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## Call for applications for the mandate of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent, member from Latin American and Caribbean States, to be appointed at the forty-eighth session of the Human Rights Council

Following the resignation of the mandate holder, the secretariat of the Human Rights Council is currently accepting applications for the following independent United Nations expert of the Council, to be appointed at the forty-eighth session of the Council (13 September – 1 October 2021):

Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent, member from Latin American and Caribbean States (Human Rights Council resolution 45/24).

Individual applications, including a motivation letter, must be submitted and received by **10 August 2021 at 12 noon Geneva time** through an online application procedure that consists of: (1) an online survey; and (2) an application form in Word format. Updated information on the selection and appointment procedure is available at <a href="https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx">www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx</a>.

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