

# Human Rights Council Elections:

## A Discussion of Candidates' Aspirations and Vision of Membership



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11 am - 1 pm

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In advance of the Human Rights Council elections set for November 2013, **Amnesty International** and the **International Service for Human Rights (ISHR)** are pleased to invite you to a presentation and discussion of the pledges and commitments made by candidates running for the term starting in 2014.

### Participating Candidates

- France
- Maldives
- Mexico
- South Sudan
- the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
- United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
- Uruguay

The meeting is intended to give candidates an opportunity to present their vision of membership on the Council and respond to questions on how they would realize the pledges and commitments they have made in seeking election.

### Agenda

1. Brief presentations by candidates
2. Round of questions from the moderator
3. Questions from the floor

Moderated by

**Kristen Saloomey**, UN correspondent for Al Jazeera

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