

SECOND PART: APPLICATION FORM IN WORD FORMAT

Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises, member from Asia-Pacific States

Appointment to be made by the Human Rights Council at its 49th session

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 25 NOVEMBER 2021 AT 12 NOON GENEVA TIME

- The application process consists of two compulsory parts:
(1) online survey¹ (<https://ohchr-survey.unog.ch/index.php/985419>)
and
(2) application form in Word format² (to be downloaded from <https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/SP/Pages/HRC49.aspx>)
- Once fully completed, in English or French only, the Word application form should be submitted by email to ohchr-hrcspecialprocedures@un.org
- A maximum of up to three optional reference letters may be attached to the email (in Word or PDF format).
- No additional documents (e.g. CVs, resumes or additional reference letters) will be accepted.
- Applicants will receive an acknowledgment email when both parts of the application process, i.e. the data submitted through the online survey and the Word application form, have been received by the Secretariat.
- Applications will only be considered if both parts and all sections of the Word application form have been completed and received by the Secretariat before the expiration of the deadline. **No incomplete or late applications will be accepted.**
- Eligible for Working Group mandates are only nationals of the States belonging to the [regional groups](#) for which specific vacancies have been advertised.
- General description of the selection process and answers to frequently asked questions are available at <https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx> and <https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/SP/Pages/BasicInformationSelectionIndependentExperts.aspx>
- In case of technical difficulties or problems with accessing or completing the forms, you may contact the Secretariat by email (ohchr-hrcspecialprocedures@un.org) or fax (+41 22 917 9008).

I. PERSONAL DATA

1. Family (last) name: Rinwigati	5. Year of birth: 1973
2. First (given) name: Patricia	6. Place of birth: Jakarta, Indonesia
3. Other name, if any:	7. Nationality (please indicate the nationality that will appear on the public list of candidates): Indonesia
4. Gender: Female	8. Any other nationality:

¹ The short **online survey** is used to collect information for statistical purposes such as personal data (i.e. name, gender, nationality), contact details, mandate applying for and, if appropriate, nominating entity. The same name, gender and nationality must be used both in the online survey and in the Word application form.

² The **application form in Word format** includes a motivation letter of maximum 600 words (section III of the form). The application form should be completed in English or French only, the two working languages of the United Nations Secretariat. The application form will be used as received to prepare the public list of eligible candidates who applied for the vacancy. The application forms of eligible candidates will also be posted as received on the OHCHR public web page for the selection process.

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II. MANDATE-SPECIFIC COMPETENCE / QUALIFICATIONS / KNOWLEDGE

NOTE: Please describe why the candidate's competence / qualifications / knowledge is relevant in relation to the specific mandate:

1. QUALIFICATIONS (200 words limit)

Relevant educational qualifications or equivalent professional experience in the field of human rights; good communication skills (i.e. orally and in writing) in one of the six official languages of the United Nations (i.e. Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian, Spanish.)

As an academic, researcher, and advisor, I have been at the forefront of research and policy development in the field of business and human rights, be it in the matters of human rights impact assessments, corporate governance, and due diligence. I have held various national and international appointments which have included advising the United Nations Development Program, UNICEF, ICRC, ASEAN University Network, and the Indonesian Government.

Currently, I am a Senior Lecturer and Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Law, Universitas Indonesia where I teach human rights law, financial and economic criminal law, human rights theory as well as gender and human rights. At the same time, I am also Director of the Djokosoetono Research Center which specializes in the advancement of human rights and legal studies as well as sit as Editor-in-Chief of Indonesia Law Review, the country's leading academic journal on legal studies. Before joining Universitas Indonesia, I have taught in Uppsala University, Umea University, and was an Anna Lindh Fellow at Stanford University. I hold a Bachelors in Law from Universitas Indonesia, an MIL/LLM from Lund University and an LLD/PhD from Uppsala University.

I have spoken and written extensively in English on the subject of business and human rights in international seminars, discourses, book chapters, and academic journals.

2. RELEVANT EXPERTISE (200 words limit)

Knowledge of international human rights instruments, norms and principles. (Please state how this was acquired.)

Knowledge of institutional mandates related to the United Nations or other international or regional organizations' work in the area of human rights and particularly in the area of the mandate. (Please state how this was acquired.)

Proven work experience in the field of human rights and particularly in the area of the mandate. (Please state years of experience.)

I have taught within the arena of international human rights for more than twenty-five years. The historical nuances that the Universal Declaration of Human Rights is not only fresh in my mind, but its words have been the guiding virtues of my professional career as I strive to advance the promotion of human rights as a tool that can empower and enable society as well as bring empathy, reason, and respect of human dignity. Congruent to my academic activities, I have held leadership roles for more than 20 years that has brought me to the front line of human rights, be it as a Team leader under UNICEF project and the Red Cross in Timor Leste, a Team Leader to the Regional European Union and ASEAN Dialogue Instrumen (READI Human Rights) where I have designed programs to strengthen and establish standards for

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human rights bodies in Southeast Asia at an institutional level, and as the main advisor to Indonesia's Director-General for Human Rights. Indeed, the convictions and commitments I hold in the strengthening of international human rights are supported by my line of entrusted positions to advise, advocate and provide insight for national, regional, and international institutions ranging from civil society to government institutions.

3. ESTABLISHED COMPETENCE (200 words limit)

Nationally, regionally or internationally recognized competence related to human rights. (Please explain how such competence was acquired.)

The pursuit of human rights at a national, regional, and international level must be supported by a track-record of achievements in actually bringing the issue of human rights into actionable outcomes. I was entrusted to draft several bills on human rights by the Indonesian government such as on the matter of human rights court which has now blossomed into an integral piece of national legislation passed by the Indonesian parliament as well as having drafted the bill to implement UN Resolution for the Indonesian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. My journey of ensuring legal reform and good governance towards human rights does not stop there. I also sit as the national task force on business and human rights in the Indonesian Ministry of Law and Human Rights where I lead the development of National Human Rights Impact Assessment for Corporation (PRISMA) and the National Strategy on Business and Human Rights. At the regional/international level, I managed the entire platform of research and analysis on human rights when I was appointed as Research Chair for Strengthening Human Rights and Peace Research in Southeast Asia (SHAPE-SEA). I also served as Team Leader for various joint programs of IDLO (2019) as well as Ford Foundation (2021) where I was able to assess the climate of business and social implications from the perspectives of investment, environment, and human rights.

4. PUBLICATIONS OR PUBLIC STATEMENTS

Please list significant and relevant published books, articles, journals and reports that the candidate has written or public statements, or pronouncements that the candidate has made or events participated in relation to the mandate.

4.1 Enter three publications in relation to the mandate applied for, in the order of relevance:

1. Title of publication: Human Rights Certification in Indonesia (Book Chapter: Advancing Rule of Law in A Global Context)

Journal/Publisher: CRC Press - Taylor & Francis Group

Date of publication: 2020

Web link, if available:

2. Title of publication: Justifying Extraterritorial Regulation of Home Country on Business and Human Rights

Journal/Publisher: Indonesian Journal of International Law

Date of publication: 2019

Web link, if available:

3. Title of publication: Business and Human Rights: The Road to UN Guiding Principles

Journal/Publisher: Human Rights Resource Center Publication

Date of publication: 2015

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Web link, if available:

If more than three publications, kindly summarize (200 words limit):

1. Articles in various journals such From Commitment to Compliance: the Analysis of Corporate Self-Regulation in BP Tangguh Project (2006), Privatisation of Military Services: Legal Status in International Law (2008), Business and Human Rights; In Search of Legitimacy in International Law (2010); Indonesian Mandatory Corporate Social Responsibility: Problems and Implications (2010), Legal Status of Multilateral Corporation (2019), and others.
2. Book and Book Chapter: Corporate Human Rights Responsibility: A Continuous Quest for an Effective Regulatory Framework (Uppsala - Sweden, 2009 - phd dissertation); Multinational Corporations and Protection of Human Rights: in Search of Regulatory Format (Croatia, 2007);
3. Reports and newspaper article: Business and Human Rights: What is next? (2008), Baseline study on Business and Human Rights in ASEAN (1013), Business and Human Rights in Indonesia: From Principles to Practice (2015); Corporate Criminal Responsibility: An Alternative Access to Justice (2016); Toward Corporate Criminal Responsibility in Indonesian Criminal Code (2016) Baseline study on Human Rights in Palm Oil Business (2019); The importance of Due diligence: A case study of Prisma in Indonesia (2021)

4.2 Enter three public statements or pronouncements made or events that the candidate may have participated in relation to the mandate applied for, in the order of relevance:

1. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:

Session by Patricia Rinwigati in Training on Human Rights - specific session on Human Rights and Business.

Event organizer: AUN-HRE in cooperation with UUM and the SUHAKAM Malaysia (NHRM)

Date on which public statement/pronouncement made: 16 December 2021

Web link, if available:

2. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:

Statement by Patricia Rinwigati in Regional Conference on Business and Human Rights

Event organizer: held by Indonesian MOFA supported by UNDP

Date on which public statement/pronouncement made: 19 November 2021

Web link, if available: <https://ham.go.id/2021/11/17/regional-conference-on-business-and-human-rights/>

3. Platform/occasion/event on which public statement/pronouncement made:

Engagement and Remedy Forum for Responsible Business Conduct 2021

Event organizer: held by Global Compact Network Japan, Business and Human Rights, Lawyer's Network, Business and Human Rights Resource Center, & Sasakawa

Date on which public statement/pronouncement made: 26 February 2021

Web link, if available: <https://www.spf.org/en/seminar/list/20210226.html>

If more than three, kindly summarize (200 words limit): I have been involved in various events as a speaker, reviewer as well as respondent. At the national level, I participated in various events such as technical assistance to the Indonesian Task Force on Business and Human Rights, development of national human rights due diligence, several national consultations on the draft of the National Action Plan on business and human rights; Discussion with CSO on various issues on business and human rights and a national and international conference on human rights held by various universities and institutions.

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At the regional/international arena, I have expressed my statement in various events such on the regional meeting on business and human rights amid Covid-19 pandemic focusing on the risks and protection of human rights defenders & ensuring their participation in recovery held by Forum Asia & BHRRC. Being involved directly in human rights and peace education in Asia, I have been teaching in many training/events for SHAPE SEA (Strengthening Human Rights and Peace Education in South East Asia) as well as ASEAN University Network's programmes.

5. FLEXIBILITY/READINESS AND AVAILABILITY OF TIME (200 words limit)
to perform effectively the functions of the mandate and to respond to its requirements, including participating in Human Rights Council (HRC) sessions in Geneva and General Assembly sessions in New York, travelling on two country visits per year, drafting reports according to established deadlines, organizing and participating in consultations and meetings, addressing allegations of human rights violations with all concerned, providing advice to States and other stakeholders on issues related to their mandate and engaging with a variety of stakeholders. Kindly indicate whether the candidate can dedicate an estimated time of four to six months per year to the work of a mandate depending on its workload.

Please note that the work of mandate holders is unpaid. Those appointed as mandate holders serve in their personal capacities. They are not United Nations staff members, they are not based in United Nations offices in Geneva or at another United Nations location, and they do not receive salary or other financial compensation, except for travel expenses and daily subsistence allowance of "experts on mission".

I will be able to dedicate approximately 4 - 6 months a year to work on the mandate depending on the workload. My commitment and effectiveness in successfully carrying out the required functions in different roles over the past decade is evidence of my performance.

6. NOMINATION FOR THE MANDATE

Indicate whether the candidate has been nominated by (check all that apply):

- Individual nominations (indicate this if the candidate is self-nominating)**
- Governments**
- Regional groups operating within the United Nations human rights systems**
- International organizations or their offices**
- Non-governmental organizations**
- National human rights institutions**
- Other human rights bodies**

Name of the nominating entity and additional information about the nomination (use if applicable, for third-party nominations only) (200 words limit):

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III. MOTIVATION LETTER, INCLUDING YOUR VISION OF THE MANDATE

(600 word limit. Must be typed in the space below and not sent in a separate email or as an attachment. To be drafted and signed (i.e. with a typed signature) by the candidate himself/herself even if nominated by another entity.)

Consultative Group
UN Human Rights Council
Geneva, Switzerland

I am forwarding my application as a prerequisite to formalize my candidacy as a member of the United Nations Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises from Asia Pacific. It has been my passion and ambition to contribute to the development of business and human rights. My interest in business and human rights spans back to 2000 where I watched—first hand—in terror the struggle of Amungme people. An indigenous people in the land of Papua, they went against a huge multinational corporation that destroyed their land and livelihood. Since then, I made a commitment to pursue the interests of international human rights for the greater good of disadvantaged communities through my research and advocacy on corporate responsibility towards human rights. Although I am proud of my academic record where I can still remember presenting my dissertation on human rights and corporate social responsibility at Uppsala University, Sweden, I must admit that my conscience is fully aware that we have more barriers to break to fully advance the vision of business and human rights.

The UN Human Rights Council adopted the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights as a catalyst to establish the common standard-setting for corporate human rights responsibility. Here, the UN Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises becomes an essential tool to implement the UNGP further. I believe that my experience as an advisor to the Indonesian Government, regional organizations such as the European Union and ASEAN has brought me to an opportune place to serve the United Nations as best I can.

My longstanding convictions and track-record towards the pursuit of human rights is reflected upon my 20 years of service as a Senior Lecturer for human rights. To say that the Universal Declaration of Human Rights as well as other human rights treaties is a source of international law that I know is an understatement. I have used them as a guiding force for good in my academic work and as a reminder of the innovation that can be done together.

In addition to my academic background, I have more than twenty years of experience working with various stakeholders, including governments, civil society, donors, funding agencies, business actors, and NGOs in all South East Asia countries, particularly Timor Leste, Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, and beyond. This experience encompasses the program design, implementation, management, and monitoring development of business and human rights.

In my years of carrying the helm of leadership, my maxim is the practice of diplomacy to reach peaceful and meaningful progress. If elected as a member of the UN Working Group for Business and Human Rights, I can guarantee that my professionalism, independence, and optimization of diplomacy will be a top priority in our efforts to strengthen human rights at all levels.

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Hence, my years of serving my country as an advisor, academic, and advocate make me poised to humbly carry the mantle that has been conducted so well by my predecessors. If I am given the honour to serve as a member of this UN Working Group, I will ensure that my tenure will see that international law is placed at the highest level, that digital innovation and transformation can lead to more transparent standard-setting on the role and responsibility of business enterprises, that Asia Pacific can develop more best practices of the implementation of UNGP, and finally the United Nations will continue to lead with data-driven solutions at place, adherence to the international standards and most of all maintain that we pursue our initiatives in pushing for human rights with empathy and respect to human dignity.

Once again, I respectfully request the Consultative Group of the United Nations Human Rights Council to consider my nomination.

Warmest Regards

Patricia Rinwigati

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IV. LANGUAGES (READ / WRITTEN / SPOKEN)

Please indicate all language skills below.

1. Mother tongue: Indonesian

2. Knowledge of the official languages of the United Nations:

Arabic: Yes or no: **N** If yes,

Read: Easily or Not easily:

Write: Easily or Not easily:

Speak: Easily or Not easily:

Chinese: Yes or no: **N** If yes,

Read: Easily or not easily:

Write: Easily or not easily:

Speak: Easily or not easily:

English: Yes or no: **Yes** If yes,

Read: Easily or not easily: **easily**

Write: Easily or not easily: **easily**

Speak: Easily or not easily: **easily**

French: Yes or no: **N** If yes,

Read: Easily or not easily:

Write: Easily or not easily:

Speak: Easily or not easily:

Russian: Yes or no: **N** If yes,

Read: Easily or not easily:

Write: Easily or not easily:

Speak: Easily or not easily:

Spanish: Yes or no: **N** If yes,

Read: Easily or not easily:

Write: Easily or not easily:

Speak: Easily or not easily:

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V. EDUCATIONAL RECORD

NOTE: Please list the candidate’s academic qualifications (university level and higher, indicating the type of degree and field of study, and whether full- or part-time; for example, *Masters in Law, University of XXX, part-time, 1975-1977, city and country*). If space in the table is insufficient, more than one degree may be listed in a single cell below, separating them by a blank line.

Name of degree, field of study and name of academic institution, full or part-time:	Years of attendance (provide a range from-to, for example 1999-2003; for ongoing education, please put e.g. 2018-present):	Place and country:
Doctoral Degree (LLD/PhD), International Law, Faculty of Law, Uppsala University, Full time	2002 - 2009	Uppsala, Sweden
Master of International Law (MIL/LLM), Faculty of Law, Lund University, Full Time	1997-1999	Lund, Sweden
Law Degree (SH), Faculty of Law, Universitas Indonesia, Full Time	1992 - 1996	Depok, Indonesia

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VI. EMPLOYMENT RECORD

NOTE: Please briefly list ALL RELEVANT professional positions held in the area of human rights, beginning with the candidate's current (most recent) occupation. Also, indicate whether positions held were full-time or part-time. If space in the table is insufficient, more than one position may be listed in a single cell below, separating them by a blank line.

Name of employer, functional title, main functions of position, full- or part-time:	Years of work (provide a range from-to, for example 1999-2005; for ongoing activities, please put e.g. 2018-present):	Place and country:
Universitas Indonesia, Senior Lecturer (beginning part-time, contract staff, now permanent staff)	1997 - present	Depok, Indonesia
Universitas Indonesia, Director of Djokosoetono Research Center, to lead research programs at the Faculty of Law, Universitas Indonesia, part-time	2018 - present	Depok, Indonesia
Advisor to the Indonesian vocal points for Business and Human Rights to draft NAP on Business and Human Rights (2018 - 2020 under the Coordinating Ministry on Economic Affairs; 2020 - present under the Ministry of Law and Human Rights), part-time	2018 - now	Jakarta, Indonesia
Ministry of Law and Human Rights, Advisor to lead the development of National Human Rights Risk Assessment for Corporation, part-time	2019 - now	Jakarta, Indonesia
Ministry of Law and Human Rights, Advisor and Assessor for Human Rights City Awards, part-time	2018 - 2021	Jakarta, Indonesia
Mahidol University, Research Chair for the regional program on Strengthening Human Rights and Peace Education in South East Asia Region and beyond - a joint program between ASEAN University Network & South East Asia Human Rights Study Network, part-time	2016 - 2020	Regional in South East Asia; secretariat at Salaya Bangkok, Thailand
Ministry of Law and Human Rights, Team Leader to develop a baseline on the implementation of UNGP in Palm Oil Sector, part-time	2019	Jakarta, Indonesia

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TRANSTEC Belgium, Team Leader for EU Asean Dialogue Instrument (READI Human Rights), part time	2017	Regional - but based in Jakarta, Indonesia
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**VII. COMPLIANCE WITH ETHICS AND INTEGRITY PROVISIONS
(of Human Rights Council resolution 5/1)**

To be completed by the candidate or by the nominating entity on the candidate's behalf.

1. To your knowledge, does the candidate have any official, professional, personal, or financial relationships that might cause the candidate to limit the extent of inquiries, to limit disclosure, or to weaken or slant findings in any way? If yes, please explain.

NO

2. Are there any factors that could either directly or indirectly influence, pressure, threaten, or otherwise affect the candidate's ability to act independently in discharging the mandate? If yes, please explain:

NO

3. Is there any reason, currently or in the past, that could call into question the candidate's moral authority and credibility or does the candidate hold any views or opinions that could prejudice the manner in which the candidate discharges the mandate? If yes, please explain:

NO

4. Does the candidate comply with the provisions in paragraph 44 and 46 of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1? (Please answer YES if the candidate complies, NO if the candidate does not comply, together with an explanation.)

Para. 44: The principle of non-accumulation of human rights functions at a time shall be respected.

Para. 46: Individuals holding decision-making positions in Government or in any other organization or entity which may give rise to a conflict of interest with the responsibilities inherent to the mandate shall be excluded. Mandate holders will act in their personal capacity.

Yes

5. Should the candidate be appointed as a mandate holder, the candidate will have to take measures to comply with paragraphs 44 and 46 of the annex to Council resolution 5/1. In the event that the current occupation or activity, even if unpaid, of the candidate may give rise to a conflict of interest (e.g. if a candidate holds a decision-making position in Government) and/or there is an accumulation of human rights functions (e.g. as a member of another human rights mechanism at the international, regional or national level), necessary measures could include relinquishing positions, occupations or activities. If applicable, please indicate the measures the candidate will take.

NOT APPLICABLE

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VIII. CERTIFY AND SUBMIT APPLICATION

To be completed by the candidate. The candidate's name below should match how it is entered on the first page of the form and in the online survey.

I hereby certify that all of the statements made in this application are true, complete and are made in good faith. I understand that falsifying or intentionally withholding information will be grounds for not being selected or appointed or the withdrawal of any proposed appointment or, if an appointment has been made and accepted, for its immediate cancellation or termination.

Kindly note that whilst no changes can be made after this application form has been submitted and the deadline for applications has expired, any relevant change of current occupation, employment, or position, or any other relevant fact or circumstance should be brought to the attention of the secretariat by email (ohchr-hrcspecialprocedures@un.org).

Please review the application before you insert your name and date to indicate your agreement.

Name: Patricia Rinwigati

Date: 25 November 2021
