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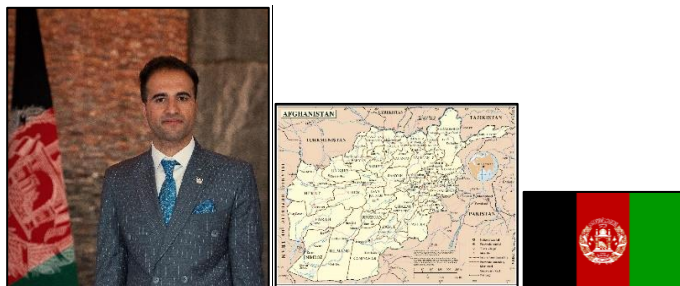
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Afghanistan

Hamid A. FORMULI

Human Rights Advisor to the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva, Switzerland

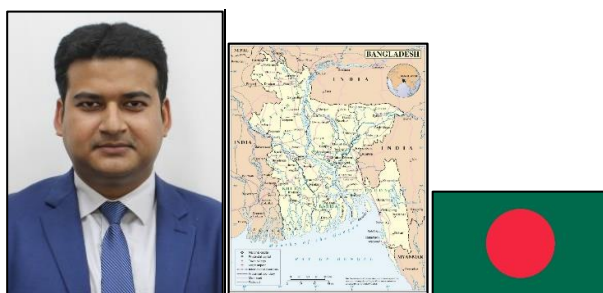


Hamid A. Formuli is a Human Rights Advisor to the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan to the UNOG. He is a career diplomat with over 8 years of experience in multilateral diplomacy. He headed the Human Rights Section of the Permanent Mission in Geneva during Afghanistan's first ever membership to the Council. Prior to his posting to Geneva, he worked as Special Aide to the Deputy Foreign Minister for Economic Cooperation. He has also worked as an Officer at the Inter-Parliamentary Cooperation, Law and Treaties and Consular Affairs departments at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan. He holds a Bachelor Degree in Law and Diplomacy from Kabul University, and a Master Degree in Development Cooperation Policy from the Graduate School of International Studies at Seoul National University.

Bangladesh

Abdullah Bin MAHABUB

Assistant Secretary of UN Wing - Human Rights, Ministry of Foreign Affairs



Mr. Abdullah Bin Mahabub is a career diplomat who joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in April 2019. Currently serving as the Assistant Secretary of United Nations Wing at the Ministry, he is entrusted with overseeing human rights issues, which includes, inter alia, engaging with the treaty bodies to which Bangladesh is a Party, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), and the Human Rights Council, forging closer ties with multilateral institutions, facilitating coordination between line ministries and relevant international organizations. Mr. Abdullah, in his present capacity, is involved in monitoring of the implementation of international human rights instruments in Bangladesh. He plays an important role in compiling several state party reports to United Nations treaty bodies and mechanisms, including to ICCPR, CRPD and UPR, among others.

Earlier, Mr. Abdullah served as an Assistant Secretary of Myanmar Wing, where he was deeply involved in dealing with protracted Rohingya crisis, one of the gravest humanitarian crises of

present times. In that capacity, he was engaged in dealing humanitarian response, collaboration with international accountability mechanisms, repatriation and relocation issue of the persecuted Rohingya etc. He was also engaged with several negotiation processes, both in multilateral and bilateral fronts, vis-à-vis the Rohingya crisis.

An engineering graduate from Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology, Mr. Abdullah also holds a Master of Business Administration (MBA) in Finance from the Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh.

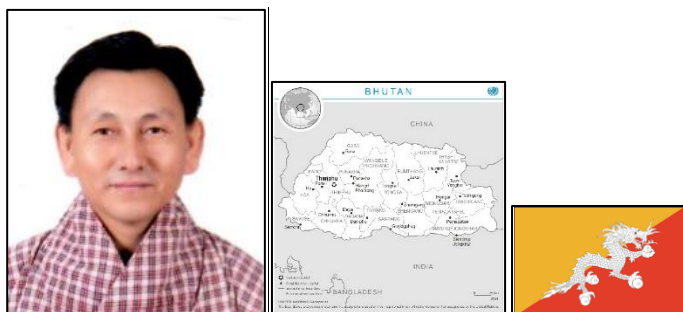
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Bhutan

Ugyen DORJI

Chief of Division, Department of Multilateral Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs



Mr. Dorji joined the Royal Bhutan Civil Service in February 1994 as Trainee Officer in the Ministry of Health, and served as Project Manager and Marketing Officer at the Institute of Traditional Medicine until 2003.

He joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 2004 and have since served in different capacities, both at home and abroad. At the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Dorji served as Undersecretary in the Department of Bilateral Affairs (2004 to 2006) and as the Deputy and Chief of Division in the Department of SAARC and Regional Organizations (2010 to 2014).

Abroad, Mr. Dorji served as the Counsellor and Head of Chancery at the Royal Bhutanese Embassy in Dhaka, Bangladesh (2006 to 2010) and as Minister Counsellor/DPR at the Royal Bhutanese Embassy in Bangkok, Thailand (December 2014 to May 2018), including as the Charge d'Affaires a.i from December 2015 to September 2016.

Since August 2018, Mr. Dorji took up the position of the Chief of Social and Humanitarian Division, Department of Multilateral Affairs back at the Ministry and again served as the Officiating Director of the Department from March 2020 to March 2021. His current role involves coordinating human rights issues, social sectors such as health and education and climate change and environment.

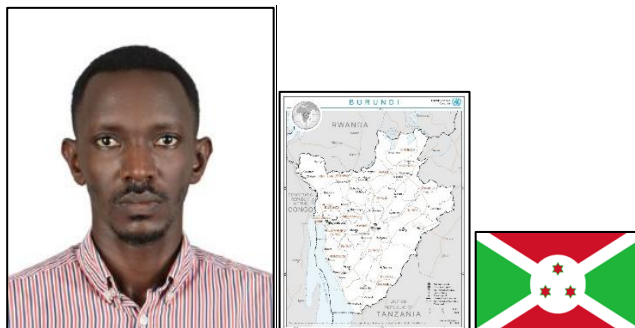
Mr. Dorji holds a Master's degree in Business Administration (MBA) from the University of Exeter in the United Kingdom, and a Bachelor of Arts (BA) from Sherubtse College in Kanglung, Bhutan.

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Burundi

Freddy NIYONZIMA

Conseiller Juridique au Département de l'Assistance Judiciaire aux Victimes de Violations des Droits de l'Homme



M. Freddy NIYONZIMA est un Juriste. Il a rejoint le Ministère de la solidarité nationale, des affaires sociales, des droits de la personne humaine et du genre de la République du Burundi en février 2016 et y a servi jusqu' aujourd'hui à la Direction générale des Droits de la personne Humaine, de l'éducation à la Paix et à la Réconciliation, précisément au Département de l'assistance judiciaire aux victimes de violation des droits de l'homme comme conseiller Juridique, où il assure le traitement des dossiers relatifs aux violations des droits de l'homme; il est aussi chargé d'écouter et orienter les victimes de violation des droits de l'homme. En outre, il est membre du comité permanent de rédaction des rapports initiaux et périodiques où il a contribué à la rédaction de plusieurs rapports sur la mise en œuvre des instruments juridiques internationaux et régionaux ratifiés par le Burundi. Il a contribué dans la promotion et la protection des droits humains via la formation à l'endroit de la différente couche de la population burundaise. Monsieur NIYONZIMA a participé dans les différentes formations en matière des droits de l'homme dans le pays et à l'étranger. Ainsi en 2016, il a participé au programme de la promotion de la femme à Seoul qui a été organisé par le ministère en charge de genre de la République de Corée.

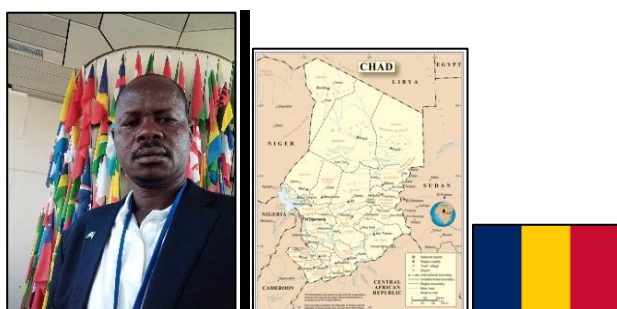
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Chad

Dingamadji Carlos ROTTA

Directeur de la Législation et de suivi des accords au Ministère de la Justice chargé des droits humains



Juriste, sorti de l'Ecole Nationale d'Administration et de la Magistrature, option magistrature, Mr ROTTA fut intégré au Ministère de la Justice en 2004 où il occupa tour à tour le poste de procureur de la république puis du substitut du procureur général. Il fut membre du pool judiciaire chargé de la répression des actes de terrorisme. Ensuite, il fut Directeur de la Législation, des Etudes et du Contentieux au Ministère des Droits de l'Homme puis Secrétaire Général du même Ministère. A ce titre, il fut le Président du Comité Interministériel de Suivi des Instruments Internationaux. Il a participé à l'élaboration des rapports du Tchad pour les organes des traités des Nations Unies puis a participé à l'Examen Périodique Universel où il en reste expert national. Il a élaboré plusieurs textes de lois sur la protection des droits de l'homme notamment sur l'enfance, la traite, l'administration pénitentiaire, le terrorisme.

Revenu au Ministère de la Justice, il fut nommé Directeur Général de l'Administration Pénitentiaire et Réinsertion Sociale où il a collaboré avec le CICR sur les visites en détention et sur les conditions des détentions. Par la suite, il a occupé plusieurs postes dans d'autres Ministères.

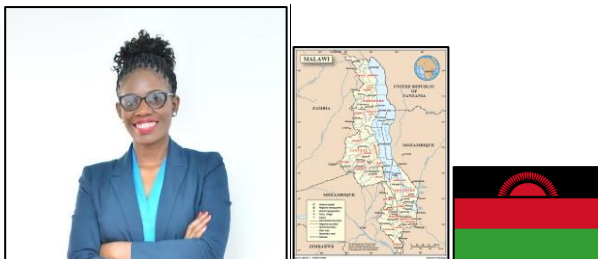
De nos jours, il est le Directeur de la Législation et de Suivi des accords. A ce titre, il a participé à l'élaboration des conventions internationales en matière de coopération judiciaire dont il en assure le suivi; il a participé à l'élaborer de la politique pénale du Gouvernement; il exerce un contrôle, en liaison avec le Parquet Général, sur l'exercice des professions judiciaires et juridiques. Il forme les agents pénitentiaires, les magistrats, les Officiers de Police Judiciaires, les Forces de Défense et de Sécurité, les Associations des droits de l'homme, les membres de la commission nationale des droits de l'homme sur des thématiques en lien avec le droit international des droits de l'homme et du droit international humanitaire, la coopération judiciaire et la coopération policière. Par ailleurs, il est le Président du Comité Technique interministériel de lutte contre la traite des personnes et le trafic illicite des migrants.

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Malawi

Rose NAYEJA

Principal Law Reform Officer, Law Commission



Ms. Rose Nayeja is a licenced legal practitioner and currently works as a Principal Law Reform Officer with the Law Commission in Malawi. Her primary responsibility is to the review the laws of Malawi to bring them in conformity with the current prevailing modern and human rights conditions in Malawi, and international human rights standards. She is also involved in the publicizing of the Constitution and the laws of Malawi.

Prior to joining the Law Commission, Ms. Nayeja worked in the Ministry of Justice for seven years. During this period, she was involved in the implementation of Malawi's human rights obligations under the different human rights instruments that Malawi has ratified, including the implementation of the UPR recommendations that Malawi accepted in 2015. Part of her work in that included holding multi-stakeholder consultative workshops to popularise the

recommendations to Malawi's implementation partners. She was also instrumental in the processes that led to the drafting and submission of Malawi's 2020 UPR report and of the State party report under the ICCPR.

Ms. Nayeja holds a Bachelor of Laws (Hons) from the University of Malawi and is Mandela Washington Fellow.

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Marshall Islands

Tanya TERRY

Foreign Service Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade



Ms. Tanya Terry is a Foreign Service Officer working under the Bureau of Bilateral Affairs in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI). Ms. Terry joined the Ministry in 2020 and plans to develop in her diplomatic career as she strives to be a great public servant to her country. In her capacity, Ms. Terry assists in providing policy recommendations to ensure RMI's political and development priorities are protected and explores bilateral and regional capacity-building initiatives to enhance RMI's development opportunities. Prior to working at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Ms. Terry spent nearly four years in her social services at a Non-Government Organization for women where they focus on gender equality and human rights. Although Ms. Terry works at the Ministry, she is still heavily involved in community projects that support educating young women and fostering women's empowerment and belongs to associations targeting violence against women and children, and human trafficking.

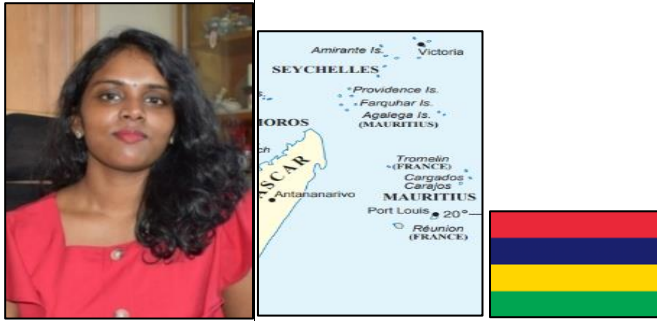
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Mauritius

Divya MARUTHAN

Human Rights Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade (Human Rights Division)



Miss Maruthan is a Human Rights Officer at the Human Rights Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade. Her current tasks consist of compiling material pertaining to human rights for dissemination on social media in order to raise awareness; drafting responses to thematic questionnaires; and assisting with the compilation of information as well as the preparation of State reporting obligations.

Miss Maruthan holds a Bachelor of Laws degree and a Master of Laws from the University of Middlesex (Mauritius Branch Campus).

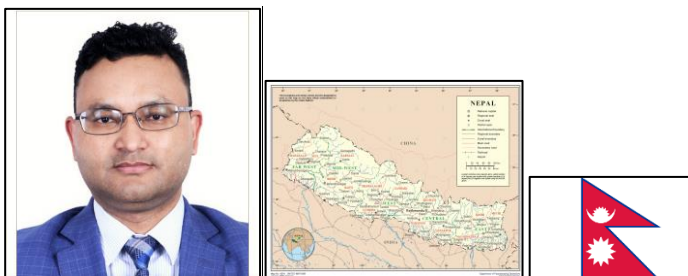
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Nepal

Surendra THAPA

Under-Secretary, United Nations, International Organizations and International Law Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs



Mr. Thapa is serving as Under Secretary at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs where he drafts the Ministry's position on human rights, sustainable development, migration, and other multilateral issues. He is also a member of the Inter-Ministerial Committee on Human Rights that facilitates the implementation of the Universal Periodic Review and other commitments of Nepal related to international treaties and conventions on human rights. Mr. Thapa also coordinates with the permanent Missions of Nepal based in Geneva, New York, and Vienna on different multilateral issues.

Earlier, Mr. Thapa served at the Permanent Mission of Nepal to the United Nations in New York (2017-2021) and the Embassy of Nepal in New Delhi (2010-2014).

Mr. Thapa holds a PhD in International Relations from Jawaharlal Nehru University (India).

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Papua New Guinea

Jerominah MUGAU

Foreign Service Officer, Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade



Ms. Jerominah MUGAU is a Foreign Service Officer with the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade of Papua New Guinea. She joined the department in 2017 and was attached previously with various divisions within the Department before moving to the International Organization Branch which I am currently working with now.

Her core responsibilities are receiving and facilitation of all international organizations' membership requests' that come in for PNG's support; she also deals with all PNG engagements with regards to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) domestically and internationally and assists with all the human rights issues.

Ms. Mugau is also a member of the task force team for UPR, the steering committee on the CCPR, CEDAW etc.

She holds a Bachelor's degree in Arts, PNG Studies and International Relations from the Divine Word University in Madang, Papua New Guinea.

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Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Makini M. BARROW

Administrative Officer and Gender and Social Affairs Development Specialist, Ministry of National Mobilisation, Social Development, Family, Gender Affairs, Youth, Housing and Informal Human Settlement



With over fourteen years of experience in the Public Sector Service beginning November 2007, and over seven years of demonstrated expertise in the leadership of results-oriented teams in the application and implementation of gender and human rights, political rights, and social affairs development, Makini M. Barrow is a Gender and Social Affairs Development Specialist and an

Administrative Officer 1 within the Ministry of National Mobilisation, Social Development, Family, Gender Affair, Youth, Housing and Informal Human Settlement (MONM) and the Liaison officer to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade. Her academic foundation began at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus, Trinidad and Tobago with a Bachelor of Science in Public Sector Management and International Relations and a Master of Science in Government with distinction, with her thesis focusing on the 'Understanding the socio-cultural challenges women face in the entry and advancement of Parliament'.

Ms. Barrow was selected in 2019 as a Technical Officer to advise, assist and support from Capital, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, their non-permanent seat within the United Nations Security Council from January 2020 to December 2021 in the areas of Sanctions, Third Committee, Women Peace and Security, Youth Peace and Security, and Children in Armed Conflict. In addition, she assisted the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade as the focal person within the Multilateral Unit to communicate, report and advise on all thematic areas of gender, human rights and social development and conduct protocol duties. Ms. Barrow is a member of the national committee for the monitoring and implementation of human rights and assists in the implementation of international instruments Saint Vincent and the Grenadines is party to. She facilitated the third cycle of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Universal Periodic Review in areas of gender and social affairs and development and is currently working within the Ministry of National Mobilisation et al on the review and report of the CEDAW Convention for Saint Vincent and the Grenadines. She assists in the execution of the Social Development Policy outlined in the National Economic and Social Development Plan and conducts the procurement and strategic planning of events, projects, and programmes within the Child Development and Gender Affairs Division. In this connection, she conducts social research and analysis, community intervention and development for the Family and Gender Affairs such as gender and social Education, referrals and monitoring, community profiling, community project development, implementation and intervention monitoring and evaluation. As a Gender and Social Affairs specialist, her primary goal is to incorporate gender equality policies within every piece of work she touches.

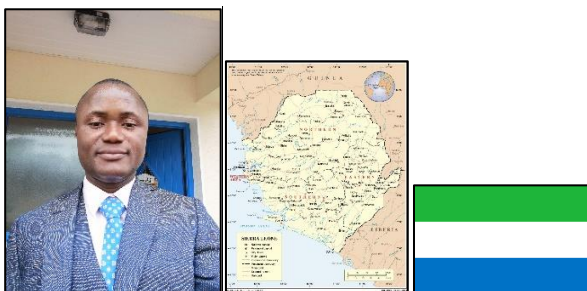
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Sierra Leone

Allieu Vandi KOROMA

Deputy Head of International Law and Human Rights Division, Office of the Attorney-General and Minister of Justice



Mr. Allieu Vandi Koroma is currently the Deputy Head of the International Law and Human Rights Division of the Attorney-General's Office in Sierra Leone. He has served the Attorney-General's Office since 2012. In his current capacity, he gives technical advice to the Government of Sierra

Leone on various international law matters, including Sierra Leone’s obligations under bilateral and multilateral treaties, international human rights and humanitarian law issues, and measures to combat transnational organized crimes, such as money laundering and terrorism financing, and human and drug trafficking. In addition, he serves as the focal person on human rights issues of the Ministry and is a member of the Inter-Ministerial Committee on human rights. He is also a member of the National Committee that is responsible to draft Sierra Leone’s national reports on human rights and the preparation of its UPR reports as well as periodic reports to United Nations treaty bodies on the implementation of international instruments to which Sierra Leone is a party.

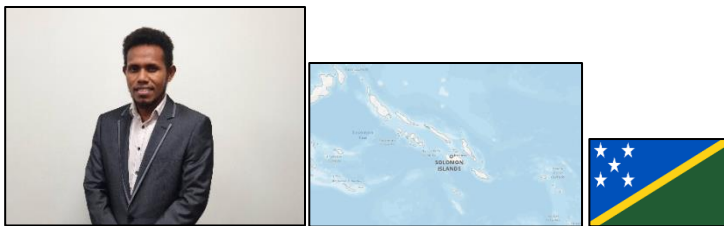
Mr. Koroma has successfully participated in several trainings including Human Rights, Peace and Security at Uppsala and Siem Reap in Sweden and Cambodia, respectively, organised by the Swedish Development Agency. He also completed a regional training in Countering Violent Extremism: Threat Financing course in Ghana and Botswana. He participated in the ECOWAS – ICRC 17th Annual Review Meeting (virtual) on implementing the International Humanitarian Law in West Africa. He successfully completed the 1st Specialization Course for Junior Prosecutors on International Criminal Law and International Cooperation in Penal Matters organized by the Siracusa International Institute for Criminal Justice and Human Rights and recently participated in the 21st Online Course on International Refugee Law organized by the Institute of International Humanitarian Law in Sanremo, Italy.

In 2017, Mr. Koroma was awarded the Irish Aid Scholarship to pursue post-graduate degree in law. He holds a Master of Laws degree in International Criminal Law from the National University of Ireland in Galway. He also has degrees in both law and politics from Fourah Bay College, University of Sierra Leone, and a degree of Utter Barrister from the Sierra Leone Law School. He teaches law at Njala University in Sierra Leone.

Solomon Islands

Avoso Paul PADARONGO

Desk Officer, United Nations and Americas Branch, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and External Trade



Mr. Avoso Paul Padarongo works as a Desk Officer for the United Nations and Americas Branch at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and External Trade of Solomon Islands. He joined the Ministry in 2020.

He is part of the division that manages and facilitates all issues under United Nations and Americas regions which includes countries of the North and South America and the Caribbean Island States. He also assists the division to facilitate meetings and consultations between government ministries and United Nations. Mr. Padarongo also undertakes research and prepares meeting briefs and statements relating to issues under the United Nations and bilaterally with Americas regions and also assists the division manage all bilateral cooperation between Solomon Islands and America’s region and maintain regular and active consultation between the division and Solomon Islands Mission abroad on bilateral issues.

Mr. Padarongo is also part of the division that responsible for ensuring that Solomon Islands adheres and committed to its Human Rights obligations, UN treaties and conventions, and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Nationally, he is a member of the Anti-Human Trafficking Advisory Committee (AHTAC), National Advisory and Action Committee on Children (NAACC), and Disability Policy Development Working Group (DPDWG).

Mr. Padarongo holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree, double major in History and Politics from the University of the South Pacific (USP).

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Suriname

Meryll MALONE

Senior Desk Officer, International Organizations Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Business and International Cooperation



Ms. Meryll Malone is a Foreign Service Officer, responsible for the Human Rights portfolio, at the International Organizations Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Business and International Cooperation of the Republic of Suriname since 2009.

At the national level, Ms. Malone has contributed to the coordination and facilitation of trainings, stakeholder sessions and preparation of reports in the context of the Human Rights Treaty Body system and the Universal Periodic Review.

She has been a member of the delegation of the Republic of Suriname to the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) in 2011, 2016 and 2021, the Committee on the Rights of the Child (CRC, 2016) the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW, 2018) and the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (CERD, 2022). She has also participated in several human rights related meetings within the Organization of American States (OAS), in particular the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights.

In addition, she has been a delegate to regular sessions of the Organization of American States and the United Nations General Assembly.

Ms. Malone has a Master's Degree in Public Administration from the FHR Lim A Po Institute for Social Studies Suriname in cooperation with the Institute of Social Studies of the Erasmus University Rotterdam, the Netherlands and a Bachelor's Degree in Law from the Anton de Kom University of Suriname, with a focus on International Law. She has also participated in training courses provided by the United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights related to Human Rights Treaty Body reporting and the Universal Periodic Review (UPR).

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United Republic of Tanzania

Anne George MALIPULA

Principal State Attorney, Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs



Dr. Anne George Malipula is a Principal State Attorney and works with the Ministry of Constitutional and Legal Affairs since May 2021 under the Department of Human Rights. From 2018 to 2020, she worked under the National Prosecution's Service Office (NPS). Before that, she worked under the Attorney Generals' Chambers (AGC), core functions being prosecution of various cases at the Court of Appeal, High-Court and Subordinate Court's thereto.

Dr. Malipula holds a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Juvenile Justice, a Master of Laws in Banking and a Bachelor of Laws. She also holds a Diploma in Business Economic and Commerce, a Diploma in Accounting in Business and Management, and a Diploma in Business Management awarded by the Cambridge Tutorial College (United Kingdom).

Dr. Malipula has undergone various short courses and trainings within the United Republic of Tanzania and outside, just to mention a few: United Nations Juvenile Justice System (Lyon, France), prosecution of terrorist cases (Seychelles); prosecution of corruption cases, prosecution of cyber crimes cases, prosecution of gender based violence and violence against children cases and Trainer of Trainers (ToT) on gender based violence and violence against children issues (United Republic of Tanzania). Therefore, she is a National Trainer on the related Gender Based Violence and Violence against Children Policies, Laws, Strategies and Regional and International instruments. Trainees are prosecutors, investigators, doctors and social welfare officers in the country.

Dr. Malipula has made various presentations, the remarkable ones being (1) on alternative sentencing in Tanzania, with emphasis on plea-bargaining, made at the East Africa Association of Prosecutors (EAAP) Forum in Mombasa Kenya on 30 October 2019; and (2) on the juvenile justice system in Tanzania before members of the Association of Heads of Prosecuting Agencies under Commonwealth Countries (HOPAC). She also worked as part time tutor at the Law School of Tanzania. She represented the Attorney Generals' Chambers as a Technical Expert in the development of Gender Based Violence and Violence against children Forensic Evidence Management Guideline.

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