**National initiatives**

This page includes information from Governments and national human rights institutions concerning national efforts in human rights education in higher education and human rights training for teachers and educators, civil servants, law enforcement officials and military personnel. These are official responses to OHCHR requests for information made in September 2011 and February 2012. National initiatives are presented below by country, in alphabetical order. Unless marked otherwise, information was reported by Governments and is reflected in High Commissioner’s report [**A/HRC/21/20**](https://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/SecondPhase/Pages/ResolutionsReports.aspx). [**National action plans for human rights education**](https://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/FirstPhase/Pages/NationalActionsPlans.aspx) elaborated by Governments since 1995, and received by OHCHR, can be accessed [**here**](https://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/FirstPhase/Pages/NationalActionsPlans.aspx).

**1.**[**INFORMAL SUMMARY of national initiatives in human rights education in the primary and secondary school systems and other areas beyond of the focus of the second phase**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/Issues/Education/Training/InformalSummaryOtherInitiatives.pdf)**(June 2012)**

**2. CORRESPONDENCE from governments and national human rights institutions received by OHCHR since 2010**

[**Albania**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/AlbaniaMay2012.pdf)[**Algeria**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/AlgeriaNHRI_April2012.pdf)**(Commission Nationale Consultative de Promotion et de Protection des Droits de  
l’Homme)**[**Argentina**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ArgentinaNov2011.pdf)[**Armenia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ArmeniaApril2012.pdf)[**Australia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/AustraliaApril2012.pdf)[**Azerbaijan**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/AzerbaijanApril2012.pdf)[**Bulgaria**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/BulgariaNov2011.pdf)[**Cameroon**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/CameroonJune2012.pdf)[**Chile**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ChileMay2012.pdf)**1.**[**Permanent Mission (May 2012)**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ChileMay2012.pdf)**2.**[**Progress report on the implementation (April 2013)**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/Issues/Education/Training/Correspondences/ProgressReportOnImplementationChile.pdf) **Colombia  
     1.**[**Permanent Mission**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/docs/Colombia_May2012.pdf) **2. Defensoría del Pueblo:**[**Note verbale, acuerdo, decreto y sinopsis**](http://www2.ohchr.orghttp/www-stage.lan.ohchr.org/documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ColombiaNHRI1May2012.pdf)**;**[**Plan Nacional de Educación en Derechos Humanos PLANEDH**](http://www2.ohchr.orghttp/www-stage.lan.ohchr.org/documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ColombiaNHRI2PLANEDH2010.pdf)**;**[**Modelo pedagógico de educación en derechos humanos para la Defensoría del Pueblo**](http://www2.ohchr.orghttp/www-stage.lan.ohchr.org/documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ColombiaNHRI3ModeloPedagogico.pdf)[**Croatia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/CroatiaNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Ombudsman of the Republic of Croatia)**[**Cyprus**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/CyprusJuly2012.pdf)**\***[**Czech Republic**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/CzechRepublicJan2012.pdf)[**Djibouti**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/DjiboutiNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Commission Nationale des Droits de l’Homme)**[**Ecuador**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/EcuadorNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Defensoría del Pueblo de Ecuador)**[**Estonia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/EstoniaApril2012.pdf)[**France**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/FranceApril2012.pdf) **Georgia:  
     1.**[**Permanent Mission (November 2011)**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/GeorgiaNov2011.pdf) **2.**[**Permanent Mission (April 2012)**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/SecondPhase/_layouts/docs/Correspondences/Georgia2April2012.pdf)[**Germany**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/GermanyApril2012.pdf) **Guatemala:  
     1.**[**Permanent Mission**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/Guatemla1Nov2011.pdf) **2.**[**Procurador de los Derechos Humanos**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/Guatemala2NHRIApril2012.pdf)[**Ireland**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/IrelandNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Irish Human Rights Commission)**[**Italy**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ItalyMarch2012.pdf)[**Japan**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/JapanApril2012.pdf)[**Jordan**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/JordanMay2012.pdf)[**Kyrgyzstan**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/KyrgyzstanDec2011.pdf)[**Lebanon**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/LebanonNov2011.pdf)[**Malaysia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/MalaysiaNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Human Rights Commission of Malaysia - SUHAKAM)**[**Malta**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/MaltaApril2012.pdf)[**Mauritius**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/MauritiusMay2012.pdf)[**Monaco**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/MonacoApril2012.pdf)[**Montenegro**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/MontenegroApril2012.pdf)[**New Zealand**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/NewZealandNHRIMay2012.pdf)**(New Zealand Human Rights Commission)**[**Nigeria**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/NigeriaNHRI_May2012.pdf)**(National Human Rights Commission of Nigeria)**[**Panama**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/PanamaNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Defensoría del Pueblo de la República de Panamá)**[**Poland**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/docs/PolandJun2012.pdf)**\***[**Qatar**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/english/issues/education/training/docs/Qatar_July2012.pdf)**\***[**Republic of Korea**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/RepublicKoreaNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(National Human Rights Commission of Korea)**[**Republic of Moldova**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/docs/RepublicMoldova_May2012.pdf) **Romania:  
     1.**[**Permanent Mission**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/Romania1May2012.pdf) **2.**[**Romanian Institute for Human Rights**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/Romania2NHRIApril2012.pdf)[**Russian Federation**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/RussianFederationApril2012.pdf)[**Senegal**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SenegalDec2011.pdf)[**Serbia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SerbiaMay2012.pdf)[**Slovenia**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SloveniaApril2012.pdf)[**Spain**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SpainMay2012.pdf)[**Sudan**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SudanApril2012.pdf)[**Sweden**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SwedenApril2012.pdf)[**Switzerland**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/SwitzerlandMay2012.pdf)[**Thailand**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/ThailandNov2011.pdf)[**United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Documents/issues/education/training/Correspondences/UKNHRIApril2012.pdf)**(Equality and Human Rights Commission)**[**Uruguay**](https://www.ohchr.org/sites/default/files/Issues/Education/Training/WPHRE/docs/UruguayJune2012.pdf)**\***

\*Information not reflected in the High Commissioner's report A/HRC/21/20 due to late submission.