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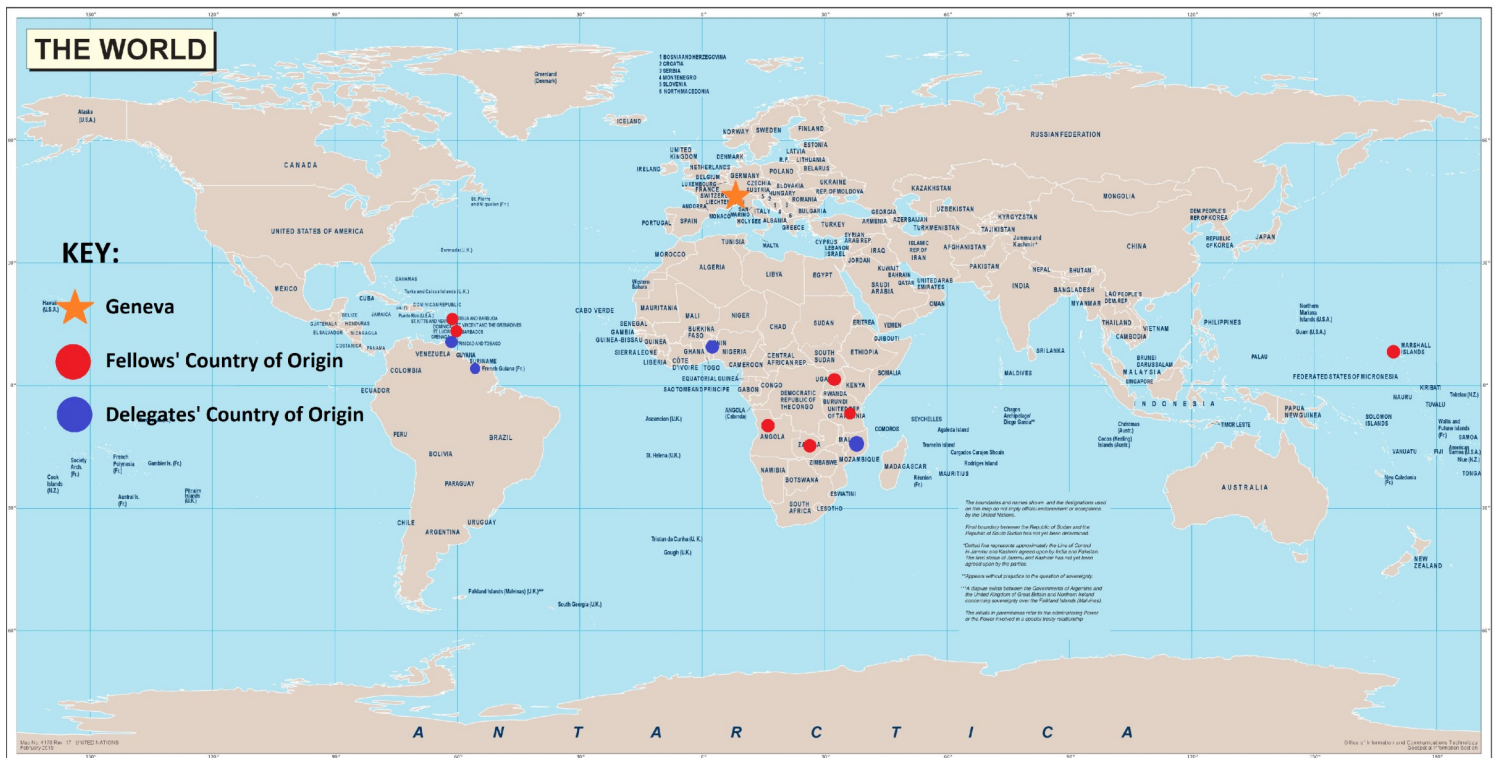
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FACTS AND FIGURES

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HRC42 Beneficiary Delegates and Fellows



REGIONS OF ORIGIN

African Region (6): Angola (Republic of), Benin (Republic of), Malawi (Republic of), United Republic of Tanzania, Uganda (Republic of), Zambia. These countries are all LDCs.

Latin America and the Caribbean Region (4): Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Suriname (Republic of). These countries are all SIDS.

Asia and The Pacific Region (1): Marshall Islands (Republic of the), which is a SIDS.

GENDER 6 women, 5 men

LDCs/SIDS STATUS

LDCs: Angola (Republic of), Benin (Republic of), Malawi (Republic of), United Republic of Tanzania, Uganda (Republic of), Zambia.

SIDS: Grenada, Marshall Islands (Republic of the), Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Suriname (Republic of).

*Access the biographies of the 11 delegates and fellows supported
by the Trust Fund at HRC42 [here](#).*

Beneficiaries' first time participating in a regular session of the Human Rights Council: 100%.

Beneficiaries' first time in Geneva: 82%.

Delegates coming from capital city: 100%.

Delegates coming from countries without a Permanent Mission in Geneva (4):

Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia and Suriname.

Where Do Beneficiary Delegates Work?

	Beneficiary Countries at HRC42	Number of women	Number of men	TOTAL	Number with a Permanent Mission in Geneva
Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Angola, Benin, Malawi, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Suriname, Uganda	3	4	7	3
Attorney General's Chambers	Grenada, Zambia	1	1	2	1
Ministry of Culture and Internal Affairs	Marshall Islands	1	0	1	0
Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs	United Republic of Tanzania	1	0	1	0

Delegates coming from countries members of the HRC: Angola.

Delegates and fellows coming from countries members of the Commonwealth : 6

Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, United Republic of Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia.

All eligible countries from the Commonwealth have been supported at least once by the Trust Fund.

Delegates and fellows coming from countries members of the Organisation internationale de la Francophonie (OIF) : 2

Benin and Saint Lucia.

All eligible countries which are members of the OIF have been supported at least once by the Trust Fund.

**Their voices have been heard
in Room XX during HRC42!**

**Number of statements delivered by the beneficiary delegates and fellows
in their**

national capacity: 37 !

**Number of joint statements delivered by the beneficiary delegates and
fellows during HRC42: 11**

Events organised in honour of the LDCs/SIDS Beneficiary Delegates of the LDCs/SIDS Trust Fund

- Switzerland
- Italy
- Ireland
- Poland
- Pakistan
- Commonwealth Secretariat
- Convention Against Torture Initiative
- Universal Rights Group
- Office of the Human Rights Council
President

Beneficiary Delegates of the LDCs/SIDS Trust Fund at HRC42 with H.E. Mr. Coly Seck, President of the Human Rights Council 2019



17 September 2019, Palais des Nations, Geneva,

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Graduation Ceremony of the 5 Beneficiary delegates supported by the Trust Fund at HRC42



LDCs/SIDS Trust Fund's Global Achievements

(as of 24 September 2019)

Since it became operational on 1st January 2014, the LDCs/SIDS Trust Fund has supported:

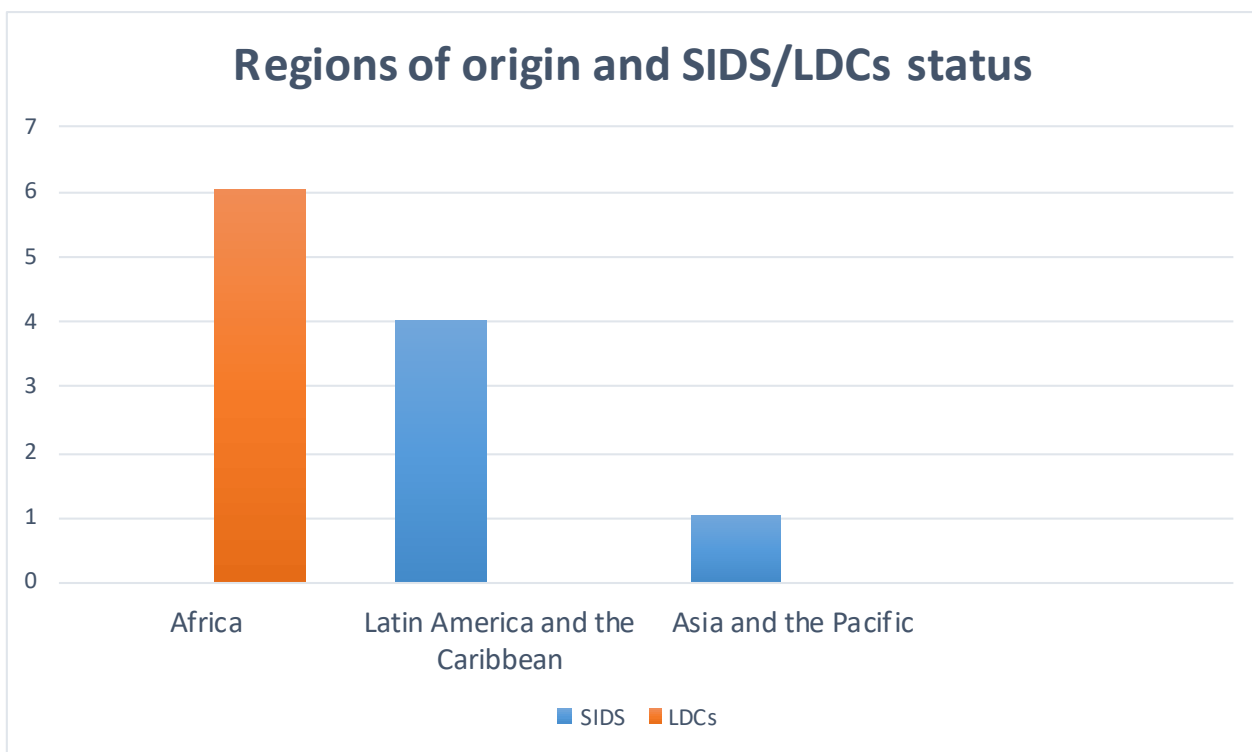
143 Delegates and Fellows (88 women, 55 men)

Coming from **71** of the 72 eligible LDCs/SIDS (35 from **Africa**, 22 from **Asia and the Pacific**, 14 from the **Caribbean and Latin America**).

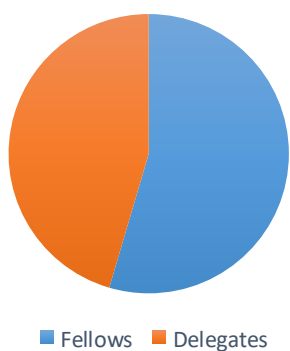
All the 14 LDCs and SIDS of the **Caribbean and Latin America** have been supported at least once by the Trust Fund (milestone reached in June 2017).

All the 22 LDCs and SIDS of **Asia and the Pacific** have been supported at least once by the Trust Fund (milestone reached in March 2018).

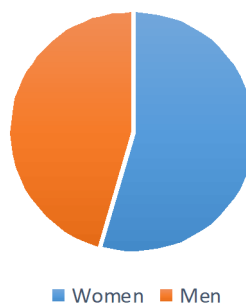
Annex: HRC42 Facts and Figures



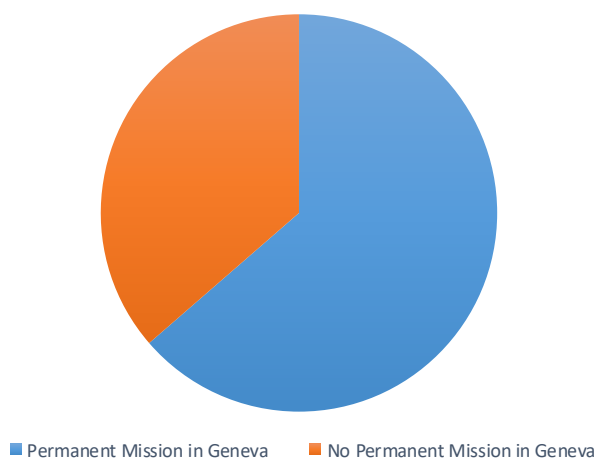
Type of beneficiary



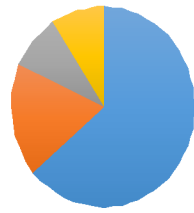
Gender of beneficiary delegates and fellows



Beneficiaries coming from a state with a Permanent Mission in Geneva



Where do beneficiary delegates and fellows work?

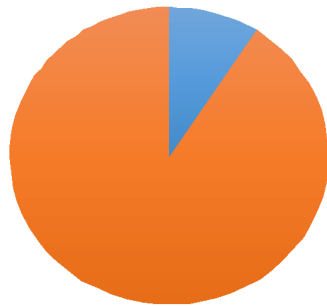


- Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Attorney General's Chambers
- Ministry of Culture and Internal Affairs
- Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs

Beneficiaries coming from capital cities:

100%

Beneficiaries' state membership in Human Rights Council

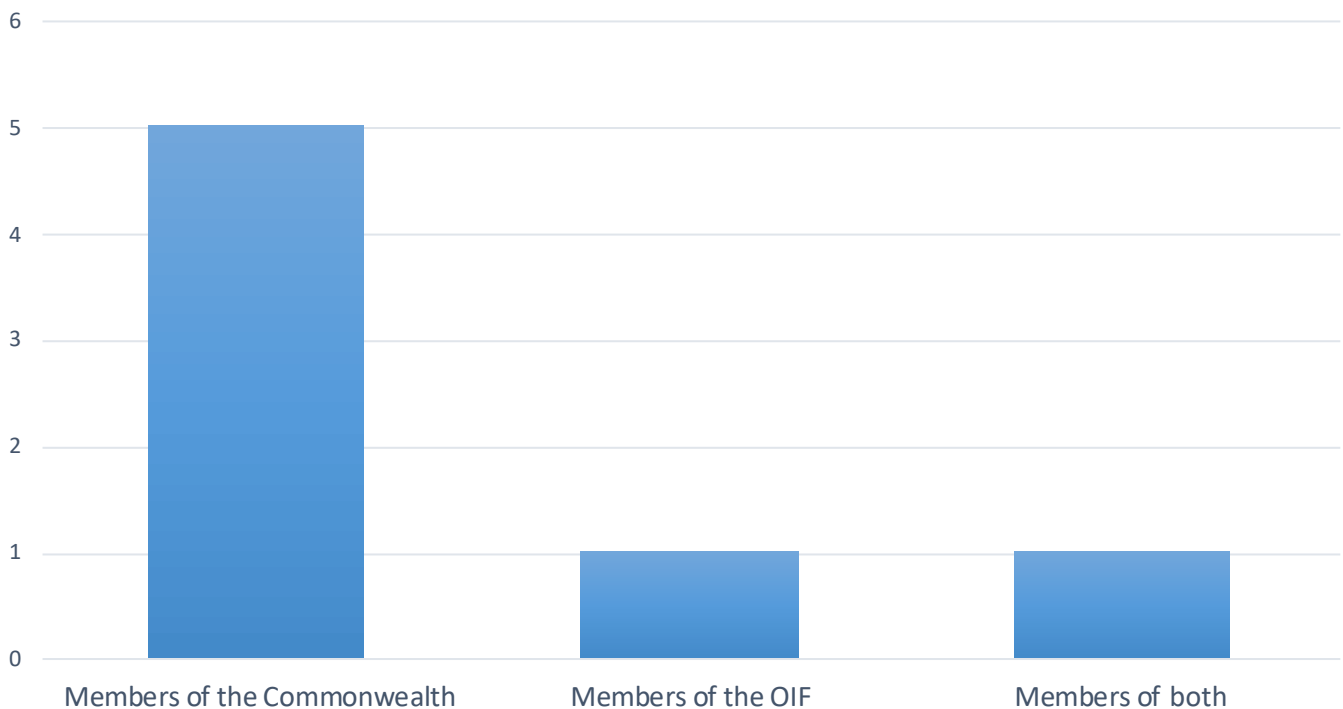


- Member State
- Observer State

Angola is currently a member of the Human Rights Council.

All other states supported by the Trust Fund for HRC42 are Observer States.

Beneficiaries' state's memberships of Commonwealth and Organisation internationale de la Francophonie (OIF)





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A Human Rights Success Story!

For further information on this document and on the activities of the LDCs/SIDS Trust Fund, kindly contact Ms. Fatou Camara Houel, Coordinator, Trust Fund for the participation of LDCs/SIDS in the work of the Human Rights Council, Human Rights Council Branch, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights.

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