

## SUBJECT TO CHANGE as of 11 October 2023

### Provisional list of special procedure mandate-holders, chairs of treaty bodies and other experts scheduled to make presentations to the Third Committee of the General Assembly at its seventy-eighth session

#### Thursday 28 September 2023 (am) - Item 24 (a & b): Social development

1. Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), Mr. Junhua LI
2. Director of the New York Office, UN-Habitat, Mr. Christopher WILLIAMS
3. Officer-in-charge/Acting Director, Division for Inclusive Social Development (DISD), DESA, Mr. John WILMOTH
4. [Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons, Ms. Claudia MAHLER \(GA res. 77/190 para. 65 and HRC res 51/4 para. 2\)](#)

#### Monday 2 October 2023 (am) – Items 107 & 108: Crime; Information and Technologies

1. Representative of the New York Liaison Office, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), Ms. Delphine SCHANTZ

#### Tuesday 3 October 2023 (am) - Item 25 (a & b): Advancement of women

1. Director of the Strategic Partnerships Division, UN-Women, Mr. Daniel SEYMOUR
2. [Chair of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Ms. Ana PELÁEZ NARVÁEZ \(GA res. 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
3. [Chair of the Working Group on discrimination against women and girls, Ms. Dorothy ESTRADA-TANCK \(HRC res. 44/17 para. 13 and res. 50/18 para 10 and 12\)](#)
4. [Special Rapporteur on violence against women and girls, its causes and consequences, Ms. Reem ALSALEM \(GA res. 77/193 para. 15 and HRC res. 50/7 para. 2\)](#)

#### Thursday 5 October 2023 (am) – Item 67: Rights of children

1. Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict, Ms. Virginia GAMBA
2. Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence Against Children, Dr. Najat Maalla M'JID
3. Special Adviser Child Rights, Office of the Executive Director, United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), Mr. Manuel FONTAINE

#### Thursday, 5 October 2023 (pm) – Item 67: Rights of children

1. [Chair of the Committee on the Rights of the Child, Ms. Ann SKELTON \(GA res. 76/147 para. 43 \(g\) and 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
2. [Special Rapporteur on the sale, sexual exploitation and sexual abuse of children, Ms. Mama Fatima SINGHATEH \(GA res. 76/147 para. 43 \(f\) and HRC res. 52/26 para. 2 and 4\)](#)

#### Monday, 9 October 2023 (pm) – Item 68 (a & b): Rights of Indigenous Peoples

1. [Special Rapporteur on the rights of Indigenous Peoples, Mr. José Francisco CALÍ TZAY \(HRC res. 51/16, para 2 and para 2 \(j\)\)](#)

#### Tuesday 10 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), Mr. Volker TÜRK

#### Wednesday 11 October 2023 (am)

1. President of the General Assembly, His Excellency Dennis FRANCIS

#### – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

2. [Chair of the Human Rights Committee, Ms. Tatiana ABDO ROCHOLL \(GA res. 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
3. [Chair of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights Ms. Laura CRACIUNEAN-TATU \(GA res. 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
4. [Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy \(Hansen's disease\) and their family members, Ms. Alice CRUZ \(HRC res. 53/8 para. 24\)](#)

#### Thursday 12 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, OHCHR, Ms. Ilze BRANDS KEHRIS
2. Assistant Secretary-General for the Middle East, Asia and the Pacific, Department of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs (DPPA), Mr. Khaled KHIARI
3. Deputy Director of the Sustainable Development Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General (EOSG), Ms. Lara BLANCO ROTHE
4. [Chair of the Committee against Torture, Mr. Claude HELLER \(GA res. 77/209 para. 52 and 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
5. [Chair of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, Ms. Suzanne JABBOUR \(GA res. 77/209 para. 52 and 77/210 para. 3\)](#)
6. [Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, Ms. Alice Jill EDWARDS \(HRC res. 52/7 para 1 and 1 \(g\)\)](#)

#### Thursday 12 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. [Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression, Ms. Irene KHAN \(HRC res. 52/9 para. 2 and 5\)](#)
2. [Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association, Mr. Clément Nyaletsossi VOULE \(HRC res. 50/17 para. 1 and 12\)](#)
3. [Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders, Ms. Mary LAWLOR \(GA res. 76/174 para. 31 and HRC res. 52/4 para. 2\)](#)

#### Friday 13 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. [Chair-Rapporteur of the Working Group on the Right to Development, Mr. Zamir AKRAM \(GA res. 77/212 para. 51\)](#)
2. [Chair of the Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development, Ms. Liliانا VALIÑA \(HRC res. 45/6 para. 11 and 45/29 para. 29 rec. 5\)](#)
3. [Special Rapporteur on the right to development, Mr. Surya DEVA \(HRC res. 33/14 para 14\(e\) and 51/7 para. 19\)](#)

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#### Friday 13 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. [Chair of the Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises, Mr. Damilola OLAWUYI \(HRC res 53/3 para. 3 and 17/14 para. 6\(j\)\)](#)
2. [Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery, including its causes and consequences, Mr. Tomoya OBOKATA \(HRC res. 51/15 para. 4 and 12\)](#)
3. [Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy, Ms. Ana Brian NOUGRÈRES \(HRC res. 28/16 para. 4 \(h\) and 46/16 para. 1\)](#)

#### Monday 16 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights

1. [Vice-Chair-Rapporteur of the Committee on Enforced Disappearances, Mr. Juan-Pablo ALBÁN ALENCASTRO \(GA res. 77/210 para. 3 and 76/158 para. 18\)](#)
2. [Chair-Rapporteur of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, Ms. Aua BALDÉ \(GA res. 76/158 para. 18, 77/210, para. 3, and HRC res. 45/3 para. 8\)](#)
3. [Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence, Mr. Fabian SALVIOLI \(HRC res. 18/7 para. 4 and 54/8 para. 4 and 6\)](#)

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### **Monday 16 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Chair of the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, Mr. Edgar CORZO SOSA (GA res.77/210 para. 3)
2. Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children, Ms. Siobhán MULLALLY (HRC res. 53/9 para. 14 and res. 26/8 para. 2 (k))
3. Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants, Mr. Felipe GONZÁLEZ MORALES (HRC res. 52/20 para. 1 and 1(h))

### **Wednesday 18 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the right to education, Ms. Farida SHAHEED (HRC res. 53/7 para. 24)
2. Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights, Ms. Alexandra XANTHAKI (HRC res 46/9 para. 1 and 52/18 para. 13)
3. Independent Expert on the enjoyment of human rights by persons with albinism, Ms. Muluka-Anne MITI-DRUMMOND (HRC res. 46/12 para. 3 and 28/6 para. 2 (h))

### **Thursday 19 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order, Mr. Livingstone SEWANYANA (GA res. 77/215 para. 23 and HRC res. 45/4 para. 3 and 9)
2. Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights, Ms. Alena DOUHAN (GA res. 77/214 para. 32 and HRC res. 45/5 para. 4 and 27/21 para. 27)
3. Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation, Mr. Pedro ARROJO-AGUDO (HRC. Res. 51/19 para. 4)

### **Thursday 19 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment, David R. BOYD (HRC res. 46/7 para. 5 and 6 (i))
2. Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change, Mr. Ian FRY (HCR res. 48/14 para. 2 and 2 (n))
3. Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes, Mr. Marcos A. ORELLANA (HRC res. 54/10 para. 2)

### **Friday 20 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context, Mr. Balakrishnan RAJAGOPAL (HRC res. 52/10, para. 3 and 10)
2. Special Rapporteur on the right to food, Mr. Michael FAKHRI (GA res. 77/217, para. 51 and HRC res. 49/13 para. 6)
3. Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights, Mr. Olivier DE SCHUTTER (HRC res. 53/10 para. 2 and 4)

### **Friday 20 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers, Ms. Margaret SATTERTHWAITTE (HRC res. 53/12 para.2 and 17/2 para. 2 (g))
2. Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions, Mr. Morris TIDBALL-BINZ (GA res. 77/218 para. 30 and HRC res. 53/4 para. 7 (a) and 11)
3. Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism, Ms Ní Aoláin (GA res. 72/180 para. 16 and HRC res. 49/10 para. 1)

### **Monday 23 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity, Mr. Obiora C. OKAFOR (HRC res. 53/5 para. 3)
2. Independent Expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of all human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights, Ms. Attiya WARIS (HRC res. 52/17 para. 2 and 4)
3. Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons, Ms. Paula GAVIRIA BETANCUR (GA res. 76/167 para. 45 and HRC res. 50/6 para. 20 and 29)

### **Monday 23 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic, Mr. Yao AGBETSE (HRC res. 51/37 para. 27 and 44)
2. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ms. Elizabeth SALMÓN (GA res. 77/226 para. 26, and HRC res. 52/28 para. 17 and 24)
3. Assistant Secretary-General for the Middle East, Asia and the Pacific, Department of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs (DPPA), Mr. Khaled KHIARI
4. Assistant Secretary-General and Head of the Mechanism, Independent Investigative Mechanism for Myanmar, Mr. Nicholas KOUMJIAN (GA res. 77/227, para. 28(g)).
5. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar, Mr. Thomas H. ANDREWS (HRC res. 52/31 para. 41)

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### **Tuesday 24 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran, Mr. Javaid REHMAN (HRC res 52/27 para. 4)
2. Chair of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the Syrian Arab Republic, Mr. Paulo Sérgio PINHEIRO (GA res. 77/230 para. 37 and HRC res. 52/30 para.20)
3. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan, Mr. Richard BENNETT (HRC res. 51/20 para. 20)

### **Tuesday 24 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Chair of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and in Israel, Ms. Navi PILLAY (HRC res. S-30/1 para. 1 and 2 (h))
2. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967, Ms. Francesca P. ALBANESE (HRC res. 5/1)
3. Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia, Ms. Isha DYFAN (HRC res. 51/38 para. 18 and 21)

### **Wednesday 25 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Chair of the International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia, Mr. Mohamed Chande OTHMAN (HRC res. 51/27 para. 9 and 10)
2. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Burundi, Mr. Fortuné Gaetan ZONGO (HRC res. 51/28 para. 9)
3. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea, Mr. Mohamed Abdelsalam BABIKER (HRC res. 53/2 para. 3 and 4)

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### **Wednesday 25 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Belarus, Ms. Anaïs MARIN (HRC res 50/20 para. 18 and HRC res 53/19 para.21)
2. Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Russian Federation, Ms. Mariana KATZAROVA (HRC res 51/25 para. 3)
3. Chair of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on Ukraine, M. Erik MØSE (HRC res 52/32 para. 18 and 19)

### **Thursday 26 October 2023 (am) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Chair of the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, Ms. Gertrude OFORIWA FEFOAME (GA res. 77/210 para. 3 and 76/154 para. 34)
2. Special Rapporteur on the rights of persons with disabilities, Mr. Gerard QUINN (GA res. 76/154 para. 34 and 70/145 para. 7 and HRC res. 53/14 para. 3 and 3 (k))
3. Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief, Ms. Nazila GHANEA (GA res. 77/221 para. 22 and HRC res 49/5 para. 18)

### **Thursday 26 October 2023 (pm) – Item 71 (a-d): Promotion and protection of human rights**

1. Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health, Ms. Tlaleng MOFOKENG (HRC res. 51/21 para. 3 and 8)
2. Independent Expert on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity, Mr. Victor MADRIGAL-BORLOZ (HRC res. 50/10 para. 4 and 7)
3. Special Rapporteur on minority issues, Mr. Fernand DE VARENNES (GA res. 76/168 para. 25 and HRC res. 52/5 para. 1 and 25/5 para. 11 (h))

### **Friday 27 October 2023 (am) – Item 69 (a & b): Racism & 70: Self-determination**

1. Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights (OHCHR), Ms. Ilze BRANDS KEHRIS
2. Chair of the Group of Independent Eminent Experts on the Implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, Ms. Hanna SUCHOCKA (HRC res. 51/32 para. 22)
3. Chair-Rapporteur of the Intergovernmental Working Group on the Effective Implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, Ms. Marie Chantal RWAKAZINA (HRC res. 52/37 para. 1 and 6)

### **Friday 27 October 2023 (pm) – Items 69 (a & b): Racism & 70: Self-determination**

1. Chair of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, Ms. Verene A. SHEPHERD (GA res. 77/210 para. 3)
2. Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance, Ms. Ashwini K.P. (GA res. 77/204 para. 69 and HRC res. 52/36 para. 1 and 7/34 para. 2)
3. Chair-Rapporteur of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Elaboration of Complementary Standards, Ms. Kadra AHMED HASSAN (GA res. 77/205 para. 8)

### **Monday, 30 October 2023 (am) - Item 69 (a & b): Racism & 70: Self-determination**

1. Chair of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent, Ms. Barbara G. REYNOLDS (GA res. 77/205 para. 17 and HRC res. 45/24 para. 1 and 5)
2. Chair of the Permanent Forum on People of African Descent, Ms. Epsy CAMPBELL BARR (GA res 75/134 para. 1 (b), (i), and 4)
3. Chair-Rapporteur of the 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, Mr. Ravindran DANIEL (GA res 77/206 para. 21 and HRC res. 51/13 para. 1)

### **Tuesday, 31 October (pm) – Item 60: UNHCR**

1. High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Mr. Filippo GRANDI

### **Wednesday 1 November 2023 (pm) – Item 66: Report of the Human Rights Council**

1. President of the Human Rights Council, His Excellency Václav BÁLEK (GA res. 65/281 para. 6)
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