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المسائل التنظيمية والإجرائية

انتخاب أعضاء اللجنة الاستشارية لمجلس حقوق الإنسان**

مذكرة من الأمين العام

- ١ - وفقاً لقرار مجلس حقوق الإنسان ١/٥، سينتخب المجلس أعضاء لجنته الاستشارية المؤلفة من ١٨ خبيراً يعملون بصفتهم الشخصية وتُعيّنهم الدول الأعضاء في الأمم المتحدة بناءً على مشاورات تجريها مع المؤسسات الوطنية لحقوق الإنسان ومنظمات المجتمع المدني. ويجري هذا الانتخاب بالاقتراع السري من قائمة المرشحين الذين قُدِّمَت ترشيحاتهم وفقاً للشروط المتفق عليها.
- ٢ - ويكون التوزيع الجغرافي للأعضاء على النحو التالي: (أ) خمسة من الدول الأفريقية؛ (ب) خمسة من الدول الآسيوية؛ (ج) عضوان من دول أوروبا الشرقية؛ (د) ثلاثة من دول أمريكا اللاتينية والبحر الكاريبي؛ (هـ) ثلاثة من دول أوروبا الغربية ودول أخرى.
- ٣ - وقد انتخب المجلس، في دورته السابعة المعقودة في الفترة من ٣ إلى ٢٨ آذار/مارس ٢٠٠٨، أعضاء اللجنة الاستشارية الثمانية عشر، حيث انتخب أربعة أعضاء منهم لمدة سنة واحدة، وسبعة أعضاء لمدة سنتين، وسبعة أعضاء لمدة ثلاث سنوات.
- ٤ - وستنتهي في عام ٢٠٠٩ مدة عضوية الأعضاء الأربعة الذين انتُخبوا لمدة سنة واحدة. ومن بين هذه المناصب الأربعة الشاغرة، هناك منصب لعضو من كل مجموعة من المجموعات الإقليمية، باستثناء مجموعة دول أوروبا الشرقية.

* يُعمَّم مرفق هذا التقرير كما ورد وباللغة التي قُدِّمَ بها فقط.

* تأخر تقديم هذه الوثيقة.

٥- وعملاً بالفقرة ٧١ من قرار المجلس ١/٥، تُقفل قائمة المرشحين قبل شهرين من تاريخ الانتخاب، وتُتيح الأمانة للدول الأعضاء وللجمهور قائمة المرشحين والمعلومات ذات الصلة وذلك قبل شهر على الأقل من تاريخ الانتخاب. ووفقاً لبرنامج العمل السنوي للمجلس، سينتخب المجلس الأعضاء الأربعة في دورته العاشرة.

٦- وفي ٤ تشرين الثاني/نوفمبر ٢٠٠٨، وجّهت أمانة المجلس رسالة شفوية إلى المنسّقين الإقليميين المعيّنين من أجل تشجيع اقتراح المرشحين، حيث أفادت بأن الموعد النهائي لتقديم الترشيحات هو ١٤ كانون الثاني/يناير ٢٠٠٩.

٧- وقد اعتمد المجلس، في دورته السادسة، المقرر ١٠٢/٦ المتعلق بمتابعة قراره ١/٥ حيث قدّم وصفاً للشروط التقنية والموضوعية لتقديم الترشيحات. وتشمل هذه الشروط:

(أ) الكفاءة والخبرة المشهود بهما في ميدان حقوق الإنسان؛

(ب) التحلي بخلقٍ سامٍ؛

(ج) الاستقلال والتزاهة.

٨- وينبغي للدول، عند اختيار مرشحيها، أن تطبّق المبادئ التوجيهية التالية المتعلقة بالشروط التقنية والموضوعية لتقديم ترشيحاتها:

(أ) الكفاءة والخبرة:

١' دراسات أكاديمية في ميدان حقوق الإنسان أو ما يتصل به من مجالات و/أو الخبرة بالأدوار القيادية في ميدان حقوق الإنسان وممارسة هذه الأدوار على المستوى الوطني أو الإقليمي أو الدولي؛

٢' خبرة طويلة (لا تقل عن خمس سنوات) وإسهامات شخصية في ميدان حقوق الإنسان؛

٣' الدراية بمنظومة الأمم المتحدة وبالولايات والسياسات المؤسسية المتصلة بالعمل في مجال حقوق الإنسان، وكذلك الدراية بالصكوك والمعايير والتخصصات الدولية في ميدان حقوق الإنسان، ويُفضّل الإمام بمختلف النظم القانونية والحضارات؛

٤' الكفاءة اللغوية في واحدة على الأقل من لغات الأمم المتحدة الرسمية؛

٥' توافر الوقت الكافي لأداء عمل اللجنة الاستشارية على نحو فعال، سواء بحضور دوراتها أو بالاضطلاع بالأنشطة الموكلة إليها بين الدورات؛

ب' التحلي بخلقٍ سامٍ؛

(ج) الاستقلال والتزاهة: يُستبعد الأفراد الذين يشغلون مناصب تُتخذ فيها قرارات في الحكومة أو أي منظمة أخرى أو كيان آخر، الأمر الذي قد ينشأ معه تعارض مصالح مع المسؤوليات التي تشملها الولاية. ويعمل أعضاء اللجنة الاستشارية المنتخبون بصفتهم الشخصية؛

(د) اعتبارات أخرى: يُحترم مبدأ عدم الجمع بين عدة مهام في آن واحد في ميدان حقوق الإنسان.

٩- وعلى المجلس أن يولي، عند انتخاب أعضاء اللجنة الاستشارية، الاعتبار الواجب للتوازن بين الجنسين والتمثيل المناسب لمختلف الحضارات والنظم القانونية.

١٠- وبحلول الموعد النهائي لتقديم الترشيحات، وهو ١٤ كانون الثاني/يناير ٢٠٠٩، كانت الأمانة قد تلقت ترشيحات خمسة مرشحين لانتخابات عضوية اللجنة الاستشارية في عام ٢٠٠٩. وقد وردت هذه الترشيحات من حكومات سويسرا والصين وكوبا ومدغشقر والمغرب.

١١- وترد أدناه الترشيحات المقدمة؛ أما بيانات السيرة الذاتية للمرشحين فترد في المرفق الأول. كما تتوفر هذه المعلومات على الشبكة الخارجية لمجلس حقوق الإنسان.

الدول الأفريقية

الدولة العضو المرشحة	الخبير المرشح
مدغشقر	لوسيان راکوتونياينا
المغرب	حليمة مبارك ورزازي

الدول الآسيوية

الدولة العضو المرشحة	الخبير المرشح
الصين	شيكيو تشين

دول أمريكا اللاتينية والبحر الكاريبي

الدولة العضو المرشحة	الخبير المرشح
كوبا	ميغيل ألفونسو مارتينيس

دول أوروبا الغربية ودول أخرى

الدولة العضو المرشحة	الخبير المرشح
سويسرا	جان زيغلر

Annex
BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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ETAT CIVIL

- **Nom : RAKOTONIAINA**
- **Prénoms : Lucien**
- **Date et lieu de naissance : 29 Septembre 1949 à Antananarivo**
- **Nationalité : Malagasy**
- **Sexe : Masculin**
- **Situation matrimoniale : marié, 1 enfant**
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CURSUS UNIVERSITAIRE

- Diplômé de l'Institut d'Etudes Judiciaires de l'Université d'Antananarivo, 1979-Mention Assez Bien
- Diplômé de Maîtrise en droit public et sciences politiques de l'Université de Madagascar, Faculté de Droit d'Antananarivo, 1979
- Major de promotion lors du concours d'entrée dans la magistrature en 1980
- Titulaire du certificat délivré par <<International legal studies>> des Etats-Unis sur le crime international organisé-septembre 2002
- Titulaire du <<Diploma>> delivré par USFSpécial des Etats-Unis (Florida/Etats-Unis), février 2004 sur la participation militaire au developpement économique
- International legal studies of United States sur Justice militaire et droit de la mer 1996

LANGUES ET AUTRES FORMATIONS

- Français : excellent
- Anglais : moyen

CURSUS PROFESSIONNEL

Chancellerie

- Directeur des Droits Humains et des Relations Internationales, novembre 2008 à ce jour
- Directeur des Etudes depuis avril 2003-2008
- Chef de la délégation malagasy lors de l'examen des rapports périodiques de Madagascar à Genève, 2004 (CERD)
- Membre de la délégation malagasy lors de l'examen des rapports périodiques de Madagascar sur l'application de Pacte international relatif aux Droits civils et politiques à New York, 2007
- Membre du <<Troika>> ayant participé à l'Examen Périodique Universel des rapports du Maroc, avril 2008 et du Bénin mai 2008 à Genève-Palais des Nations Unies
- Président du Comité interministériel en charge de rédiger les rapports initiaux et périodiques sur l'application des traités internationaux ratifiés par Madagascar
- Fondateur des cliniques juridiques

Juridictions

- Concevoir et produire des outils d'appui aux juridictions : guide sur l'application des Droits humains à l'intention des responsables de l'application de la loi (Magistrats, Avocats, Officiers des Polices judiciaires, Pénitentiaires)-guide pénal annoté bilingue volume I, II et III (en cours)-guide de procédure pénale bilingue
- Création de support audio-visuel sur la protection des Droits humains (violence à l'égard des femmes et des fillettes, corruption et Droits de l'homme, prostitution enfantine et autres) avec la collaboration de l'Ambassade de France, de Grande Bretagne, PNUD, BIANCO et ENMG
- Création de support pédagogique sur l'application judiciaire des normes internationales ratifiées par Madagascar
- Création de guide sur les Droits humains
- Fondateur des Cliniques Juridiques
- Coordonnateur du projet Appui à la Promotion et la Protection des Droits Humains à Madagascar en partenariat avec PNUD

- Mise en œuvre des programmes d'Appui à la Promotion et la Protection des Droits humains
- Formation pratique d'appui aux juridictions pour l'application des normes internationales ratifiées par Madagascar
- Assurer la réalisation des études dictées par la mise en œuvre des résolutions internationales émanant d'organes onusiens de suivi des traités
- Suivi et coordination des activités confiées au service des visas et d'appui aux institutions de service des relations extérieur et du service de la documentation

Activités en partenariat avec les autres Ministères

- Présider la session de rédaction des rapports initiaux et périodiques relatifs à l'application des traités internationaux ratifiés par Madagascar
- Développer le rapport de coopération avec la Société civile dans l'élaboration du programme d'action pour la promotion et protection des Droits humains
- Participer à des réunions de validation de plan d'action ou de loi liée à la promotion et la protection des Droits humains
- Membre du Conseil d'Administration de l'OLEP, de l'OMDA
- Formateur à l'Ecole Nationale de la Magistrature et des Greffes
- Publication de guide de respect des Droits humains à l'intention des responsables de l'application des lois
- Publication de guide pénal annoté bilingue (vol. I, II)
- Support audio-visuel sur les violences à l'égard des femmes et des fillettes, sur la lutte contre l'emploi des enfants, sur la corruption, sur le procès équitable (application de Pacte international relatif aux Droits civils et politiques)
- Appuyer les responsables de l'application des lois et des associations dans la création de réseau (composition pluraliste)
- Doter les réseaux d'outils de travail et des moyens
- Collecte des donnée utiles à l'élaboration des rapports d'application des traités

Expériences internationales

- Soutenance des rapports de Madagascar au niveau des Organes de l'ONU en charge de la surveillance de l'application des traités internationaux relatifs aux Droits humains à New York ou à Genève : CERD-Pacte relatif aux Droits civils et politiques
- Participation au niveau régional et international à des ateliers ou forums sur les Droits humains, Afrique du Sud, Ouganda, Etats-Unis, Genève

Ms. Halima EMBAREK WARZAZI
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<i>Née</i>	À Casablanca le 17 avril 1933
<i>Juin 1957</i>	Licenciée es lettres
<i>Novembre 1957</i>	Fonctionnaire au Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
<i>Août 1959 à Septembre 1961</i>	Attachée culturelle à l'Ambassade du Maroc à Washington Membre de la Délégation Marocaine à l'Assemblée Générale des Nations Unies de 1959 à 1960 et de 1964 à 1965
<i>Septembre 1962 à Octobre 1963</i>	Attachée de cabinet du Ministre de la Santé et Chargée de la Division de l'Assistance Sociale
<i>En 1964</i>	Attachée de Cabinet du Ministre des Affaires Etrangères
<i>1965</i>	Vice Présidente de la Commission des questions sociales, humanitaires et culturelles de l'Assemblée Générales des Nations Unies
<i>Septembre 1966</i>	Présidente de la Commission des questions sociales humanitaires et culturelles de l'Assemblée Générale des Nations Unies à la XXIème Session
<i>Février 1968</i>	Membre du Conseil National du Plan et de la Promotion Nationale
<i>Février 1968</i>	Membre de la délégation marocaine à la 24 ^{ème} session de la Commission des droits de l'Homme à Genève
<i>Mai 1968</i>	Membre de la délégation marocaine à la Conférence Internationale des Droits de l'Homme de Téhéran
<i>Mai 1968</i>	Représentante du Maroc à la Commission de la Condition de la femme aux Nations Unies pour une période de 3 ans
<i>Juin 1971</i>	Membre de la délégation marocaine à la 9 ^{ème} Conférence au sommet de l'O.U.A.
<i>Juin 1972</i>	Membre de la délégation marocaine à la 8 ^{ème} Conférence de l'O.U.A.
<i>Membre</i>	De la Sous-commission de la lutte contre les mesures discriminatoires et de la protection des minorités d'avril 1973 à 1983 et de 1988 à 2008

<i>Elue</i>	Rapporteur Spécial de la Sous Commission sur l'exploitation de la main d'œuvre par un trafic illicite et clandestin (1973)
<i>Membre</i>	Du Comité pour l'élimination de la discrimination raciale de 1974 jusqu'à 1978
<i>Membre</i>	De la Commission de la Fonction publique internationale (1974-1984)
<i>Membre</i>	Du Comité d'honneur de la Fédération des villes Jumelées
<i>Membre</i>	Du Comité d'honneur de l'Institut International des Droits de l'Homme (René Cassin)
<i>Présidente</i>	De la Délégation Marocaine à la Conférence Mondiale contre le racisme- 1978 (Genève)
<i>Rapporteur</i>	De la Sous-commission en 1980
<i>Présidente</i>	De la Sous-commission de la lutte contre les mesures discriminatoires et de la protection des minorités en 1983
<i>Président-Rapporteur</i>	Du Groupe de travail de la troisième Commission de l'Assemblée Générale sur les droits des non ressortissants (1982-1986)
<i>Président-Rapporteur</i>	Du Groupe de travail de la Commission des Droits de l'Homme (1985-1986) sur les pratiques traditionnelles affectant la santé des femmes et des enfants
<i>Janvier 1990</i>	Directeur des Organisations Internationales au M.A.E.C.
<i>1986.2005</i>	Rapporteur Spécial de la Sous-commission sur les pratiques traditionnelles affectant la santé des femmes et des fillettes
<i>Septembre 1991 à 1993</i>	Présidente du Comité Préparatoire de la Conférence Mondiale sur les Droits de l'Homme
<i>Janvier 1993</i>	Ambassadeur à l'Administration Centrale
<i>Juin 1993</i>	Présidente de la Commission Principale de la Conférence mondiale des droits de l'homme de Vienne
<i>1993</i>	Membre de l'ONG Arab Taught Forum
<i>Juin 1996-2000</i>	Présidente du groupe de travail sur les formes contemporaines d'esclavage de la Sous-commission

<i>Juillet 1997-2000</i>	Membre du Comité consultatif de l'UNESCO, pour l'éducation à la paix, aux droits de l'homme, à la démocratie, à la compréhension internationale et la tolérance
<i>Août 1997</i>	Vice-présidente de la Sous-commission
<i>Décembre 2002</i>	Nommée par S.M. le Roi, Membre du Comité Consultatif des Droits de l'Homme
<i>Août 2003</i>	Présidente de la Sous-commission de la promotion et de la protection des droits de l'Homme
<i>Depuis Mars 2008</i>	Membre du Comité Consultatif du Conseil des droits de l'Homme
<i>Depuis Août 2008</i>	Présidente du Groupe de rédaction de la déclaration des Nations Unies sur l'éducation et la formation en matière des droits de l'Homme

CONTRIBUTIONS

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- Des deux Pactes internationaux sur les Droits de l'Homme
- De la Convention sur l'élimination du racisme et de la discrimination raciale
- De la Déclaration contre l'intolérance religieuse
- De la Convention contre la discrimination à l'égard des femmes
- De la Convention sur les droits de l'enfant
- De la Convention contre la torture
- De la Convention sur la protection des Droits de l'Homme de tous les travailleurs migrants et les membres de leurs familles
- Présentations des résolutions portant sur la tenue de la Conférence Mondiale des Droits de l'Homme de Vienne (1993)

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EDUCATION

1987 International Humanitarian College (San Marinol Saint)
1960-63 International Law and International Relations, China Foreign Affairs University (Beijing)
1960 Political Economics and Social Science, Hefei Industry University
1957-60 Architecture, Hefei Industry University

POSITIONS

1986 to present Professor at China Foreign Affairs University
2006 to present Professor at Xi'an Jiaotong University
2002 to present Council Member of China Society for Human Rights Studies
2004 to present Council Member of UN Association of China

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- 1996-98 Vice Chairman of Chinese Society of International Law
- 1986-90 Council Member of China Disabled Persons' Federation
- 1986-90 Council Member of Red Cross Society of China

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1998-2002 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Indonesia
- 1995-1998 Director-General of the Department of Treaty and Law of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 1990-1995 Permanent Representative and Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Vienna, Permanent Representative and Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the UN Industrial Development Organization, Permanent Representative and Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to International Atomic Energy Agency
- 1986-1990 Counsellor and Deputy Director-General, Department of International Organizations and Conferences of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 1982-1986 Second Secretary, First Secretary and Counsellor, Permanent Mission of the P.R.C. to United Nations and other International Organizations at Geneva
- 1979-1982 Deputy Division-Chief, Department of International Organizations and Conferences of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 1972-1979 Attaché, Chinese Embassy in the Republic of Ghana

PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS ACTIVITIES

- 2008-2009 Member of the Advisory Committee of the UN Human Rights Council
- 2002-2006 Member of the Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights of the UN Human Rights Commission
- 2002 to present International Human Rights Seminars held in China, Saudi Arabia, the Philippines, Malaysia, Viet Nam and etc.
- 2005 The 22nd Congress on the Law of the World (Shanghai) (Chairman of the Human Rights Sub-Conference)
- 2004 UN Capacity Building on Civil Crisis Management (Copenhagen)

1993	World Conference on Human Rights (Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1980-1990	Annual sessions of the UN Human Rights Commission (Advisor and Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1982-1986	Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights of the UN Human Rights Commission (Government Observer)
1981-1997	Annual sessions of the UN General Assembly (Advisor and Alternate of the Chinese Delegation, and Representative of the Chinese Delegation at the Third, Fourth and Sixth Committee)
1991-1994	Annual sessions of the United Nations Commission on Status of Women (Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1982-1989	Annual sessions of the Executive Committee of Office of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees (Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1985	World Conference Against Racism (Advisor of the Chinese Delegation)
1983	International Conference for African Refugees (Advisor of the Chinese Delegation)
1982-1986	Annual sessions of the UN Economic and Social Council (Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1990	International Conference on Crime Prevention (Alternate of the Chinese Delegation)
1987-1990	Annual sessions of Inter-Parliamentary Union (Advisor of the Chinese Delegation)

MOST RECENT RESEARCH ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Promotion and Protection of Human Rights and Building a Harmonious World, Human Rights Magazine (2007)

Reform of UN Human Rights Commission, China Daily (2006)

United Nations and Human Rights, Journal of Xi'an Jiaotong University (2006)

Right to Development, Model UN Series of Peking University (2006)

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Indigenous issues (Member of the U.N. Working Group on Indigenous Populations since 1984, and its Chairman/Rapporteur from 2001 to 2005)

Action against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment (Active participation in the drafting at, and the adoption by the U.N. General Assembly, of the 1975 U.N. Declaration on Protection of All Persons from Being Subjected to those scourges)

Enforced or involuntary disappearances (Active participation-in several initiatives sponsored by the International Commission of Jurists - in the drafting of the 1992 U.N. Declaration on the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance), and

Arbitrary detention (Active participation in the process and drafting at, and adoption by the Commission on Human Rights of its resolution 1991/42 which led to the establishment of the U.N. Working Group on Arbitrary Detention)

Academic and job background

1952 High School Academic Diploma (Havana, Cuba)

1960-1961 Internal Revenues official (Customs Section) at the Ministry of Finance

1960 Doctor of Law (Summa cum laude) (Havana University)

1960-1961 Public defender, Penal Court, Province of Havana

1961 Bachelor's degree in Diplomatic and Consular Law (Havana University)

Bachelor's degree in Administrative Law (Havana University)

For academic merits, appointed as an Instructor in the Department of Criminology, Havana University Law School

Jurist in the Legal Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Cuba

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- 1962 Promoted to Assistant Professor, Department of Criminology, Havana University Law School
- Head of the United Nations Department in the International Organizations Division of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs
- 1963-1966 Counsellor, Cuban Foreign Service, assigned to Permanent Mission to the United Nations (New York)
- Counsellor, Cuban Foreign Service, assigned to Permanent Mission to International Organizations with Headquarters in Switzerland (Geneva)
- 1966-1971 Held various posts in the National Council of Culture, the Ministry of the Sugar Industry and the Cuban Institute of Friendship with the Peoples (ICAP)
- 1970-1973 Professor of Public International Law in the Department of Economic and International Law, Havana University Law School
- 1971-1978 Head of the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Affairs Department in the International Organizations Division of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs
- 1979-1981 Professor of Private and Public International Law at the Higher Institute of the Cuban Ministry of the Interior (MININT)
- 1979- Professor of Diplomatic Law and Law of Treaties at the Higher Institute of International Relations (ISRI); Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Havana
- 1981- Professor of Techniques of International Negotiation at the Higher Institute of International Relations (ISRI), Havana
- 1983 Awarded the National Special Award instituted by the Cuban Ministry of Higher Education for valuable scientific-technical research in higher education
- 1984- Elected by the Commission on Human Rights as a member of its Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities (1984-1987)
- Appointed by the outgoing Chairperson of the Sub-Commission's thirty-sixth session as a Member of its Working Group on Indigenous Populations
- 1985- Promoted to Titular Professor of Cuba's Higher Education System
- 1986-1991 Appointed by the President of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) as a member of the Committee's Advisory Group of Experts in International Humanitarian Law (1987-1991)
- 1987- Professor of General Theory of International Organizations at the Higher Institute of International Relations (ISRI), Havana

- 1988- Re-elected by the Commission on Human Rights as a member of the Sub-Commission (1988-1992)
- 1988-1989 Counsellor, Cuban Foreign Service, assigned to Permanent Mission to International Organizations with Headquarters in Switzerland (Geneva)
- 1989 Appointed by the Economic and Social Council as Special Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission on “Treaties, agreements and other constructive arrangements between States and indigenous populations”
- Elected as Vice-Chairperson of the Sub-Commission
- Chairperson of the Sub-Commission’s Working Group on Detention
- Consultant to the Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Branch of the Social Development Division of the United Nations (preparatory work for the Eighth Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders)
- 1990- Elected as a member of the Scientific Council of Cuba’s Higher Institute of International Relations (ISRI), Havana
- Chairperson of drafting group No. 1 established by the Sub-Commission’s Working Group on Indigenous Populations at its eighth session to prepare certain parts of the Draft Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
- Chairperson of the Sub-Commission’s Working Group on the right of everyone to leave any country, including his own, and to return to his country
- 1992- Re-elected by the Commission on Human Rights as Sub-Commission titular expert for a new four-year term (1992-1996)
- 1992-1993 Elected by acclamation by the Sub-Commission as Chairperson of its forty-fourth session, at the unanimous proposal of its Latin American/Caribbean Caucus
- 1993 In his capacity as Chairperson, represented the Sub-Commission at the World Conference on Human Rights (Vienna, June 1993)
- Appointed as an adviser to *Indigenous Initiative for Peace*, an international Indigenous organization of indigenous peoples founded by Rigoberta Menchú Tum, Nobel Peace Prize winner, 1992
- 1994-1997 Appointed (May 1994-November 1997) as the Spokesperson for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Cuba
- 1996- Re-elected without a vote by the Commission on Human Rights as Sub-Commission titular expert for a new four-year term (1996-2000)
- 1997- Elected as a Member of the Executive Board of the Cuban Society of International Law (CSIL)

- 1998- Appointed as a member of Cuba's National Group in the Permanent Court of Arbitration
- Elected, once again, as Vice-Chairperson of the Sub-Commission's fiftieth session, representing the Latin American/Caribbean Caucus
- 2000- Re-elected by the Commission on Human Rights (with the largest number of votes received by any of the Latin American candidates) as Sub-Commission titular expert for a new four-year term (2000-2004)
- Elected (by acclamation) as Chairperson/Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations
- 2001 Re-elected (by acclamation) as Chairperson/Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations
- Invited by the U.N. High Commissioner for Human Rights to participate, in his capacity as an independent expert, in the U.N. World Conference Against Racism (Durban, August-September)
- Received the *Cuban Education Award* granted by the Ministry of Higher Education for his 40 years as a university professor
- 2001-2003 Appointed by the Economic and Social Council - at the request of the Commission of Human Rights and its Sub-Commission for the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights - to undertake a Study on "Human Rights and Human Responsibilities"
- 2002- Re-elected (by acclamation) as the Chairman/Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations
- Ex officio* Member of the Advisory Board to the U.N. Voluntary Fund for the International Decade of Indigenous People
- Member of the Sub-Commission Working Group on Communications
- 2003- *Ex officio* Member of the Advisory Group of the UN Voluntary Fund for the International Decade of Indigenous People
- Member of the Sub-Commission Working Groups on Communications and on Indigenous Populations
- Re-elected (by acclamation) as the Chairman/Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations
- 2004- Re-elected (without a vote) by the Commission on Human Rights to a sixth 4-year term (2004-2008) as a Sub-Commission titular expert
- Ex officio* Member of the Advisory Group of the UN Voluntary Fund for the International Decade of Indigenous People

Member of the Sub-Commission Working Groups on Communications and on Indigenous Populations

2005 Cuba's Ministry of Higher Education awards him the Special Academic Recognition as Professor Emeritus

Member of the Sub-Commission Working Groups on Communications and on Indigenous Populations

Re-elected (by acclamation) as the Chairman/Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations

2006 Member (as Special Adviser) of the Cuban Delegation to the first session of the recently-established Human Rights Council

Member of the Sub-Commission Working Groups on Communications and on Indigenous Populations

2007- Member (as Special Adviser) of the Cuban Delegation to the fourth session of the Human Rights Council

Co-opted by the Executive Board of the Cuban Society of International Law (CSIL) as the Society's Acting President

Member of the Sub-Commission Working Groups on Communications and on Indigenous Populations

2008-2009 Elected, by acclamation, by the Human Rights Council, as a founding member of the Council's Advisory Committee

2008-2009 Elected by acclamation by the members of the Council's Advisory Committee as their Chairperson for the first session of the Committee

Has taken specialized graduate courses in International Law and International Relations, respectively, at the Patrice Lumumba University (Moscow, 1983), and the International Institute of Public Administration (IIAP) (Paris, 1984)

Has represented the Government of Cuba in many international conferences and meetings of various bodies, mainly within the United Nations system, among them, the following:

- Delegate to 16 sessions of the Commission on Human Rights; *i.e.* at its thirty-second, thirty-third, forty-fifth to forty-ninth, and fifty-second to sixty-first sessions during the period 1976-2005
- Delegate to the first and fourth sessions of the Human Rights Council (HRC), and participant in a number of rounds of consultations held in Geneva and Lausanne in 2006 and 2007 on the process of the Council's "institutional building" and the establishment of its operational dynamics as a new UN body

- Delegate to the Third Committee (Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Affairs) of the United Nations General Assembly in its twenty-seventh to thirty-second sessions (1972-1977). Vice-Chairman of the Committee in 1976
- Delegate to the Regional Conference of the Red Cross (Mexico City, 1971)
- Delegate to the first and second sessions (1974, 1975) of the Diplomatic Conference on the Reaffirmation and Development of International Humanitarian Law, convened for the drafting of the two Protocols Additional to the 1949 Geneva Conventions
- Delegate to the forty-ninth and fifty-sixth to sixtieth International Labour Conferences of the International Labour Organization (1964 and 1971-1975), and
- Delegate to the Sixth Committee (Juridical Affairs) of the General Assembly at its eighteenth to twentieth sessions (1963-1965)

Has also represented Cuba on the United Nations Security Council (1965), in several sessions of the Economic and Social Council and in various subsidiary and ad hoc bodies of both the Council and the General Assembly; as well as in meetings convened by UNESCO, FAO, GATT, UNIDO and the World Tourism Organization.

Has also participated, in a personal capacity, in many meetings on human rights and other topics related to international law, sponsored by the United Nations, as well as by the International Committee of the Red Cross, the Permanent Court of Arbitration and a large number of other non-governmental organizations; *i.a.* the International Commission of Jurists, the Latin American Studies Association (LASA), the American Association of Jurists, the Association of Universities and Research Institutes of the Caribbean, the Stanley Foundation (USA), the Europe-Third World Centre (CETIM), the Inter-American Institute on Human Rights (IIHR), the Anti-Slavery Society, the International Association of Democratic Lawyers, the Centre for Studies on Africa and the Middle East (Havana), the International Association of Democratic Jurists, the Rigoberta Menchú Tum Foundation, and the Indigenous Bar Association (Canada). Is the author of several papers submitted for the consideration of some of the above-mentioned meetings.

Has lectured at, or submitted papers for discussion to a number of scientific gatherings sponsored by the universities of Havana, Harvard, Uppsala (Sweden), British Columbia (Canada), *Autónoma de México*, Essex (United Kingdom), Stockholm, Humboldt (German Democratic Republic), Simon Fraser (Vancouver, Canada), Johns Hopkins (USA) Gothenburg (Sweden), *Internacional de Andalucía* (Seville), Patrice Lumumba (Moscow), Dalhousie (Halifax, Canada), Lund - Raoul Wallenberg Institute (Sweden) and Thessaloniki - Institute of International Public Law and International Relations (Greece).

Founding member of the National Union of Jurists of Cuba and of the Cuban Society of International Law (CSIL). Since 1997, a member of its Executive Board, which in June 2002 awarded him the distinction of Member of Honor. In February 2007 he was co-opted by the Board as acting President of CSIL. Some of his works have appeared in Cuban publications, of both specialized and general interest.

Married. Four children.

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Function

Independent expert of the Advisory Committee of the Human Rights Council

Academic career

- Professor at the Grenoble University Institute of Political Studies
- Professor at the Graduate University Institute of Development Studies in Geneva
- Ordinary Professor at the University of Geneva, Faculty of Social Sciences
- Director of the *Laboratoire de sociologie des sociétés du Tiers-monde* [Sociology Laboratory of Third-World Societies]
- Associate Professor at the University of Paris I - Sorbonne

Political mandates

- Member of the Executive Council of Socialist International (1985-2000)
- Member of the Parliamentary Committee of Foreign Affairs, of Science and of Foreign Trade (1987-99)
- President of the Parliamentary Group *Switzerland-Third World* (1978-83/1987-99)

* Original curriculum vitae also available in French from the Secretariat.

- National Councilor (member of parliament) for Geneva to the Swiss Federal Parliament (1967-83/1987-99)

Prizes and distinctions

- Doctor *Honoris Causa*, University of Mons-Hainaut, Belgium
- *Chevalier de l'Ordre national des Arts et des Lettres* of the French Republic
- Gold Medal of the President of the Republic of Italy
- Amílcar Cabral National Order of the first degree, Republic of Cape Verde
- Medal of honour of the President of the Republic of Algeria
- Honorary President of the Press Emblem Campaign

Studies

- Doctor of International Law, University of Bern, Switzerland
- Doctor of Sociology, University of Bern, Switzerland
- *Licenciate* in Law, University of Bern, Switzerland
- Graduate in Political Sciences, University of Paris, France
- Member of the Geneva Bar
