On the occasion of the
Fifteenth Session of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

A Cultural Event and Reception

Visitors Lobby, UNHQ
Tuesday, 10 May 2016
(6:15pm – 8:30pm)

Opening Remarks by Ms. Daniela Bas,
Director of the Division for Social Policy and Development/DESA

Welcome by Mr. Alvaro Pop,
Chairperson of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

SPECIAL PERFORMANCE BY

Sara Curruchich, a Maya singer from Guatemala
&
SlinCraze, a Sámi Rap artist from Norway

Masters of Ceremonies:
ʻIwalani Kūaliʻi-Kahoʻohanohano, Hawaii

Closing remarks by Ms. Chandra Roy-Henriksen,
Chief of the Secretariat of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues/DSPD/DESA

Organized by: The Secretariat of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues/DSPD/DESA.

Special thanks to: The Permanent Mission of Australia to the UN; the Permanent Mission of Côte d’Ivoire to the UN; the Permanent Mission of Ecuador to the UN; the Permanent Mission of Finland to the UN; the Permanent Mission of New Zealand to the UN; the Permanent Mission of Norway to the UN; the Sámi Parliament of Norway; the Consulate General of Norway; Club Quetzal Amigos de Rigoberta Menchú; the NGO Committee on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples; Tribal Link Foundation, Sunray Meditation Society; the Civil Society and Outreach Unit/DSPD/DESA and the UN Department of Public Information.

Light refreshments will be served.