**Call for applications for mandate holders of the Human Rights Council**

**to be appointed at the fifty-third session of the Council**

The secretariat of the Human Rights Council is currently accepting applications for vacancies of independent United Nations experts of the Council. The following mandate holders are to be appointed at the fifty-third session of the Council (19 June – 14 July 2023).

1. **Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity**([Human Rights Council resolution 44/11](http://undocs.org/A/HRC/RES/44/11))[[1]](#footnote-1)
2. **Special Rapporteur on minority issues**([Human Rights Council resolution 43/8](http://undocs.org/A/HRC/RES/43/8))1
3. **Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants**([Human Rights Council resolution 43/6](http://undocs.org/A/HRC/RES/43/6))1
4. **Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism**   
   ([Human Rights Council resolution 49/10](http://undocs.org/A/HRC/RES/49/10))

Individual applications, including a motivation letter, must be submitted and received by **5 April 2023 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

<https://www.ohchr.org/en/hr-bodies/hrc/sp/nominations>.

General information about the application and selection process is available at <https://www.ohchr.org/en/hr-bodies/hrc/sp/basic-information-selection-independent-experts>.

In case of technical difficulties, the secretariat may be contacted by email at[ohchr-hrcspecialprocedures@un.org](mailto:ohchr-hrcspecialprocedures@un.org).

1. The appointment of this mandate holder will be made provided the mandate itself is extended by the Human Rights Council. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)