

**Expert workshop on possible ways to enhance the participation of Indigenous Peoples in the work of the Human Rights Council**

**21 – 24 November 2022**

**Room XXVI, Palais des Nations, Geneva**

**Registration obligatory for all participants by 18 November 2022, 10 a.m.:** [**https://indico.un.org/event/1001537/**](https://indico.un.org/event/1001537/)

**AGENDA**

**Monday, 21 November 2022**

**10:00 – 10:10 Indigenous opening**

**10:10 – 10:20**  Ms. Peggy HICKS, Director, Thematic Engagement, Special Procedures and Right to Development Division, OHCHR

**10:20 – 12:30 Opening remarks**

H.E. Mr. Federico VILLEGAS, President Human Rights Council

H.E. Ms. Tine MØRCH SMITH, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Norway, Co-facilitator Representative States

Ms. Mariam WALLET ABOUBAKRINE, Co-facilitator Representative Indigenous Peoples

Mr. Binota Moy DHAMAI, Chair Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

Mr. Dario MEJÍA MONTALVO, Chair of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Mr. Francísco CALÍ TZAY, Special Rapporteur on the rights of Indigenous Peoples (video)

12:30 – 13:00 Contributions from the floor

**13:00 – 15:00 Lunch break**

**15:00 – 18:00 Venues of participation**

15:00 - 15:10 Introduction of topic by Mr. Les Malezer (IPs expert)

15:10 – 16:10 Discussion among experts (States’ experts and IPs experts)

16:10 – 18:00 Contributions from the floor and open discussion

**Tuesday, 22 November 2022**

**10:00 – 13:00 Participation modalities**

10:00 – 10:10Introduction of the topic by Ms. Sara OLSVIG (IPs expert)

10:10 – 11:10 Discussion among experts (States’ experts and IPs experts)

11:10 – 13:00 Contributions from the floor and open discussion

**13:00 – 15:00 Lunch break**

**15:00 – 18:00 Selection criteria**

15:00 - 15:15 Introduction of topic by Mr. Kenneth DEER (IPs expert)

15:15 – 16:30 Discussion among experts (States’ experts and IPs experts)

16:30 – 18:00 Contributions from the floor and open discussion

**Wednesday, 23 November 2022**

**10:00 – 13:00 Selection criteria (continued)**

Contributions from the floor and open discussioncontinued

**13:00 – 15:00 Lunch break**

**15:00 – 18:00 Selection mechanism**

15:00 - 15:10 Introduction of topic by Mr. Iniquilipi CHIARI (IPs expert)

15:10 – 16:10 Discussion among experts (States’ experts and IPs experts)

16:10 – 18:00 Contributions from the floor and open discussion

**Thursday, 24 November 2022**

**10:00 – 13:00 Recommendations**

10:00 – 12:00 Proposals from experts (States’ and IPs’)

12:00 – 13:00Contributions from the floor and open discussion

**13:00 – 15:00 Lunch break**

**15:00 – 17:30 Recommendations (continued)**

Contributions from the floor and open discussion continued

**17:30 – 18:00 Closing remarks**

17:30 – 17:45 H.E. Ms. Tine MØRCH SMITH, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Norway, Co-facilitator Representative States

Ms. Mariam WALLET ABOUBAKRINE, Co-facilitator Representative Indigenous Peoples

17:45 – 17:50 Mr. Hernan VALES, Chief Indigenous Peoples and Minorities Section, OHCHR

**17:50 – 18:00 Indigenous Closing**

**STATES EXPERTS**

Ms. Tove SØVNDAHL, Kingdom of Denmark

Ms. Stacey LAMBERT, Canada

Mr. Aramiro TAI RAKENA, New Zealand

**INDIGENOUS PEOPLES EXPERTS**

Africa: Mr. Belkacem LOUNES

Central and Eastern Europe, the Russian Federation, Central Asia and Transcaucasia: Ms. Daria EGEREVA

Central and South America, and the Caribbean: Mr. Iniquilipi CHIARI

North America: Mr. Kenneth DEER

the Arctic: Mrs. Sara OLSVIG

the Pacific: Mr. Les MELEZER