

**VOLUNTARY FUND FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW MECHANISM**  
**Field-based briefings to Member States in the preparation of their national report**

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Activity	Date	Location	Countries invited	Participants (Persons)		
					Total	Funded
Briefing for South East Asian countries	10–11 May	Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar	Myanmar, Lao PDR, Viet Nam, Thailand and Indonesia.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>44</b> 27 7 9 1	<b>8</b> 7 – – 1
Briefing for Central Asian countries	25–26 May	Dushanbe, Tajikistan	Tajikistan and Russian Federation.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>57</b> 20 27 8 2	<b>3</b> 1 – – 2
Briefing for West African countries	6–7 July	Dakar, Senegal	Niger, Sao Tome and Principe, Sierra Leone, Togo, Liberia, Mauritania, Rwanda, Burkina Faso, Eritrea, Senegal and Switzerland.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>73</b> 21 16 34 2	<b>21</b> 19 – – 2
Briefing for Latin American countries	30–31 August	Panama City, Panama	Honduras, Panama, Paraguay, Venezuela, Colombia and Mexico.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>21</b> 7 9 3 2	<b>13</b> 5 6 – 2
Briefing for European Countries	6–7 September	Ljubljana, Slovenia	Estonia, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Ireland, Iceland, Lithuania, Moldova, United Kingdom and Slovenia.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>39</b> 14 18 5 2	<b>4</b> – 2 – 2
Briefing for Pacific Countries	9–10 September	Suva, Fiji	Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Timor-Leste, Marshall Islands, Federated States of	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN/Regional Organizations	<b>22</b> 13 6 1	<b>13</b> 11 – –

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			Micronesia, Fiji, Tuvalu and Kiribati.	OHCHR	2	2
Briefing for Caribbean Countries	14–15 September	St. George, Grenada	Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, Antigua and Barbuda, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Barbados and Mauritius	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN/Regional Organizations OHCHR	<b>31</b> 16 11 2 2	<b>18</b> 9 7 – 2
Briefing for Southern African countries	27–28 September	Johannesburg, South Africa	Swaziland, Mozambique, Namibia, Malawi, Seychelles, Sudan, Uganda, Tanzania, Zimbabwe, Zambia and Djibouti.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN/Regional Organizations OHCHR	<b>60</b> 22 17 20 2	<b>14</b> 12 – – 2

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Briefing for Dominican Republic	19–20 February	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic	Dominican Republic, Guatemala and Peru.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>25</b> 19 5 – 1	<b>3</b> 2 – – 1
Briefing for Latin American countries	26–27 February	Panama City, Panama	Uruguay, Chile, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Bolivia, Ecuador, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Honduras, Panama, Guatemala and Peru.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>33</b> 17 5 9 2	<b>13</b> 11 – – 2
Briefing for Central Asian countries	27–28 April	Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan	Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Armenia, Belarus, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Germany and Russian Federation.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>32</b> 9 4 17 2	<b>11</b> 9 – – 2

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Briefing for Francophone African countries	20–21 May	Senegal, Dakar	Côte d’Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Guinea, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Mauritania, Senegal, Angola, Burkina Faso and Madagascar.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>24</b> 9 6 7 2	<b>11</b> 9 – – 2
Briefing for Anglophone African countries	23–24 June	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	Ethiopia, Gambia, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Djibouti, Ghana and United Kingdom.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>23</b> 11 5 5 2	<b>11</b> 9 – – 2
Briefing for Arab Countries	6–7 July	Beirut, Lebanon	Egypt, Iraq, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Palestine, Qatar, Yemen, Syria, United Arab Emirates and Germany.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>40</b> 13 18 7 2	<b>13</b> 11 – – 2
Briefing for the Democratic Republic of the Congo	22–23 July	Kinshasa, DRC	Democratic Republic of the Congo	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>44</b> 25 16 2 1	<b>1</b> – – – 1
Briefing for European countries	22–23 October	Brussels, Belgium	Albania, Andorra, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Italy, Norway, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, USA, Switzerland and United Kingdom.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN OHCHR	<b>46</b> 20 13 11 2	<b>2</b> – – – 2
Briefing for South-East Asian countries	16–17 November	Bangkok, Thailand	Lao People’s Democratic Republic, Nepal, Myanmar, Singapore, Thailand, Philippines, Timor Leste, Viet Nam, Indonesia and Malaysia.	<b>Total</b> Governments Stakeholders UN/Regional Organizations OHCHR	<b>50</b> 21 11 15 3	<b>12</b> 9 – – 3

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					Total	Funded
Briefing for the English-speaking Caribbean countries	6–7 October	Bridgetown, Barbados	Bahamas, Belize, Commonwealth of Dominica, Jamaica, Republic of Guyana, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and Grenadines, Grenada, Trinidad and Tobago, United Kingdom, Zambia, Tonga, India, New Zealand.	<b>Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>1</b>
				Governments	23	–
				Stakeholders	17	–
				UN/Regional Organizations	6	–
				OHCHR	1	1
Briefing for Asian countries	20–21 November	Bangkok, Thailand	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao PDR, Malaysia, Philippines, Viet Nam	<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>
				Governments	15	11
				Stakeholders	6	–
				UN	2	–
				OHCHR	1	1