#38 – UN SPECIAL PROCEDURES & LGBTI ISSUES





The International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association – ILGA World and the International Service for Human Rights (ISHR) have compiled a series of factsheets highlighting the work that UN special procedures – independent human rights experts, appointed to monitor and report on human rights violations – have undertaken to defend the human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans and intersex (LGBTI) persons. The factsheets compile the references and recommendations made by these experts to LGBTI persons, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, and sex characteristics (SOGIESC). They cover all thematic reports, country visit reports, and communications sent to States between January 2011 and December 2021.



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WORK SUMMARY

COUNTRIES VISITED

ADDRESSES SOGIESC ISSUES:

No country visits have addressed SOGIESC issues.

DOES NOT ADDRESS SOGIESC ISSUES:

- Norway (September 2019)
- Fiji (December 2018)
- Mongolia (September 2017)
- Uruguay (April 2017)
- Madagascar (October 2016)
- France (October 2014)
- Costa Rica (August 2013)

ANNUAL THEMATIC REPORTS

Healthy and sustainable food: reducing the environmental impacts of food systems on human rights July 2021 (76th Session GA)	Brief reference to SOGI (In context of vulnerable populations) Para. 60.
Human rights and the global water crisis: water pollution, water scarcity and water-related disasters January 2021 (46th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
A healthy biosphere and the right to a healthy environment July 2020 (75th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Right to a healthy environment: good practices December 2019 (43rd Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Safe climate July 2018 (74th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Clean air and the right to a healthy and sustainable environment January 2019 (40th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Global recognition of the right to a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment July 2018 (73rd Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Children's rights and the environment January 2018 (37th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Framework principles on human rights and the environment January 2018 (37th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Report on the human rights obligations relating to the conservation and sustainable use of biological diversity January 2017 (34th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Implementation report December 2015 (31st Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.

Good practices report

February 2015 (28th Session HRC)

No SOGIESC references.

Mapping report

December 2013 (25th Session HRC)

No SOGIESC references.

Preliminary report of the Independent Expert on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment,

December 2012 (22nd Session HRC)

No SOGIESC references.

COMMUNICATIONS

No SOGIESC-related communications from the period.