How to apply:

The entire application process consists of two parts: **1. online survey** and **2. application form in Word format**. Both parts and all sections of the application formneed to be completed and received by the Secretariat before the expiration of the deadline.

**First part:** **Online survey** ([http://ohchr-survey.unog.ch/in](http://ohchr-survey.unog.ch/index.php/891483?lang=en)dex.php/891483?lang=en) is used to collect information for statistical purposes such as personal data (i.e. name, gender, nationality), contact details, mandate applying for and, if appropriate,nominating entity.

**Second part:** **Application form in Word** can be downloaded from <http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/HRC32.aspx> by clicking on the mandate. It should be fully completed and saved in Word format and then submitted as an attachment by email. Information provided in this form includes a motivation letter of maximum 600 words. The application form should be completed in English only. It will be used as received to prepare the public list of candidates who applied for each vacancy and will also be posted as received on the OHCHR public website.

Once fully completed (including Section VII), the application form in Word should be submitted to [hrcspecialprocedures@ohchr.org](mailto:hrcspecialprocedures@ohchr.org) (by email). <mailto:>A maximum of up to threereference letters (optional) can be attached in Word or pdf format to the email prior to the expiration of the deadline. No additional documents, such as CVs, resumes, or supplementary reference letters beyond the first three received will be accepted.

Please note that for Working Group appointments, only citizens of States belonging to the specific regional group are eligible. Please refer to the list of United Nations regional groups of Member States at <http://www.un.org/depts/DGACM/RegionalGroups.shtml>

➔ **APPLICATION DEADLINE: 14 APRIL 2016 (12 NOON GMT)**

➔ No incomplete or late applications will be accepted.

➔ Shortlisted candidates will be interviewed at a later stage.

General description of the selection process is available at [http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx)/Nominations.aspx

In case of technical difficulties, or if encountering problems with accessing or completing the forms, you may contact the Secretariat by email at[hrcspecialprocedures@ohchr.org](mailto:hrcspecialprocedures@ohchr.org) <mailto:>or fax at + 41 22 917 9008.

You will receive an acknowledgment email when both parts of the application process, i.e. the data submitted through the online survey and the Word application form, have been received by email.

Thank you for your interest in the work of the Human Rights Council.

I. PERSONAL DATA

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| **1. Family name:** Oumaria | 6. Year of birth: |
| **2. First name:** Mamane | 7. Place of birth: |
| **3. Maiden name (if any):** | 8. Nationality (please indicate the nationality that will appear on the public list of candidates): |
| **4. Middle name:** | 9. Any other nationality: |
| **5. Sex: Male x Female** | Male |

II. MANDATE - SPECIFIC COMPETENCE / QUALIFICATIONS / KNOWLEDGE

**NOTE: Please describe why the candidate’s competence / qualifications /knowledge is relevant in relation to the specific mandate:**

**1. QUALIFICATIONS** (200 words)

Relevant educational qualifications or equivalent professional experience in the field of human rights; good communication skills (i.e. orally and in writing) in one of the six official languages of the United Nations (i.e. Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian, Spanish.)

I am diploma in law and political science.I am the former chairperson of the national humain rights of my country.I have been also the general secretary of the nigérien association for protect human rights since 1991. I participate to several seminaries on human rights( international federation of human rights,Danish human rights center).I am teaching human rights at the faculty of law of my country's university.I have good communication skills in french and midle in english.

**2. RELEVANT EXPERTISE** (200 words)

Knowledge of international human rights instruments, norms and principles. (Please state how this was acquired.)

Knowledge of institutional mandates related to the United Nations or other international or regional organizations’ work in the area of human rights. (Please state how this was acquired.)

Proven work experience in the field of human rights. (Please state years of experience.)

I have more than fithy years experience in human rights.I knowq international human rights instruments,norms and principles at university,seminaries and in my work as an international consultant( for ohchr in Congo,comoro and mauritania).i am also an human rights teacher in university of my country.i know also this instruments as a member of my country delegation in the mecanismes of treaties and human rights consul.The matter of religion freedom and conviction has been in charge principly by universal déclaration of human rights and the international pact civil and political rights of 1966 and the additionnel and faculty protocoles.

Since 2000 i participe to the sessions of human rights commission and human rights consul at geneva and to the sessions of african human rights and peuple rights.I havé been also member the african group of the national human rights commissions.

**3. ESTABLISHED** **COMPETENCE** (200 words)

Nationally, regionally or internationally recognized competence related to human rights. (Please explain how such competence was acquired.)

I have been the first chairperson of the national human rights commission in m'y country.In african continent i know vers well the mecanismes and procedures of the african commission of human rights and peoples to participate since 2000 to hers sessions .

In the international i participate to the sessions of the UN Commission of human rights and to the session of human rights consul.i participate to the first and second cycle of the EPU for my Country and also to the report at the UN Comity against racism and discrimination.I work also as international human rights consultant sihaka the Ohchr.

**4. PUBLICATIONS OR PUBLIC STATEMENTS**

Please listsignificant and relevant published books, articles, journals and reports that you have written or public statements, or pronouncements that you have made or events that you may have participated in relation to the mandate.

4.1 Enter three publications in relation to the mandate for which you are applying in the order of relevance:

**1. Title of publication: freedom of expression,conscience and religion**

**Journal/Publisher:publication of the national consul of communication( niger**

**Date of publication: 2001**

**Web link, if available:**

**2. Title of publication:**

**Journal/Publisher:**

**Date of publication:**

**Web link, if available:**

**3. Title of publication:**

**Journal/Publisher:**

**Date of publication:**

**Web link, if available:**

**If more than three publications, kindly summarize** (200 words):

4.2 Enter three public statements or pronouncements made or events that you may have participated in relation to the mandate for which you are applying in the order of relevance:

**1. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Event organizer:**

**Date on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Web link, if available:**

**2. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Event organizer:**

**Date on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Web link, if available:**

**3. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Event organizer:**

**Date on which public statement/pronouncement made:**

**Web link, if available:**

**If more than three, kindly summarize** (200 words):

**5. FLEXIBILITY/READINESS AND AVAILABILITY OF TIME** (200 words)

to perform effectively the functions of the mandate and to respond to its requirements, including participating in Human Rights Council sessions in Geneva and General Assembly sessions in New York, travelling on special procedures visits, drafting reports and engaging with a variety of stakeholders. (Indicate whether candidate can dedicate an estimated total of approx. three months per year to the work of a mandate.)

I have no problem to have Time for my mandate.

III. MOTIVATION LETTER **(600 word limit)**

My conviction is that everybody must be free to choise his religion and pratique his religion like he want.Every body much free to express his ideas.many conflicts in thé world in this have ther recasons in intolerance religion:septembre 11 in New York,Daech,attaks in Paris and Brussels,Boko Haram,Aqmi and Alquaida.for freedom in the world you much fight against fondamental religion. We much educated population on the principales and rules contain in the Un international instruments (Universal Déclaration on Human Rights,the International Pact on political and civil rights).I have more sixteen years expérience in the work as human rights defender.It's my conviction that rights of religion and conviction are necessary to freedom and peace in the world.It's why i apply for the special procedure.

**IV. LANGUAGES (READ / WRITTEN / SPOKEN)**

Please indicate all language skills below.

1. Mother tongue: haussa

2. Knowledge of the official languages of the United Nations:

Arabic: **no:** **If yes,**

Read: **Easily or** **Not easily:**   
Write: **Easily or Not easily:**   
Speak: **Easily or Not easily:**

Chinese: **no:**

Read: **Easily or not easily:**   
Write: **Easily or not easily:**   
Speak: **Easily or not easily:**

English: **Yes or no:** **If yes,**

Read: **Easily :**  
Write: **not easily:**   
Speak: **not easily:/**

French: **Yes :** **If yes,**

Read: **Easily :**   
Write: **Easily :**  
Speak: **Easily :**

Russian: **no:** **If yes,**

Read: **Easily or not easily:**   
Write: **Easily or not easily:**   
Speak: **Easily or not easily:**

Spanish: **YesIf yes,**

Read: **Easily :**  
Write:**not easily:**   
Speak: **not easily:**

V. EDUCATIONAL RECORD

NOTE: Please list the candidate’s academic qualifications (university level and higher).

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| Name of degree and name of academic institution:  Universty of Dakar Faculty of law | Years of attendance  (provide a range from-to, for example 1999-2003): | Place and country: |
| University of Dakar Faculty of law  Master degree of public law and political science | 1973-1976 | Dakar(Sénégal ) |
| Université of Sorbonne Faculty of law  Three cycle degree on law | 1978-1979 | Paris(France) |
| International Intitut. Of public Administration  Diploma in public Administration | 1978-1979 | Paris( France) |
| International Center of Transitionnel Justice  Diploma in transitionnel justice | 2008 | ICTJ New York |

VI. EMPLOYMENT RECORD

**NOTE: Please briefly list ALL RELEVANT professional positions held, beginning with the most recent one.**

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| Name of employer,  functional title,  main functions of position: | Years of work **(provide a range from-to, for example 1999-2005):** | Place and country: |
| Teacher of adminisratif law | 1978-1983 | National administration scoop  Niamey(Niger) |
| General secretary of nigérien association of humaniste rights(DLD) | 1991-1999 | Niamey(niger) |
| President of the national human rights commission | 199-2003 | Niger |
| International human rights consultant  Working with tthe ohchr and african national institut network  Teacher of human rights law | 2004  2005  2005/2010  Since 2015 | RDC  COMORO  MAURITANIA  University of niamey |

*VII. COMPLIANCE WITH ETHICS AND INTEGRITY PROVISIONS*

*(of Human Rights Council resolution 5/1)*

To be completed by the candidate or by the nominating entity on his/her behalf.

1. To your knowledge, does the candidate have any official, professional, personal, or financial relationships that might cause him/her to limit the extent of their inquiries, to limit disclosure, or to weaken or slant findings in any way? If yes, please explain.

No

2. Are there any factors that could either directly or indirectly influence, pressure, threaten, or otherwise affect the candidate’s ability to act independently in discharging his/her mandate? If yes, please explain: No

3. Is there any reason, currently or in that past, that could call into question the candidate’s moral authority and credibility or does the candidate hold any views or opinions that could prejudice the manner in which she/he discharges his mandate? If yes, please explain:No

4. Does the candidate comply with the provisions in paragraph 44 and 46 of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1?

Para. 44: The principle of non-accumulation of human rights functions at a time shall be respected.No

Para. 46: Individuals holding decision-making positions in Government or in any other organization or entity which may give rise to a conflict of interest with the responsibilities inherent to the mandate shall be excluded. Mandate holders will act in their personal capacity.No

5. Should the candidate be appointed as a mandate holder, he/she will have to take measures to comply with paragraphs 44 and 46 of the annex to Council resolution 5/1. In the event that the current occupation or activity, even if unpaid, of the candidate may give rise to a conflict of interest (e.g. if a candidate holds a decision-making position in Government) and/or there is an accumulation of human rights functions (e.g. as a member of another human rights mechanism at the international, regional or national level), necessary measures could include relinquishing positions, occupations or activities. If applicable, please indicate the measures the candidate will take.No

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