

“Perspectives on UN@75 from Independent Experts and Global Civil Society”

A virtual dialogue with UN Permanent Representatives on UN@75

Wednesday, 13 May 2020

Agenda

- 1:15 pm* **Welcome by H.E. Ambassador Olof Skoog**, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations
- 1:20 pm* **Framing remarks** by:
H.E. Ambassador Sheikha Alya Al-Thani, Permanent Representative of The State of Qatar to the United Nations and UN75 Declaration Co-Facilitator
H.E. Ambassador Anna Karin Eneström, Permanent Representative of Sweden to the United Nations and UN75 Declaration Co-Facilitator
Mr. Henrik Hammargren (Sweden), Executive-Director, Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation
- 1:30 pm* **Overview of recommendations from:**
[*The UN75 Regional Dialogue for Africa*](#), by Professor Ibrahim Gambari (Nigeria), Founding Chairman of the Savannah Centre for Diplomacy, Democracy, and Development, and former Nigerian Foreign Minister, UN Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs, and co-chair, the Albright-Gambari Commission on Global Security, Justice & Governance
[*The UN75 Regional Dialogue for the Americas*](#), by Dr. Adriana Abdenur (Brazil), Coordinator of the Igarapé Institute’s Peace and Security Division and Member of the United Nations Committee on Development Policy
Response from H.E. Ambassador Adonia Ayebare, Permanent Representative of Uganda to the United Nations (*invited*)
- 1:45 pm* **Overview of recommendations:**
[*The UN75 People’s Declaration*](#) and [*Together First Stepping Stones for a Better Future Report*](#), by Ms. Lysa John (India), Secretary-General of CIVICUS and member of UN2020 and Together First
*The UN75 Global Policy Dialogues series on [*Preventive Action, Sustaining Peace & Global Governance*](#)* (December 2018, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, Doha), [*Global Security, Justice & Economic Institutions*](#) (June 2019, Stimson Center, Washington, D.C.), [*Climate Governance: Innovating the Paris Agreement and Beyond*](#) (October 2019, Global Green Growth Institute, Seoul), and [*Global Economic Institutions*](#) (November 2019, World Bank, Washington, D.C.), by Mr. Jens Orback (Sweden), Executive-Director, the Global Challenges Foundation.
[*“Preliminary Assessment of the UN75 Survey and Dialogues,”*](#) by H.E. Mr. Fabrizio Hochschild (Chile), Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser on the Preparations for the Commemoration of the United Nations’ 75th Anniversary

Response from H.E. Ambassador Cho Hyun, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea to the United Nations

2:00 pm **Open discussion with UN Permanent Representatives**, moderated by H.E. Ambassador Olof Skoog

2:43 pm **Brief summary of discussion:** Dr. Richard Ponzio, Senior Fellow and Director, Just Security 2020 Program, the Stimson Center

2:45 pm **End of dialogue**

Upcoming and recent UN@75 Related Events: [UN@75: The Future of Partnership and Multilateralism: Annual Meeting of the Academic Council on the UN System](#) (25-27 June 2020); [UN75 Global Governance Forum](#) (18-19 Sept. 2020); Video Archive: [UN75 People's Forum](#) ([Day 1: 14 May](#) and [Day 2: 15 May](#) 2020)