






## MULTI-STAKEHOLDER PANEL ON ASSESSING THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT AND ITS CONTRIBUTION TO THE FOLLOW-UP AND REVIEW OF THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DURING THE DECADE OF ACTION AND DELIVERY FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

### Biographies of experts

	<p><b>Ms. Lucy Fagan</b> is a public health doctor and committed youth advocate. As a young SRHR champion, she works with young people to help them spearhead advocacy and accountability efforts on the ICPD Programme of Action - including at the recent ICPD30 Global Youth Dialogue in Benin. She has also led national and global youth mobilisation efforts on sexual and reproductive health and rights and bodily autonomy, working with diverse grassroots youth movements and organisations from around the world. She is also an elected focal point in the UN Major Group for Children and Youth where she works to enhance and strengthen the voice of adolescents and youth on their health and rights through global, regional and national policy processes - including the upcoming Summit of the Future.</p>
	<p><b>Ms. Silvia Giorguli Saucedo</b> has been the president of El Colegio de México since 2015. During her time there, she has served as professor-researcher (2003–present) and director of the Center for Demographic, Urban and Environmental Studies (2009–2015). She is a former president of the Mexican Society of Demography. Her research has focused on international migration from Mexico to the United States, transitions to adulthood in Latin America, and the effects of demographic change. She has published extensively and participated in numerous national and international projects, expert groups and committees. Ms. Giorguli Saucedo studied Sociology at the National Autonomous University of Mexico and holds a master’s degree in Demography from El Colegio de México, a doctorate in Sociology from Brown University, and a research stay at Stanford University. She is the recipient of the Horace Mann Medal from Brown University. She was Senior Expert Advisor for the State of the World Population 2023 coordinated by UNFPA.</p>
	<p><b>Ms. Sivananthi Thanenthiran</b> is the Executive Director of the Asian-Pacific Resource &amp; Research Centre for Women (ARROW), a regional feminist partnership organization working across Asia and the Pacific, and the Global South. She writes and advocates extensively on sexual and reproductive health and rights, especially on the achievement of the ICPD Programme of Action in the region. She has led the organisation’s work on the interlinkages and intersections of SRHR with critical development issues such as climate change, food security, and migration. She has also helped bring intersectionality and the justice framework to the work of ARROW in the region, in the era of deepening inequalities, to ensure the realization of sexual and reproductive health and rights for the most marginalized.</p>





**Mr. Eliya Zulu** is the Executive Director and founder of the African Institute for Development Policy (AFIDEP), which was the 2023 UN Population Award Laureate for its outstanding work in supporting African governments determine evidence-informed policies for harnessing the demographic dividend. Mr. Zulu has over 20 years' experience in developing and managing research, capacity building, and policy engagement on a wide range of population and sustainable development issues in Africa. He has published over 60 peer-reviewed journal articles. He is the former president of the Union for African Population Studies and has served on numerous expert panels and committees to promote evidence-based research and policies. Mr. Zulu holds a Ph.D. in Demography from University of Pennsylvania, a Master's degree in Population and Development from Australian National University, and a Bachelor of Social Science in Economics and Applied Statistics from University of Malawi.

