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HRE 2020 Presents at the Human Rights Council

The Human Rights Council organised a "High Level Panel Discussion on the Implementation of the UN Declaration



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Human Rights Education and Training" in Geneva on 14 September 2016. On behalf of HRE 2020, Sneh Aurora delivered a statement.

The statement highlighted the need to focus on national implementation and follow-up of human rights education and training initiatives, and the role of states, UN mechanisms and civil society. HRE 2020 continues to stress that implementation and follow-up can be effectively achieved through partnership and cooperation. States should engage with civil society organisations (including NGOs, national human rights institutions, trade unions, educational institutions, and media) in the planning, implementation and monitoring of national strategies and programmes on human rights education and training.

Full text of the statement



Human Rights Education Indicator Framework Available in French and Spanish

HRE 2020's first publication, *Human Rights Education Indicator Framework: Key indicators to monitor and assess the implementation of human rights education and training*, is now also available in French and Spanish. Following positive reception of the English-language guide, the coalition has translated the document into two additional languages. The translations, along with the English version, are available for download on the <u>HRE 2020 website</u>.

HRE 2020 hopes to make this publication accessible to all who may find it useful. If you are interested in translating this resource into another language, <u>please let us know</u>.

The coalition also welcomes suggestions, contributions and information on how this publication is used. Please contact us to share your experiences at: <u>HRE2020@HRE2020.org</u>.

Member profile: Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law (RWI)



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RWI manages a Master's programme in international human rights law at Lund University. Cooperation with other academic institutions and independent human rights centres working for the promotion of human rights forms a natural and central part of the Institute's work.

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The Raoul Wallenberg Institute's international work in these areas primarily concerns supporting the development of capacity with the partner institutions to plan, implement and deliver human rights education and training and carry out research, and contributing to the institutionalisation of such activities. The Institute provides highly customised support to its partners, driven by human rights education gaps in the societies where we work. This is done through human rights education, development of learning networks, exchange of staff and visitorships, research development as well as literature and publication support.

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HRE 2020 is a global civil society coalition that promotes human rights education through advocacy. It works with civil society, governments and international organisations to support and strengthen the monitoring and *implementation of international standards on, and commitments to, human rights education.*

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