America** (Human Rights Council resolution 33/25)
- 3. Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/4)
- 4. Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali** (Human Rights Council resolution 52/42)⁵
- 5. Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/8)
- 6. Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association** (Human Rights Council resolution 50/17)

⁴ Available [here](#).

⁵ The appointment of this mandate holder will be made provided that the mandate itself is extended by the Human Rights Council.

7. **Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from African States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
8. **Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Asia-Pacific States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
9. **Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Eastern European States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
10. **Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Latin American and Caribbean States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
11. **Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas, member from Western European and other States** (Human Rights Council resolution 54/9)
12. **Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination, member from African States** (Human Rights Council resolution 51/13)

6. In the said report, the Consultative Group indicated that the recommendations relating to the two remaining unforeseen vacancies would be presented as soon as possible in an addendum to the report (reference is made to paragraph 7). This was due to the timing of the resignations, the question of quorum in relation to one of the unforeseen vacancies (in view of Consultative Group's incomplete membership and the recusal of one of its members), and the short time available for the launch of the call for applications for the other unforeseen vacancy.

7. The present addendum, to be read in conjunction with the main report of the Consultative Group dated 29 January 2024, contains the recommendations of the Consultative Group in relation to the following two remaining mandates:

13. **Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment** (Human Rights Council resolution 46/7)⁶
14. **Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change** (Human Rights Council resolution 48/14)

II. Process

8. The application period for the submission of applications for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment opened on 18 October and closed on 30 November 2023 (12 noon Geneva time). The application period for the submission of applications for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change opened on 14 December 2023 and closed on 19 January 2024 (12 noon Geneva time).

9. The Consultative Group considered 82 individual applications, from 66 eligible candidates,⁷ submitted for the aforementioned two mandates covered in this addendum to the report, in accordance with the relevant paragraphs of Human Rights Council resolution 16/21. The applications of the eligible candidates were made public on the designated web page⁸ of the Office of the United Nations

⁶ The appointment of this mandate holder will be made provided that the mandate itself is extended by the Human Rights Council.

⁷ Several candidates submitted applications for the two mandates covered in this addendum.

⁸ See <https://www.ohchr.org/en/hr-bodies/hrc/sp/hrc55>.

High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) as provided for in paragraph 22 (b) of the annex to Council resolution 16/21 and paragraph 26 of President's statement PRST OS/14/2 (see also annex I of this addendum for the alphabetical list of eligible candidates per mandate).

10. The Consultative Group followed the same methodology as for the vacancies covered in its main report dated 29 January 2024. Reference is made to paragraph 8 as well as paragraphs 13 – 16, 18 and 19 of section II entitled "Process."

11. As per paragraph 51 of the annex to Council resolution 5/1 and paragraph 33 of President's statement PRST OS/14/2, the Consultative Group took note of the perspectives offered by stakeholders in determining the necessary expertise, experience, skills and other relevant requirements for the mandates in question.⁹

12. The Consultative Group held a total of four formal meetings on 5, 12 and 13 February 2024 to consider and interview candidates for the aforementioned 12 vacancies. The chairing arrangements for the specific mandates under consideration are noted below under each respective mandate.

13. In accordance with paragraph 13 of President's statement PRST OS/14/2, H.E. Mr. Abdul-Karim Hashim Mostafa recused himself from participating in the shortlisting, interviews, deliberation and decision-making process for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment, since a candidate from Iraq was shortlisted for an interview.

14. The Consultative Group held a total of nine interviews with nine shortlisted candidates for the aforementioned two mandates (see annex II of this addendum for the alphabetical list of interviewees per mandate). These interviews took place from 12 to 13 February 2024, pursuant to paragraph 22 (c) of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 16/21. Each candidate was asked similar questions based on the relevant provisions of Council resolution 5/1, decision 6/102, resolution 16/21, President's statement PRST OS/14/2 and Council resolutions relating to the specific mandates under consideration.

15. Shortlisted candidates were able to request in advance and make use of interpretation in one of the six official languages of the United Nations during their interviews, pursuant to the President's statements PRST 29/1 and PRST OS/14/2. None of the shortlisted candidates for the two mandates covered by this addendum requested interpretation.

16. The Consultative Group carried out interviews by video calls through the platform Webex.

17. The decisions of the Consultative Group were taken by consensus and on the basis of the information provided by the candidates, both in their application forms and during the interviews.

III. Candidates proposed by the Consultative Group to the President for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment

18. The Consultative Group makes the below recommendations for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment in the understanding that the appointment will be confirmed only provided that the mandate itself is renewed by the Human Rights Council at its fifty-fifth session.

19. The meetings held by the Consultative Group in relation to this mandate were chaired by H.E. Ms. Claudia Fuentes Julio (Chile). There were 31 eligible candidates for this vacancy. Of the six

⁹ Letter signed by a number of civil society organizations concerning the appointment of the next Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment dated 30 November 2023.

candidates interviewed, the Consultative Group decided to recommend the following three candidates as best qualified to fulfil the mandate, ranking them in the order of preference below.

1. Astrid PUENTES RIAÑO (F) (Mexico)

2. Ismaeel DAWOOD (M) (Iraq)

3. Claudia ITUARTE-LIMA (F) (Mexico)

20. **Astrid Puentes Riaño** is a Professor at the Environmental Justice Law Clinic Berta Cáceres of the Ibero-American University in Mexico. During the interview, she indicated that she also serves as Co-Chair of the Board of Directors of the organization International Rivers and in the Board of Directors of the organization Nuestra América Verde. Previously, she worked as Senior Legal Counsel of Strategic Litigation at Greenpeace International, contractor with the United Nations, and independent consultant for the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, all in Mexico. She was also Co-Executive Director of the Interamerican Association for Environmental Defense in the United States of America and Mexico and Professor of the module on climate litigation at the Universidad Autónoma de México. She also engaged with the American University, Washington School of Law, to author a hypothetical case focusing on climate change and human rights. Ms. Puentes Riaño has published on issues relating to the field of the mandate. She holds a Law degree from Universidad de los Andes in Colombia, a Masters in Environmental Law from the University of the Basque Country in Spain, and a Masters in Comparative Law from the University of Florida in the United States. Ms. Puentes Riaño indicated that, if appointed mandate holder, she would resign from the Board of Directors of International Rivers and from the Board of Directors of Nuestra América Verde in order to avoid any potential conflict of interest. The Consultative Group noted Ms. Puentes Riaño's skills relevant for the mandate, including her ability to work with a variety of stakeholders, as well as her extensive experience and expertise in the field of the mandate. The Consultative Group also noted her excellent knowledge of and strong commitment to the mandate as well as her understanding of the obstacles it faces and her approach to address them. The Consultative Group further noted Ms. Puentes Riaño's ability to clearly articulate her priorities for the implementation of the mandate and her experience with the United Nations system. The Consultative Group appreciated her balanced, constructive and cooperative approach.

21. **Ismaeel Dawood** is the Civil Society Desk at the non-governmental organization Un Ponte Per in Italy, where he previously held other positions, namely Policy Officer, Project Manager and Coordinator of the Iraqi Civil Society Solidarity Initiative and Project Manager of the Program for Protecting Detainees and Torture Victims. He is also the Co-Founder and Board Member of the foundation Save the Tigris. Mr. Dawood has written on human rights issues, including on environmental rights. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Statistics from the University of Baghdad in Iraq and a PhD in Politics, Human Rights and Sustainability from the Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies in Italy. Mr. Dawood described the measures that he would be willing to take to address any potential conflict of interest that may arise should he be appointed mandate holder, including taking leave of absence from his position as Board Member of Save the Tigris. The Consultative Group noted Mr. Dawood's vast practical experience in the field of human rights, including on issues relating to the mandate. The Consultative Group also noted his motivation and his strong commitment to human rights, including the human right to a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment. The Consultative Group appreciated his collaborative approach.

22. **Claudia Ituarte-Lima** is the Leader of the Human Rights and Environment Thematic Area and Senior Researcher at the Raoul Wallenberg Institute on Human Rights and Humanitarian Law in Sweden. She also serves as Deputy Director for Latin America at the Global Network of Human Rights and Environment (GNHRE). Previously, she worked as Researcher and Legal Advisor at SwedBio of Stockholm University in Sweden; Visiting Research Associate at University of British

Columbia in Canada; Consultant, Visiting Research Associate and Coordinator of a case study at the University of Southampton; post-doctoral fellow at the Institute of Advanced Studies of the United Nations University in Japan; Consultant at the Mexican Center for Environmental Law; and Legal Advisor at the Ministry of the Environment of Mexico. Ms. Ituarte-Lima has several publications on issues relating to the field of the mandate. She holds a Bachelors of Law from the Ibero-American University in Mexico as well as a Masters in Philosophy from the University of Cambridge and a PhD in Socio-Legal Studies from the University College London, both in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Ms. Ituarte-Lima indicated that, if appointed mandate holder, she would be willing to step down from her positions as Leader of the Human Rights and Environment Thematic Area at the Raoul Wallenberg Institute and as Deputy Director for Latin America at GNHRE to prevent any perceived conflict of interest. The Consultative Group noted Ms. Ituarte-Lima's vast experience and expertise in the field of the mandate. The Consultative Group also noted her excellent knowledge of the mandate as well as her vision and priorities for its implementation. The Consultative Group appreciated Ms. Ituarte-Lima's motivation, commitment and collaborative approach.

IV. Candidates proposed by the Consultative Group to the President for the mandate of Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change

23. The meetings held by the Consultative Group in relation to this mandate were chaired by H.E. Ms. Claudia Fuentes Julio (Chile). There were 51 eligible candidates for this vacancy. Of the seven candidates interviewed, the Consultative Group decided to recommend the following three candidates as best qualified to fulfil the mandate, ranking them in the order of preference below.

1. Elisa MORGERA (F) (Italy)

2. Maria Antonia TIGRE (F) (Brazil)

3. Ademola Oluborode JEGEDE (M) (Nigeria)

24. **Elisa Morgera** is a Professor of Global Environmental Law at the University of Strathclyde in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. During the interview, she indicated that she is also an Adjunct Professor in International and European Union Environmental Law at the University of Eastern Finland. Previously, she worked as Lecturer, Senior Lecturer and Professor of Global Environmental Law at the University of Edinburgh in the United Kingdom; Associate Legal Officer at the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization in Italy; and Environmental Management Officer at the United Nations Development Programme in Barbados. She was also a consultant for the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, the United Nations Environment Programme and the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity. Ms. Morgera has published extensively on issues relating to the field of the mandate. She holds a Law degree from the University of Trieste as well as a Master of Research and a PhD in International Law from the European University Institute, all in Italy. She also holds a Master of Laws in Environmental Law from University College London in the United Kingdom. The Consultative Group noted Ms. Morgera's expertise as well as her extensive academic and practical experience in the field of the mandate, including with the United Nations system. The Consultative Group also noted her excellent knowledge of the mandate and her clearly articulated vision and priorities for its implementation. The Consultative Group further noted Ms. Morgera's clear understanding of the current challenges of the mandate and her collaborative approach to address them. The Consultative Group appreciated her motivation and cooperative approach.

25. **Maria Antonia Tigre** is Adjunct Professor at the Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University and Director of Global Climate Change Litigation at the Sabin Center for Climate Change Law of Columbia Law School, both in the United States of America. She also serves as Deputy Director of the Global Network for Human Rights and the Environment (GNHRE), where she previously served as Director for Latin America. In the past, she worked as Senior Attorney at the Cyrus R. Vance Center for International Justice and Fellow at the World Resources Institute, both in the United States, as well as Associate of the Environmental Programs at Buzaglo Dantas Advogados and at Doria, Jacobina, Rosado e Gondinho Advogados, both in Brazil. Ms. Tigre has numerous publications on issues relating to the field of the mandate. She holds a Juris Doctor from the Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro in Brazil as well as a Master of Laws in Environmental Law and Comparative Legal Studies and a Doctor of Juridical Science degree, both from the Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University. During the interview, Ms. Tigre indicated that she would be resigning from her role as Deputy Director of GNHRE on 1 April 2024. In addition, she described the measures that she would be willing to take to address any potential conflict of interest that may arise should she be appointed mandate holder. The Consultative Group noted Ms. Tigre's expertise and vast experience in the field of the mandate. The Consultative Group also noted her excellent understanding of the mandate as well as her clear vision and priorities for its implementation. The Consultative Group appreciated Ms. Tigre's motivation and enthusiasm.

26. **Ademola Oluborode Jegede** is a Professor of Law and Interim Director of the Ismail Mahomed Centre for Human and Peoples' Rights at the University of Venda in South Africa. He also serves as member of the Climate Crisis Commission and Climate Change Law Specialist Group at the International Union for Conservation of Nature's (IUCN), and as external expert member of the Working Group on Children's Rights and Climate Change of the African Committee of Experts on the Rights and Welfare of the Child (ACERWC). Previously, he worked inter alia as Tutor at the Centre for Human Rights at the University of Pretoria in South Africa; Head of Research and Advocacy Unit at Negotiation and Conflict Management Group International in Nigeria; Legal Researcher at the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda in Tanzania; and Legal Practitioner at OJ Bamgbose & Co. in Nigeria. Mr. Jegede has numerous publications on issues relating to the mandate. He holds a Barrister at Law from Nigeria Law School, a Bachelor of Laws from Obafemi Awolowo University, and a Master of Public Health from the University of Ibadan, all in Nigeria. He also holds a Master of Laws in Human Rights and Democratisation in Africa and a Doctor of Laws degree in Human Rights, both from the University of Pretoria. Mr. Jegede indicated that, if appointed mandate holder, he would be willing to relinquish his roles with the IUCN Climate Crisis Commission and Climate Change Law Specialist Group and with the ACERWC Working Group on Children's Rights and Climate Change to avoid the possibility of a conflict of interest. The Consultative Group noted Mr. Jegede's extensive academic and practical experience in the field of the mandate. The Consultative Group also noted his vision for the implementation of the mandate as well as his clear understanding of the challenges it faces.

Annex I - List of eligible candidates by mandate¹⁰

Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment

First name	Last name	Nationality	Gender
Obijiofor	AGINAM	Nigeria	M
Abdurahman	AME	Ireland	M
Ananda Mohan	BHATTARAI	Nepal	M
Flaviano	BIANCHINI	Italy	M
Tendai	BITI	Zimbabwe	M
Alejandro	CACACE	Argentina	M
Leïla	CHIKHAOUI- MAHDAOUI	Tunisia	F
Nambitha	DAMBUZA-MAYOSI	South Africa	F
Ismaeel	DAWOOD	Iraq	M
Jonas	EBBESSON	Sweden	M
Namita	GUPTA	India	F
Claudia Beatriz	ITUARTE-LIMA	Mexico	F
Mostafa	KAMEL	Egypt	M
Carlos	LOZANO	Colombia	M
Jennifer	MCKAY	Australia	F
Elisa	MORGERA	Italy	F
Mutoy	MUBIALA	Democratic Republic of the Congo	M
S David Kawoe	NYUMA, JR	Liberia	M
Uche Ewelukwa	OFODILE	Nigeria	F
Astrid	PUENTES RIAÑO	Mexico	F
Tianbao	QIN	China	M
Sushil	RAJ	United States of America	M
Urooj	RAJA	United States of America	F
Nadjet	SACI	Algeria	F
Maud	SARLIEVE	France	F
Axana	SOLTAN	Afghanistan	F
Yingxia	TANG	China	F
Maria Antonia	TIGRE	Brazil	F
Cynthia	UMEZULIKE	Nigeria	F
Christina	VOIGT	Norway	F
Xiangyi	WANG	China	F

¹⁰ The list of mandates and of candidates is provided in alphabetical order.

Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change

First name	Last name	Nationality	Gender
Hussein	ABAZA	Egypt	M
Joycelyn	ACQUAH	Ghana	F
Obijiofor	AGINAM	Nigeria	M
Mohammed	AL-KUWARI	Qatar	M
Abdurahman	AME	Ireland	M
Sulaiman	ASHIRU	Nigeria	M
Sumudu	ATAPATTU	United States of America	F
Bithinah	AWAD	Saudi Arabia	F
Natalia	CASTRO NIÑO	Colombia	F
Ricardo Javier	DOMINGUEZ LLOSA	Spain	M
Sébastien	DUYCK	France	M
Eghosa	EKHATOR	Nigeria	M
Elisa	FORNALÉ	Italy	F
Erika	GEORGE	United States of America	F
Claudia	ITUARTE-LIMA	Mexico	F
Ademola Oluborode	JEGEDE	Nigeria	M
Chaoyi	JIANG	China	F
Mostafa	KAMEL	Egypt	M
Hilaire	KASONGO SHAKO	Democratic Republic of the Congo	M
Arvind	KUMAR	India	M
Chen	LIU	China	F
Maria Jose	LUBERTINO BELTRAN	Argentina	F
Jiang	LYU	China	M
Alyssa Jade	MCDONALD	Australia	F
Jennifer	MCKAY	Australia	F
Adebowale	MEROYI	Nigeria	F
Sai Sampath	METTU	India	M
Elisa	MORGERA	Italy	F
Sethunya	MOSIME	Botswana	F
Mutoy	MUBIALA	Democratic Republic of the Congo	M
Princess Cecilia	NDIFON	Cameroon	F
Gervais	NZOA	Cameroon	M
Uche Ewelukwa	OFODILE	Nigeria	F
Jacqueline	PEEL	Australia	F

Luis Felipe	POLO	Peru	M
Astrid	PUENTES RIAÑO	Mexico	F
Sushil	RAJ	United States of America	M
			Non-
Tikumporn	RODKHUNMUANG	Thailand	binary
Soheil	SHAYEGH	United States of America	M
Hao	SHEN	China	M
Xu	SHUANG	China	F
Magdalena	SMIESZEK	Poland	F
Axana	SOLTAN	United States of America	F
Carlos Antonio Martín	SORIA DALL'ORSO	Peru	M
Yingxia	TANG	China	F
Maria Antonia	TIGRE	Brazil	F
Cynthia C.	UMEZULIKE	Nigeria	F
Christina	VOIGT	Norway	F
Xiangyi	WANG	China	F
Margaretha	WEWERINKE-SINGH	Kingdom of the Netherlands	F
Chunfu	YANG	China	M

Annex II – List of shortlisted candidates interviewed by the Consultative Group¹¹

Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment

First name	Last name	Nationality	Gender
Ismaeel	DAWOOD	Iraq	M
Claudia Beatriz	ITUARTE-LIMA	Mexico	F
Elisa	MORGERA	Italy	F
Astrid	PUENTES RIAÑO	Mexico	F
Maud	SARLIEVE	France	F
Christina	VOIGT	Norway	F

Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change

First name	Last name	Nationality	Gender
Claudia	ITUARTE-LIMA	Mexico	F
Ademola Oluborode	JEGEDE	Nigeria	M
Elisa	MORGERA	Italy	F
Astrid	PUENTES RIAÑO	Mexico	F
Maria Antonia	TIGRE	Brazil	F
Christina	VOIGT	Norway	F
Margaretha	WEWERINKE-SINGH	Kingdom of the Netherlands	F

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