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**INTERNATIONAL LAW AND RELIGION SYMPOSIUM**  
**International Center for Law and Religion Studies**  
**at Brigham Young University**

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**Afghanistan**

H. Mohammaddin (Fahim), Director of Herat Education, City of Herat (2005)

Mohammad Rafiq Mojaddadi, Mayor of the City of Herat (2005)

Khalilullah Tawakol, Head of the Department of Health, City of Herat (2005)

**Albania**

Behar Bejko, Head, State Committee on Cults, Council of Ministers (2000)

Rasim Hasanaj, Chairman, State Committee on Cults, Council of Ministers (2009)

Brikena Kasmi, Head, Legal Drafting Sector, General Department of Codification, Ministry of Justice (2009)

Arian Konomi, First Counselor to the President of Albania (2002)

Artan Kosti, Member, State Committee on Religion (2004)

Ana Lalaj, Director, Institute of History, Academy of Sciences (2005)

Halil Lalaj, Chairman, National Committee of Television and Radio Regulatory (2005)

Krenar Loloçi, Attorney, Loloçi and Associates (2004)

Urim Muja, Economist, Financial Department of the Democratic Republic of Albania (2002)

Perikli Zaharia, Justice, Supreme Court of Albania (2006)

**Angola**

Virgilio Coelho, Vice Minister, Ministry of Culture (2003)

Xavier Paulo, Assessor, Ministry of Culture (2003)

Francisco Lisboa Santos, Senior Director General, Ministry of Culture (2003)

**Argentina**

Gabriel Iván Álvarez, Director of Relations with Religions and NGOs, Ministry of the Government of San Juan (2014)

Roberto Bosca, Professor, University of Austral (2004)

Ariel David Busso, Father, Director of IDEC, Catholic University of Buenos Aires (2005)

Andrea De Vita, Directora General del Registro Nacional de Cultos, Secretaría de Culto (2009)

Constanza Diedrich, Professor, Universidad Católica de Salta (2006)

Juan Pablo Cafiero, UN Development Program Advisor, United Nations in Buenos Aires (2006)

Jose Camilo Cardozo, Professor and Director, Religious Affairs for Non-Catholic Religions (Prior to 1998 Symposium, 2000, 2002, 2003)

Luis Jorge Crego, President, Civil Charity Association (2007)

Juan Cruz Esquivel, Secretariat of Religious Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2007)

Juan Navarro Floria, Professor, Chief of Cabinet, Secretariat of Religious Affairs (2001, 2006)

Jorge Horacio Gentile, Professor of Constitutional Law, Catholic University of Argentina; and Argentine Council for Religious Liberty (CALIR) (2011)

Osvaldo Alejandro Grossman, Vice Secretary for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2006)

Ximena Guzmán, Director, Department of Entry Processing, National Directorate of Immigration (2013)

Juan Laureano Fabian Landaburu, Subsecretario de Culto, Cancilleria Argentina (2009)

Julio Méndez, Presbyter Doctor, Catholic University of Salta (2015)

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Roberto Mazal Nuthes, Doctor of Law and Social Sciences (2002)  
Norberto Padilla, Professor, Catholic University of Argentina, and University of Buenos Aires (2004)  
Octavio Lo Prete, Professor, Secretary, University of Buenos Aires and Catholic University of Argentina;  
Argentine Council for Religious Liberty (CALIR) (2008)  
Mario Ringler, President, Latin American Rabbinical Seminary (2007)  
Alfonso Santiago, Director, School of Policy, Government, and International Relations, Universidad  
Austral (2015)  
Raúl Jorge Scialabba, President, Argentine Council for Religious Liberty (CALIR) (2008 )  
Juan Martin Vives, Secretary of Student Management, Universidad Adventista del Plata (2013)  
Eduardo Zimmermann, Rector, St. Andrew's University (2006)

### **Armenia**

Vardan Atsatryan, Advisor, Department for National Minorities and Religious Affairs (2007)  
Stepan Danielyan, Chairman, Collaboration for Democracy Centre (2012)  
Elza Gevorgyan, Assistant Advisor to the Prime Minister for Religious Affairs, Government of Armenia  
(2004)  
Hovhannes Hovhannisyán, Associate Professor, Faculty of Theology, Yerevan State University (2014)  
Shavarsh Arturovich Khachatryan, Expert in International Law, Department of National, Minorities and  
Religious Affairs, Government of Armenia (2006)  
Hranush Kharatyan, Director, Department of National Minorities and Religious Affairs,  
Government of Armenia (2005)  
Razmik Markosyan, Advisor to the Prime Minister for Religious Affairs (2004)  
Lazarus Soujyan, Minister, State Council of Religious Affairs, Government of Armenia  
Sergey Vardanyan, Vice President, State Council of Religious Affairs (2000)

### **Australia**

Ameer Ali, Professor, Murdoch University Centre for Muslim Studies (2008)  
Paul Babie, Doctor, University of Adelaide Law School, Research Unit for the Study of Society, Law and  
Religion (2009)  
Robert Balzola, President, New South Wales Religious Freedom Institute (2006)  
Justice David Bleby, Supreme Court of South Australia (2006)  
Michael Casey, Private Secretary, Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney (2014)  
Peter Comensoli, Most Reverend, Archdiocese of Sydney (2014)  
Carolyn Maree Evans, Professor, Centre for Comparative Constitutional Studies, Melbourne Law School  
(2005, 2006, 2010, 2012)  
Neil Foster, Professor, Newcastle Law School (2014)  
Rachael Kohn, Producer and Presenter of The Spirit of Things and The Ark on Radio National, ABC  
Radio National (2011)  
Brian Lucas, General Secretary, Australian Catholic Bishops Conference (2015)  
Denise Meyerson, Professor of Law, Macquarie University (2008)  
Rocco Mimmo, Founder and Chairman, Ambrose Centre for Religious Liberty (2010)  
Gabriël A. Moens, Professor of Law, T.C. Beirne School of Law, University of Queensland (2000, 2003)  
Patrick N. Parkinson, Professor, University of Sydney School of Law (2004)  
Michael Quinlan, Dean, School of Law Sydney, The University of Notre Dame Australia (2015)  
Mark Rice, Master, District Court (2003)  
Neville Rochow, Barrister/Board Member, University of Adelaide Research Unit for Society, Law, and  
Religion (2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2014)  
Paul M. Taylor, Barrister at law (2005)  
Stephen Wade, Shadow Minister for Health, Parliament of South Australia, Legislative Council (2014)  
Tim Wilson, Australian Human Rights Commissioner (2015)

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Ping Xiong, Lecturer, University of South Australia Law School (2012)

Augusto Cotta Zimmermann, Associate Dean and Senior Lecturer, Murdoch University (2012)

Nigel Zimmermann, Private Secretary to Most Rev. Peter Comensoli, Archdiocese of Sydney (2014)

### **Austria**

Willi Fuhrmann, Justice, European Court of Human Rights (1999)

Hans Gerald Hödl, Privatdozent Dr. Mag., Vice-Director of Study-Programme, University of Vienna, Institute for the Study of Religions (2008)

Wolfgang Wieshaider, Professor, University of Austria (2004)

Franz Winter, Religious Studies Scholar, University of Vienna, Federal Centre for Sect Issues (2010)

### **Bahamas**

Veronica Owens, Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Education (2005)

### **Bangladesh**

Kamal Hossain, Former Minister of Law, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Former Minister of Petroleum and Minerals, and one of the principal authors of the Constitution of Bangladesh (2010)

### **Belarus**

Valeriy Mikhailovich Aleksandrov, Deputy Chairman, Permanent Committee on Legislation, National Assembly of the Republic of Belarus (2003)

Alexandr Nikolaevich Bilyk, President, Governmental Committee of Religion and National Matters of the Republic of Belarus (1997)

Ivan Ivanovich Pashkevich, Vice-Counselor of the Head Administration of the President of the Republic of Belarus (1997)

Valery Tsepkalov, Advisor to the President of Belarus (2005)

Alexander Vashkevich, Belarusian Center for Constitutionalism and Comparative Legal Studies (2002, 2003)

Leonid Evgenievich Zemlyakov, Deputy Head of Divisions, Secretariat of the House of Representatives

### **Belgium**

Jean-Bernard Bolvin, Policy Officer, European External Action Service, European Commission (2014)

Louis-Léon Christians, Professor, Université Catholique de Louvain (2005)

Patrick H. Daly, General Secretary, COMECE (2015)

Adelbert Denaux, President, Information and Advice Center Concerning Harmful Sectarian Organizations (2001)

Willy Fautré, Human Rights without Frontiers (1999)

Elizabeta Kitanović, Executive Secretary, Conference of European Churches (CEC) (2015)

Marie-Claire Simone France Ghislaine Foblets, Professor, Catholic University Leuven (2009)

Guy Haarscher, Professor and President, Center of Legal Philosophy, Université Libre de Bruxelles (2001)

Adriaan Overbeeke, Professor, University of Antwerp School of Law, Inter-University Center for Education Law (2005)

Rik Torfs, Professor and Dean of the Faculty of Canon Law, Université Catholique de Louvain (2006, 2012)

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## **Bolivia**

Julio Ramiro Jáuregui Alvarez, Director General de Culto, Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores y Culto (2003)

Ninoska Lazarte, Councilwoman, Municipal Council of Cochabamba City (2012)

Carmiña Valda de Mayer, Director General of Religious Affairs

## **Bosnia and Herzegovina**

Slavka Alagic, Department Head, Ministry of Justice (2011)

Fazila Music, Deputy Minister of Justice, Ministry of Justice (2011)

## **Brazil**

Jonas Moreno Almeida, Director of ANAJURE for Refugee Affairs and Humanitarian Aid, Member, Commission of Law & Religious Liberty, Bar Association of Brazil (2015)

David Teixeira Azevedo, Professor of Law, University of São Paulo (2011)

Luiz Alberto Barbosa, Reverend, National Council of Christian Churches of Brazil (2009)

Fávio Flores da Cunha Bierrenbach, Minister, Brazil Tribunal Superior (2002)

Luigi Braga, General Counsel, South American Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church (2014)

Aroldo Cavalcante, Attorney at Law, Barreto Cavalcante Advogados (2014) (2015)

Carlos Alberto (Frei Betto) Libânio Christo, Catholic Church (Blackfriars Order–Dominicans) (2005)

Luiz Cesar Aschermann Correa, Professor of law, Catholic University Law School of São Paulo (1999, 2000, 2001)

Moroni Morgado Mendes Costa, Attorney, David Teixeira de Azevedo e Advogados Associados (2011)

Augusto Cury, Doctor of Psychiatry, Brazilian Foreign Ministry (2006)

Paulo Sérgio Domingues, Judge, Third Region Federal Regional Court in São Paulo (2006)

Andre Franco Montoro Filho, President, ETCO-Brazilian Institute of Competitive Ethics (2009)

Roseli Fischmann, Professor, São Paulo University (2002, 2004)

Gilberto Garcia, Professor of Law, Rio de Janeiro (2012)

Acyr de Gerone, Lawyer, Brazil Bar Association, Religious Freedom Committee of the Bar Association of Paraná State of Brazil (2014)

Orosinda Taranto Goulart, Special Advisor to the Minister of Education, Ministry of Education (2008)

Adam Kowalik, Professor, Catholic University (2006)

Damaris Dias Moura Kuo, President, Religious Liberty Commission of the Brazilian Bar Association's São Paulo Division

Ricardo Leite, President, Brazil Affiliate of the Religious Freedom & Business Foundation (2014) (2015)

Cláudio Salvador Lembo, Professor, Mackenzie Presbyterian University (2007)

Samuel Gomes Lima, President, Brazilian Association for Religious Freedom

Roberto Arriada Lorea, Permanent Judge, Court of Domestic Violence and Family Violence against Women in Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul (2010)

Jáder Freire de Macedo, Jr., Vice President, Law and Religious Liberty Commission of São Paulo (2013)

Valerio de Oliveria Mazzuoli, Juris Doctor, Universidade Federal Mato Grosso (2010)

Humberto Jacques de Medeiros, Regional Procurator, National Public Ministry (2008)

Adolfo J. Melfi, Rector, University of São Paulo (2004)

Marcelo Antonio Moscolgiato, Federal Prosecutor, Regional Procurator, National Public Ministry (2008)

Magno Alexandre Ferreira Moura, Prosecutor (2011)

Hugo José Oliveira, Legal Advisor, National Bishops Conference of Brazil (2015)

Vicente S. Pimentel, General Counsel, Brazilian Los Angeles Consulate, Representative of the Brazilian Foreign Ministry (2001)

Odacyr Prigol, Attorney at Law, Prigol Advogados Associados (2014) (2015)

Angelo Roncalli Ramos, Special Representative of the Minister of Justice (2000)

Mozart Neves Ramos, Professor, Federal University of Pernambuco (2007)

Oswaldo Deleuze Raymundo, Chief Public Defender (2001)

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Wanda Lúcia Soares Deleuze Raymundo, Judge, Member of the Committee of Public Defense (2001)  
Edson Rosa, Public Affairs and Religious Liberty Director, Seventh-day Adventist Church, South America (2013)

Uziel Santana, President, ANAJURE (National Association of Evangelical Jurists) (2014)

Luis Carlos Setim, Member of the Brazilian House of Representatives (2007)

Jose Luiz Lopes da Silva, Judge, Military Supreme Court (2001)

Jose Enaldo Rodrigues de Siqueira, Judge, Military Supreme Court (2001)

Aldir G. Soriano, Professor, Universidade do Oeste Paulista – Unoeste (2012)

Elizabeth Sússekind, Director, Vargas Foundation (2002)

Moroni Torgan, Member of Congress, Brazilian Government (2015)

### **Bulgaria**

Dimitar Chukarsky, Chief of the Cabinet, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Agrarian Reform (1997)

Dimitar Gotchev, Justice, Constitutional Court (2001)

Atanas Krusteff, Attorney at law (2000)

Ivan Kurtev, Deputy Chairman, Bulgarian National Assembly (1999)

Emil Markov, Chairman, Sofia City Court (2003)

Christo Matanov, Former Director, Committee of Denominations, Council of Ministers (1998)

Stefan Maznev, Member, Human Rights and Denominations Committee, Bulgarian Parliament (1998)

Lyubomir Mladenov, Director of Denominations, Ministry of Education and Science (1999)

Gary Stephens, Bulgaria Sofia Mission (Prior to 1998 Symposium)

Ivan Sungarski, Chairman, Human Rights and Denomination Committee; Member of Parliament

Evgeni Tanchev, Professor of Constitutional Law, Sofia University

Stefan N. Tchernokoley, Concordia Legal (1998)

### **Cambodia**

Say Amnann, Advisor and Secretary to the President, National Assembly (2015)

Min Chan Dy Neth, Advisor and Cabinet Director, Ministry of Cults and Religion (2015)

Savooun Chea, Minister of Cults and Religion, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2002)

Chhath Choeum, Deputy Director of Cabinet (2002)

Un Dary, General Director, Department of Religious Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2006, 2007, 2009)

Min Khin, Minister, Ministry of Cults and Religions (2009)

Roth Reun, Assistant to the Minister, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2002)

Mar Samborana, Attorney at Law, Sciaroni & Associates (2005)

Von Sao, Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2002)

Penh Senghour, Advisor to the Senior Minister, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2006)

Keo Sotheary, Director General of Administration and Finance, Ministry of Cults and Religion (2015)

Eam That, Secretary and Assistant to the Under-Secretary (2002)

Nguon Thuon, Advisor to the Royal Government of Cambodia, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2009)

Jahnvibol Tip, Attorney at Law (2003)

Youdavann Yim, Director, Department of Foreign Religious Affairs, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2003)

Luoth Yin, Under-Secretary, Ministry of Cults and Religious Affairs (2006)

### **Canada**

Lori Gail Beaman, Professor of Religious Studies, University of Ottawa (2010)

Iain T. Benson, Senior Associate Counsel, Miller Thompson LLP; Faculty of Law, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa (2010)

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Janet Epp Buckingham, Associate Professor of Political Studies and History; Director, Laurentian Leadership Centre (2013)

Barry Bussey, Director, Legal Affairs, Canadian Council of Christian Charities (2015)

James Christie, Professor of Dialogue Theology; Director, Ridd Institute for Religion & Global Policy, University of Winnipeg (2014)

Palbinder Kaur Shergill, General Legal Counsel, World Sikh Organization of Canada (2015)

Anna Su, Assistant Professor, University of Toronto (2015)

John F. Young, Professor, University of Northern British Columbia (2007, 2009)

### **Cape Verde**

Jorge Manuel Santos Sousa Brito, Professor, University Jean Piaget of Cape Verde (2010)

Ligia Dias Foseca, First Lady, Office of the President of Cape Verde (2012)

Marisa Helena do Nascimento Morais, Ministério da Administração Interna (2011)

### **Chile**

José Saúl Bravo, Advisor, Office of the Secretary General of the Presidency, National Office of Religious Affairs (2008)

Ana Maria Celis Brunet, Professor of Law, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2004, 2009)

Guillermo Carey, Attorney at law (2003)

Hernán Larraín Fernández, Senator, Chile Senate (2011)

Gonzalo Guerrero, Chief of Staff to the Undersecretary General of the Presidency; Director, Religious Affairs Office Director (2013)

Tomás Henríquez C., Founder and Former CEO, Comunidad y Justicia (2015)

Carmen Aida Dominguez Hidalgo, Directora Centro UC Familia/Profesora Derecho Civil, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2009)

Fernando Mauricio Lagos, Advisor, Registry of Public Religious Legal Entities, Ministry of Justice (2002)

Humberto Lagos-Schuffemeger, Ministry of the Interior (2004)

Carlos Javier Aguilar Muñoz, Attorney at Law, Ministry of Justice (2007)

María Pimstein, Professor, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2007)

Jorge Precht, Professor of Public Law, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2008)

Juan Alberto Rabah, Attorney at law, Evangelical Organizations of Chile

Héctor Mario Ramírez, Professor of Private International Law, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2005)

Jorge Del Picó Rubio, Advisor, Ministry of Justice (2001)

### **China**

Kim-Kwong Chan, Executive Secretary, Hong Kong Christian Council (2003)

Huan Zhong Chen, Attorney at law (2002)

Ming Chen, Deputy Researcher, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Hongmeng Cheng, Postdoctoral Fellow, School of International Relations and Public Affairs, Fudan University (2015)

Xue Chunmei, State Administrator, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2003)

Qiu Fengxia, Researcher, Research Center, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2014)

Shining Gao, Researcher, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Li Hanying, Assistant, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2004)

Wei Hong, Professor of Law, China National School of Administration (2008)

Ze Jin, Deputy Director, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Jin Jinping, Deputy Director, Peking University Law School (2011)

Russell Leu, Professor and Associate Dean, Beijing Foreign Studies University School of Law (2014)

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Peng Liu, Director, Pu Shi Institute for Social Sciences (2009, 2012)

Yunfeng Lu, Associate Professor, Sociology Department, Peking University (2011)

Sha Mei, Assistant Professor, Religion and Art Research Office of the Institute of Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2005)

Wan Meng, Dean and Professor, Beijing Foreign Studies University School of Law (2014)

Zhang Nu, Vice Chief, 4<sup>th</sup> Department, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2007)

Long Jing Ru, Deputy Division Chief, Division of Laws and Regulations, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2000)

Shen Cai Wang, Officer of Foreign Affairs Department, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2006)

Yanming Wang, Divisional Director of the 4<sup>th</sup> Department, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2006)

Qi Wei, Deputy Divisional Director of the 4<sup>th</sup> Department, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2006)

Zhuo Xinping, Director, Professor, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2008)

Pei Yong, Director, Policy Research Division, State Administration for Religious Affairs (2003, 2004)

Qiu Yonghui, Professor, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Chuanhui Zeng, Professor, Institute of World Religions (2010)

Lirong Zhang, Deputy Division Chief, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Qianfan Zhang, Professor, Vice President, Chinese Constitutional Law Association (2010)

Yaping Zhang, Deputy Researcher, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Guangming Zhao, Assistant Researcher, Institute of World Religions, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2004)

Zhou Wen Zhong, Minister, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of the People's Republic of China (1997)

## **Colombia**

Javier Moncayo Arenas, Assistant Director, Department of Religious Freedom and Cults (2001)

María Patricia Ariza-Velasco, Fourth Deputy Attorney before the Council of State, Procuraduría General de las República de Colombia (2012, 2013)

Luis Humberto Gómez Gallo, Senator, Colombian Congress (2006)

Abelardo Ramírez Gasca, Assistant Director, Colombia Diplomatic Academy (2002)

Guillermo Francisco Reyes González, Vice Minister of Justice, Ministry of the Interior (2007)

Rubén Darío Calderón Jaramillo, Legal Director General, Ministry of Interior (2001)

Melba Martínez López, Doctor, Director General, Consular Affairs and Colombian Communities in the Exterior (2000)

Alejandro Ordoñez Maldonado, Attorney General of the Republic of Colombia (2013)

Viviane Morales, Doctor, Congress of the Republic of Colombia (1997)

Charles William Schultz Navarro, Legal Advisor to the President of Colombia (2011)

Vicente Prieto, Professor, Universidad de la Sabana (2010)

José Dario Salazar-Cruz, Senator, Republic of Colombia (2012)

Sergio González Sandoval, Lawyer/Professor, Military University of New Granada and the Free University of Colombia (2008)

## **Congo, Democratic Republic of**

Andre Makengo Kisala Mazyambo, Professor, University of Kinshasa (2014)

Mbokeli Monsempo, Secretary General, Ministry of Planning, Government of the Democratic Republic of Congo (2006)

Alphonse Obouande, Director, Immigration Department (2007)

Katshung Joseph Yav, Professor, Yav & Associates (2014)

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### **Costa Rica**

Fabricio Alvarado, Member of Congress, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015).  
Mónica Catalán, Advisor, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015)  
Maria Elena Núñez Chave, Representative to the Congress of Costa Rica (2004)  
Daisy Guerrero, Advisor, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015)  
Vicente Lines, Attorney at Law, Arias and Muñoz (2011)  
Luis Fernando Mendoza Jiménez, Counsel, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015)  
Pedro Jose Beirute Rodriguez, Licenciado, Director of Prodefensa de la Familia (2005)  
Ovidio Pacheco Salazar, President, Legislative Assembly  
Silvia Sánchez, Member of Congress, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015)  
César Zúñiga, Advisor, Legislative Assembly of Costa Rica (2015)

### **Croatia**

Vanja-Ivan Savic, Assistant Professor, University of Zagreb Faculty of Law (2014)

### **Czech Republic**

Pavla Bendová, Director, Department of Churches, Ministry of Culture (2007)  
Danial Dumermann, Consul General for the Czech Republic, Consulate of the Czech Republic to the United States (2009)  
Lenka Houdková, Master of Laws, Ministry of Culture (2004)  
Jakub Kříž, Vice Director, Department of Churches, Ministry of Culture (2007)  
Jana Řepová, RN Doctor, Director, Department of Churches, Ministry of Culture (2000, 2001)  
Hana Veselá, Manager, Church Registration Section, Ministry of Culture (2003)  
Pavel Zeman, Director, Department of Churches, Ministry of Culture (1997)

### **Denmark**

Lisbet Christoffersen, Professor, University of Copenhagen (2006)

### **Democratic Republic of Congo**

Kyungu Nkulu Guillaume, Chief of Staff, Ministry of Justice (2015)

### **Dominican Republic**

Eugenio Cedeño Areché, Deputy, National Congress, Chamber of Deputies; President, Human Rights Commission (2011)  
Samuel Arias Arzeno, Judge, Second Chamber Civil and Commercial, Court of Appeals of the National District (2006)  
Juan Jose Morales Cisneros, Deputy, National Congress, Chamber of Deputies (2011)  
Ramón De La Cruz Baldera, Rector, Pontificia Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra (PUCMM) (2015)  
Miguel Enrique Núñez Durán, President, Dominican Association for Religious Freedom (2013)  
Milton Ray Guevara, President, Constitutional Tribunal of the Dominican Republic (2013)  
Victor Orlando Bisonó Haza, Deputy, National Congress, Chamber of Deputies (2011)  
Juan Francisco Puello Herrera, Dean of the Law School, Universidad Nacional Pedro Henríquez Ureña (2005)  
Juan Manuel Guerrero de Jesús, Presiding Judge of the First Chamber, National District of the Labor Court of Appeals (2005)  
Mariano Germán Mejía Jimenez, President, Supreme Court of Justice (2014) (2015)  
Elvis Medina, Bishop, Iglesia de Dios (2012)  
Fidel Lorenzo Merán, Minister, Dominican Council of Evangelical Unity (2012)  
José Rafael Vargas Pantaleón, Senator, National Congress, Senate of the Dominican Republic (2011)  
Francisco Cruz Pascual, Administration General Secretary, Dominican Republic Senate (2008)



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Carlos Peña, Congressman, National Congress of the Dominican Republic (2009)

Nelson De Jesus Arroyo Perdomo, Diputado de la República por la Provincia San Pedro de Macoris, PRD, Cámara de Diputados de la Republica Dominicana (2009)

Milciades Marino Franjul Pimentel, Deputy, National Congress, Chamber of Deputies (2011)

Arelis Ricourt, Judge, Civil and Commercial Chamber of the Appeals Court of La Vega (2005)

Rosendo Arsenio Borges Rodriguez, Deputy, National Congress, Chamber of Deputies (2011)

Pelegrín Horacio Castillo Seman, Member of the House of Representatives (2010)

Julio Anibal Suárez, Judge, Supreme Court (2008)

### **Ecuador**

Mario Chicuiza, Coordinator and Analyst for Human Rights and Religion, Ministry of Justice, Human Rights and Religion (2011)

Jorge Gutiérrez, Attorney at Law (2000)

Felipe Adriano Abril Mogrovejo, Under Secretary of Political Coordination, Ministry of Government, Religion and Police (2008)

Raúl Gómez Ordeñana, Doctor, Delegate, National Congress of Ecuador (2000)

### **Egypt**

Mohamed Abdelaal, Assistant Professor of Constitutional and Administrative Law, Alexandria University Faculty of Law (2013)

Yehia El Gamal, Attorney at Law (2000)

Tayseir Mandour, Professor, High Islamic Council, Committee of Dialogue and Islamic Relations (2003, 2009)

### **El Salvador**

Alfonso Pineda, Attorney at Law, Pineda Claude and Associates (2009)

### **Estonia**

Marten Kokk, Judge; Director, Human Rights Section, Legal Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1998)

Ringo Ringvee, Department of Religious Affairs, Ministry of Internal Affairs (2000)

### **Ethiopia**

Tsegay Berhe, National Security Affairs Advisor to the Prime Minister (2013)

Johannes Chane, Former High Court and Supreme Court Judge

Kebede Gebre-Mariam, Attorney at Law (2003)

Ali Sulaiman Mohammed, Vice Minister, Ministry of Justice (2003)

Reta A. Nega, Legal Affairs General Directorate, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2002)

Woubeshet Senegiorgis, Attorney at Law (2010)

Shiferaw Teklemariam, Minister of Federal Affairs, Ministry of Federal Affairs (2013)

### **Fiji Islands**

Sitiveni L. Rabuka, The Honorable Major-General, Prime Minister of Fiji (1997)

Shaista Shameem, Director, Fiji Human Rights Commission; Prime Minister of Fiji (2002)

Akuila Dreudreu Yabaki, Reverend; Executive Director, Citizens' Constitutional Forum; Chairman, NGO Coalition on Human Rights in Fiji (2004)

### **France**

Jean Baubérot, Professor and President, National Ministry of Educational Research and Technology, Practical School of High Studies (2002)

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Blandine Chelini-Pont, Director, Institut de Droit et d'Histoire Religieuse (2004)  
Dominique Decherf, Consul General, Consulate General of France (2003)  
Alain Garay, Avocat a la Cour de Paris (2004)  
M. Grégor Puppink, Director, European Centre for Law and Justice (2011)  
Jacques Robert, Professor; Senior Member, French Constitutional Council (2002)  
Rene Roudaut, Counselor of Religious Affairs, Ministry for Foreign Affairs  
Françoise Tulkens, Former Permanent Judge and Vice President, European Court of Human Rights,  
European Court of Human Rights (2013)  
Jean-Paul Willaime, Research Director, l'École Pratique des Hautes Études, Department of  
Religious Studies, Sorbonne, Paris (2014)

### **Georgia**

Giorgi Alasania, Leading Specialist, Legal Affairs Committee, Parliament of Georgia (2006)  
Ann Nadareishvili, Senior Prosecutor, Office of the Prosecutor General of Georgia (2005)  
Marine Solomonishvili, President, LEA International Foundation and Georgian-Jewish Information  
Center (2012)  
Khatuna Tsintsadze, Executive Director, The Union "Century 21" (2006)

### **Germany**

Axel von Campenhausen, Professor and President, Institute for Church Law (2003)  
Marco Frenschkowski, Prof. Dr., University of Leipzig (2013)  
David M. Kirkham, Associate Dean, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies (2006)  
Richard Puza, Professor, University of Tübingen (2004)  
Steffen Rink, Religious Scientist, Lectures University of Marburg, Religious Studies Media and  
Information Service (RE MID) (2008)  
Gerhard Robbers, Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Trier (2000, 2012)  
Mathias Rohe, Professor/Doctor, University Erlangen-Nuremberg (2009)  
Sven W. Speer, Chairman, Forum Open Religious Policy (2012)  
Juergen Warnke, Rechtsanwalt (1998)

### **Ghana**

Samuel Kwame Adibu Asiedu, Justice, Fast Track Court, Ministry of Justice (2010)  
O. Akrofi, Retired Reverend, Doctor Justice, Anglican (Episcopal) Bishop of Accra and Chairman of the  
Christian Council of Ghana (2000)  
Adelaide Pinaman Anno-Kumi, Deputy Director of Finance, Ministry of the Interior (2005)  
Freddie Worsmao Armah Blay, First Deputy Speaker, Parliament of Ghana (2004)  
Samuel Awuah-Nyamekye, Lecturer, Department of Religious Studies, University of Cape Coast (2005)  
Joseph Baidoe-Ansah, Ghana Committee on Human and Peoples' Rights (1998)  
Samuel Kofi Date-Bah, Justice, Supreme Court of Ghana (2013)  
Elom K. Dovlo, Professor, University of Ghana (2004)  
Edward Goh, Attorney at Law (2010)  
Ebo Hawkson, Deputy Chairman, National Committee on Culture (1999)  
Nii Josiah-Aryeh, Doctor, University of Ghana Faculty of Law (2009)  
John Gray Gadofome Kartey, Deputy Director of Immigration, Ministry of the Interior (2005)  
Edward Korbly Doe Adjaho, Speaker of the 6th Parliament, Parliament of Ghana (2015)  
Nii Ashie Kotey, Professor, University of Ghana School of Law (2004)  
Nii Adote Obuor, Chief of Sempe, Ghana Traditional Council (2004)  
Jemima Oware, Chief State Attorney, The Registrar General's Department (2006)  
Emmanuel Kwabena Quansah, Professor of Law and Dean, School of Research and Graduate Studies,  
Mountcrest University College (2012)  
Edward Kofi Quashigah, Dean of Law, University of Ghana (1998, 2009)

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Konstatinos G. Kontogiannis, General Director for Religious Affairs (1997)

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George J. Mavros, Human Rights Attorney (1997)

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## **Guatemala**

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Selvin Garcia, Congressman, National Congress of Guatemala (2014)

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Sergio Morales, Doctor, Procuraduría Derechos Humanos de Guatemala (2009)

Mario Alberto Molina Palma, Reverend, Adjunct Secretary, Episcopal Conference (2000)

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Carlos Sabino, Professor, Universidad Francisco Marroquin (2012)

Armando de la Torre, Dean, Universidad Francisco Marroquin (2006)

Luis Pedro del Valle, Partner, Arias & Muñoz (2013)

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## **Guyana**

Juan Edghill, Bishop/Chairman, Ethic Relations Commission (2009)

Clarence Antony Nigel Hughes, Attorney at Law, Hughes, Fields & Stoby (2013)

Volda Ann Lawrence, Parliamentarian Administrator, People's National Congress Reform (2006)

Ronald P. McGarrell, Pastor, Family Federation for World Peace and Unification (2010)

Raphael Trotman, Speaker, National Assembly of Guyana (2014)

## **Haiti**

Jean Wilfrid Bertrand, General Director, National Archives of Haiti (2008)

## **Honduras**

Petrona Lizeth Aguilar Gonzalez, Vice Minister of Religion, Government of the Republic of Honduras (2011)

Carlos Alberto Portillo Gradiz, Minister of Religion, Government of the Republic of Honduras (2011)

Miguel Angel Benitez Ramos, Advisor, Ministry of Religion, Government of the Republic of Honduras (2011)

Mario Alfredo Pinel Rosales, Member, National Congress of the Republic of Honduras (2013)

Leonidas Rosa Suazo, Director, Bufete Rosa y Asociados (2010)

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## **Hungary**

Tamás Lukacs, former Member of Parliament and Chair of the Committee for Human Rights, Minorities, Civil and Religious Affairs; current President, Hungarian Independent Police Complaints Board (2014)

Istvan Meszaros, Vice President, St. Paul Academy of Theology (2003)

Balázs Schanda, Deputy Director, Department of Religious Affairs (2001)

Renáta Uitz, Professor of Comparative Constitutional Law, Central European University (2013)

## **India**

Aziz Mushabber Ahmadi, Former Chief Justice of India, Supreme Court of India (2009)

Venkatesan Ashok, Consul General of India, Indian Consulate to the United States (2015)

R. Kishore Babu, Director, Efficiency and Research, Railroad Board

D.M. Dharmadhikari, Justice, Chairperson, M.P. Human Rights Commission (2005)

Rajeev Dhavan, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India

Vikram Dutt, Consultant and Board Member, Udayan Care (2004)

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J. Krishna Kishore, Officer on Special Duty to the Union Minister of Urban Development

Sanjiv Kumar, Deputy Commissioner, Indian Administrative Service (2004)

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Tahir Mahmood, Professor, Founder-Chairman, Amity Institute of Advanced Legal Studies (2005, 2006, 2010)

Srinivasa Rao Medarametla, Officer, Ministry of Home Affairs (2003)

Ravi Kanth Medithi, Chairman and Managing Director, National Handicapped Finance and Development Corporation, Government of India (2007)

Faizan Mustafa, Vice-Chancellor, NALSAR University of Law (2015)

Neerja, Executive Director, Haryana Institute of Public Administration (2004)

S.K. Pachauri, Director, Amity Institute of Good Governance (2012)

Philip Mannukuzhumpil Raju, Advocate, Supreme Court of India Immediate Past Member, Law Commission of India, Government of India (2007)

V.S. Giri Reddy, Media Coordinator, All-India Congress Committee (2008)

Poltak Siahhaan, Director General, Christian Services, Ulama (NU) (2003)

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Raja Sekhar Vundru, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (2003)

## **Indonesia**

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Irawan Abidin, Ambassador, Chairman, International Arts and Educational Festival

Noryamin Aini, Professor, State Islamic University of Syarif Hidayattullah (2007)

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Syamsul Arifin, Professor, University of Muhammadiyah Malang (2011)

Thomas Florentuis Edison, Directorate General, Christian Community Guidance, Department of Religious Affairs, Republic of Indonesia (2008)

Arief Furchan, Secretary, Directorate General of Islamic Institutions, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2001)

Saur Hasugian, Secretary Directorate General, Guidance of Christian Community, Department of Religious Affairs (2007)

Faisal Ismail, Secretary General, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2005)

Asep Saepuddin Jahar, Professor, Director of Research, Center for the Study of Islam and Society, State Islamic University of Syarif Hidayattullah Jakarta (2007)

Jason Lase, Director, Christian Affairs, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2003)

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Ridwan Lubis, Head of the Center for Religious Affairs, Department of Religious Affairs (2006)

Syafiq A. Mughni, Professor of Islamic Civilization at IAIN Sunan Ampel Surabaya;

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Siti Musdah Mulia, Expert Staff, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2001)

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Wisnu Pramono, Directorate General of Manpower Domestic Placement, Ministry of Manpower and Transmigration (2005)

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Parlindungan Purba, Member of the House of Representatives, Republic of Indonesia, Indonesian Parliament (2008)

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H. Marsudi Syuhud Sahudi, General Secretary of Nahdlatul Ulama, National Board of Nahdlatul (2011)

Hj. Chodidjah HM Saleh, Deputy Chairman, Commission on Religion

Taufikurrachman Saleh, Chairman Commission VI: Religion, Education and Culture, House of Representatives of Indonesia

Said Aqil Siroj, General Chairman of Nahdlatul Ulama, National Board of Nahdlatul Ulam (NU) (2011)

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Simon Petrus Suripatty, Directorate General of Christian Affairs, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2005)

## **Iran**

Amhad Irvani, Dean, Philosophy School, Mofid University (2000)

## **Iraq**

Abdullah Hermiz Jajo Al-nufali, President, Iraqi Christian and Non-Muslim Endowment (2009)

## **Ireland**

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## **Israel**

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## **Italy**

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Silvio Ferrari, Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Milan (2003, 2012, 2014, 2015)

P. Evaldo Xavier Gomes, PhD Fr, Carmelite Order (2008)

Anna Nardini, Director General, Presidency of the Council of Ministers (2013)

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## **Ivory Coast**

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## **Japan**

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Makoto Arai, Prof. Dr., Chairman, Religious Juridical Persons Council, Government of Japan; and Professor, Chuo University Faculty of Law (2014)

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Moriyasu Ito, Priest, Meiji Jingu Shrine (2005)

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Tasuku Matsuo, Attorney at Law, Matsuo and Kosugi (2012)

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Itsuo Sonobe, Former Justice, Supreme Court of Japan (2004)

Hajime Tajika, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, Okayama University (2009)

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## **Jordan**

Nashat Mohammad Abd AlRahman Akhras, Judge, Court of First Instance (2006)

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Yahya Al-Btoush, Grand Mufti, Jordanian Armed Forces (2015)

Abdallah Noufan Al Soud Al-Adwan, Secretary General of the Cabinet, Prime Ministry (2011)

Mohammad Sameh S.M. Al Dweik, Judge, Court of Appeals (2005)

Mohammad Suleiman Hamed Al Khawaldeh, Judge, Court of First Instance (2005)

Ra'ad Odai Subhi Al-Kilani, Attorney at Law, Kilani Law Firm (2011)

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Faisal Al-Rfou', Former Minister of Culture (2000)

Kamal Abdel Karim Ahmad Al Rimawi, Judge, Court of First Instance (2006)

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Hisham Awad Salem Al Tarawneh, Judge, Court of First Instance (2006)

Rana R. Arna'out, Magistrate Court Judge, Judicial Council, Madaba Court of First Instance (2013)

Ibrahim K. Dabbour, Greek Orthodox Patriariate, Faith and Dialogue Committee of the Middle East Council of Churches (2004, 2006, 2007)

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Jamal H.D. Haroon, Judge, Court of First Instance (2006)

Faisal Madallah Hijazin, Attorney at Law (2009)

Butros Michel Janho, Father, Greek Orthodox Church (2009)

Ahmed Yahy Ahmed Jaradeh, Judge, Court of First Instance (2006)

Hanna Kildani, Secretary General, Jordanian Christian Council of Churches (2012)

Fayiz Sa'id Ahmd Malahmeh, Judge, Court of First Instance (2005)

Abdul Karim M. Pharaon, Judge, Court of Cassation (2004, 2006)

Abdul Fatah Salah, Minister, Ministry of Awqaf and Islamic Affairs (2008)

Abdul Hamid Ahmad Al-Sa'ad Salameh, Judge, Court of Appeals (2006)

Maher Yousef Nemer Sayed, Ministry of the Judiciary (2005)

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### **Kazakhstan**

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Artur Igorevich Artemyev, Professor, Kazakhstan University of International Relations and World Languages (2007)

Vladimir A. Ivanov, Director, Religious Committee of Almaty City (2002)

Roman Podoprigora, Visiting Professor, University of Indiana Law School (1998)

Irina Tsepkova, Associate Professor of Politology, Kazakh Academy of Transport and Communications of M. Tynyshpaev, Kazakh National Medical University (2009)

### **Kenya**

Isaac Kiplimo, Reverend, Pentacostal Assemblies of God (1998)

David Sitienei, Pastor, Peace and Mercy Church of Africa (1998)

Joseph Towett, Programme Director, Kenya Rural Initiative Projects (1998)

### **Kiribati**

David Lambourne, Solicitor General, Office of the Attorney General (2008)

Teburoro Tito, Member of Parliament, former President of Kiribati (2003)

### **Kosovo**

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### **Kyrgyz Republic**

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Murataliev M. Manapbekovich, Leading Specialist, State Commission on Religious Affairs (2006)

Kanatbek S. Murzahalilov, Chief Expert, State Commission on Religious Affairs (2004)

Mukimzhan Murzakulov, Leading Specialist, State Commission on Religious Affairs (2006)

Sharsheke Usenovich Usenov, Advisor, State Commission on Religious Affairs (2004)

### **Lao People's Democratic Republic**

Singhavong Ammone, Director General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, MASS Organization Department (2003)

Phonethasine Bounthavy, Deputy Director, Buddhist Division, Department of Religious Affairs, the Lao Front for National Construction (2009)

Seneamatmontry Chanthavong, Cabinet Chief, Lao Front for National Construction (2006)

Vannabouth Khaophone, Deputy Director General, Department of Religious Affairs, Lao Front for National Construction (2006)

Khamyad Lathsadavong, Director of Religious Division, Lao Front for National Construction (2013)

Bounna Phathoummavong, Director General, Department of Home Affairs of Vientiane Capital (2013)

Langsy Phouangkeo, Director General, International Relations of Mass Organizations Department, Committee for External Relations of the Party Central Committee (2009)

Phougneun Phoumivong, Division Head, Ministry of Religious Affairs (2005)

Phothirath Quneheuane, President, Lao Front for National Construction (2012)

Ly Kousa Sayaxang, Permanent Acting President, Lao Front for National Construction of Vientiane Capital City (2014)

Bounpheng Saykanya, Director of Human Rights Division, Department of Treaties and Law, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2005)

Boutsady Siphilom, Deputy Director, Vientiane Capital Home Affairs (2014)

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Phanouvang Sosonephith, Director of Home Affairs, Department of Ethnic and Religious Affairs, Ministry of Home Affairs (2012)

Khampheuy Vannasopha, Director General, Lao Front for National Construction, Department of Religious Affairs (2003)

Houmphane Xayasith, Staff, Ethnic and Religious Affairs Department (2013)

### **Latvia**

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Olga Zeile, Director, Board of Religious Affairs (2005)

### **Lebanon**

Pere Abdo Abou Kassm, Father, Director, Centre Catholique d'Information (2005)

Hadi Rached, Attorney at Law, Abouhamad and Partners (2005)

Michel André Touma, Assistant Editor-in-Chief, L'Orient-Le Jour (2013)

### **Liberia**

Jallah Allen Barbu, Chairperson, Constitution and Justice Division, Law Reform Commission (2012)

David A.B. Jallah, Professor, Louis Arthur Grimes School of Law, University of Liberia (2003)

Mansfield Fulton W. Yancey, Jr., Former Associate Justice of the Supreme Court (2000)

### **Lithuania**

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Ruta Ziliukaite, Chief Official, Section of Registers, Ministry of Justice (2001)

### **Macedonia**

Zorica Angelovska-Kovacevik, Section Head, Commission for Relations with Religious Communities and Groups (2001, 2013)

Giorgi Naumov, President, Commission for Relations with Religious Communities and Groups (2001)

### **Madagascar**

James Richard Randriamandrato, Cabinet Director, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Herinony Chandoutis Raoera, Professor, University of Madagascar (2002)

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### **Malawi**

Pat Banda, Reverend, Religious Affairs Coordinator, Office of the President and Cabinet (2002)

### **Malaysia**

Zaki Azmi, Chief Justice (Retired) of Malaysia (2011)

Andrew Chin Hock Khoo, Co-Chair, Human Rights Council, Bar Council of Malaysia (2013)

Tun Hamid bin Omar, former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Malaysia

Thomas Philips, Reverend, Malaysian Consultative Council of Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Sikhism and Taoism (2011)

Henry Sandanam, Reverend, Association of Social Services and Community Development of Gombak District (2014)

Hermen Shastri, General Secretary, Council of Inter-Religious Harmony (2013)

### **Marshall Islands**

Carl Ingram, Chief Justice, High Court (2006)



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## **Mauritius**

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## **Mexico**

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Luis Escobar Aubert, General Director of Religious Affairs

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Juan Jacobo Perez Cornelio, Attorney, Advisor on Evangelical Affairs for President-Elect Vicente Fox (2000)

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Alvaro Castro Estrada, Doctor, Director General, Division of Religious Associations (2001, 2003)

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Eduardo Macias-Santos, Director of Religious Affairs, State of Nuevo Leon (2004)

Abraham Madero Marquez, Director of Ministers of Religion, General Direction of Religious Associations (2011)

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Norma Patricia Maldonado, Lic. en Derecho y Ciencias Sociales, Legal Department of the Direction of Religious Associations (2006)

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Maria Concepcion Medina-Gonzalez, Advisor to the Undersecretary of Religious Affairs (2007)

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José Murat, Governor of the State of Oaxaca, State Government of Oaxaca (2003)

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Genaro Jaimez Olivares, Attorney, Special Advisor to the Subsecretary of Religious Affairs (1999, 2000)

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Salvador Ordaz, Attorney, President of the Mexican Liberal Front and Senator of the Republic of Mexico (2000)

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Javier Fernández Perroni, Director General, Division of Religious Associations (2002)

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Constantino Méndez Ponce, Coordinator of Religious Affairs, State of San Luis Potosí (2007)

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Omeheria López Reyna, Presidenta de la Comisión de Derechos Humanos de la Cámara de Diputados (2007)

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Jonathan Rose, Mexican Interreligious Council, Mexico (1999)

Francisca Saavedra, Reporter, *Televiso* (2000)

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## **Micronesia**

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## **Moldova**

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## **Mongolia**

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Dariiimaa Baljinnyam, Director, Foreign Employment Division (2002)

Avirmed Batsaikhan, Lawyer, General Intelligence Agency of Mongolia (2005)

Amarjargal Bat-Ochir, Officer, Coordinating Council for Crime Prevention of Ulaanbaatar, Khural City Government (2013)

Tsedev Buyanbadrakh, Director, Office of Immigration, Naturalization and Foreign Citizens (2002)

Bukhchuluun Enkhbold, Secretary, City Council of Ulaanbaatar (2013)

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Jamsran Enhkhasan, Director, Administrative Department, National Legal Center (2004)  
Bayasgalan Gungaa, Secretary of State for the Minister of Justice and Home Affairs (2000)  
Choinorov Sunrevtsoodol Khukhdandar, Director, Ministry of Labor (2014)  
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Darijav Naranbaatar, Deputy Director, Immigration of Mongolia (2014)  
Jargalsaikhan Ohirkhuu, Officer to the Social Policy, Office of the President of Mongolia (2007)  
Enkhjargal Oyunbadam, Member, Religious Issues Council, Office of the President of Mongolia (2010)  
Sukhbaatar Shirchin, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Justice and Home Affairs of Mongolia (2006)  
Samdan Tsedendamba, Secretary, Council on Religious Affairs, Office of the President of Mongolia (2004)  
Bilget Tudev, Chairman, Ulaanbaatar City Khural of Representatives (2003)  
Dorjdamba Zumberellkham, Director, Civil Services Commission (2009)

### **Morocco**

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### **Mozambique**

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### **Namibia**

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### **Nepal**

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Sujata Koirala, Cabinet Minister, Nepali Congress (2008)  
Amber Prasad Pant, Professor, Dean, Faculty of Law, Tribhuvan University (2010)  
Prakash Man Singh, Constituent Assembly/Parliament Member, Nepali Congress Party/Constituent Party (2009)  
Kanak Bikram Thapa, Former Dean, Faculty of Law, Tribhuvan University (2009)

### **Netherlands**

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### **New Zealand**

Rex Ahdar, Professor, University of Otago School of Law (2005)  
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Catherine Jones, Chair, New Zealand Catholic Bishops Committee for Interfaith Relations (2015)  
R. Grant Hammond, Justice, Court of Appeals of New Zealand (2005)  
Pamela Jeffries, Chief Commissioner of Human Rights (1999)  
Paul M. Morris, Professor, Victoria University of Wellington (2007)  
Rajen Prasad, Dr., Race Relations Conciliator, Office of the Race Relations Conciliator (1998)  
Anthony Penrose Randerson, Justice, Court of Appeals of New Zealand (2011)  
Paul T. Rishworth, Professor, University of Auckland School of Law (2004)

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J. Bruce Robertson, Justice, President, New Zealand Law Commission; Senior Puisne Judge of the High Court of New Zealand (2003)

Thomas Sutcliffe, Barrister, Thackeray Chambers (2008)

### **Nicaragua**

Brenda Ninoska Martínez Aragón, Attorney at Law, Taboada & Asociados (2012)

Mario Valle Dávila, Member of Congress (2010)

Dora Maria Meza de Valle, Rector, University of Managua (2011)

### **Nigeria**

Abdur-Rahman Ahmad, Sheik, Ansar-ud-Deen Society of Africa (2015)

Adesumbo Bola Ajibola, Professor, Crescent University, Abeokuta and Islamic Mission for Africa (2010)

Akinmade Ajibola, Attorney at Law (2010)

Oluremi Olabimpe Akinsoji, Assistant Director, Federal Ministry of Interior (2008)

Oladunjoye O. Alabi, Federal Ministry of Internal Affairs

S.M.A. Belgore, Justice, Supreme Court of Nigeria (2004)

Murtala Aderemi Bidmos, Professor, University of Lagos (2015)

Femi Falana, Hallmarks of Labour Foundation (HLR) (2014)

Alhassan M. Fawu, Director, Federal Ministry of Internal Affairs

Matthew Hassan Kukah, Reverend Father, Vicar General, Kaduna Catholic Archdiocese (2010)

Akinola Ibidapo-Obe, Professor and Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Lagos (2014)

Helen Moronkeji Ogunwumiju, Justice, Nigeria Court of Appeals (2015)

Matthews A. Ojo, Professor, Department of Religious Studies, Obafemi Awolowo University (2004)

Is-haq Oloyede, Coordinator/Executive Secretary, Nigeria Inter-Religious Council, Vice-Chancellor, Nigeria Inter-Religious Council, University of Ilorin (2011)

Lamido Sanusi, Head, Risk Management Sector, United Bank for Africa (2004)

Rose C. Uzoma, Assistant Comptroller General, Nigeria Immigration Service (2003)

### **Norway**

Tøre Lindholm, Associate Professor, Norwegian Centre for Human Rights, University of Oslo (1999, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,2015)

Carsten Smith, Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Norway

Lucie Smith, Professor, University of Oslo

Gunnar Stalsett, Moderator, European Council of Religious Leaders; International President, World Council of Religions for Peace (2015)

### **Pakistan**

Shaheen Sardar Ali, Professor, Minister of Health, Population, Welfare and Women's Development, Northwest Frontier Province (2001)

Zahoor Ahmed Buledi, Provincial Assembly Member, Balochistan (2010)

Athar Hassan Gorchani, Provincial Assembly Member, Punjab (2010)

Farooq Hassan, Dr., Barrister at law (2001)

Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan (2005)

M. Farrukh Irfan Khan, Attorney at Law (2002)

Muhammad Taimur Khan, Provincial Assembly Member, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (2010)

Taffazul H. Rizvi, Advocate, Supreme Court of Pakistan (2008)

Heer Soho, Provincial Assembly Member, Sindh (2010)

### **Panama**

Jacob Garzón, Attorney, Administrative Director of Immigration and Naturalization (2000)

Julia Martinez Moreno, Directora de Asuntos Civiles y Gubernamentales de la Nación (2003)

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Marylin Vallarino, Member of Congress, National Congress of Panama (2012)

### **Papua New Guinea**

Delilah Gore, Minister for Religion, Youth & Community Development, National Parliament

### **Paraguay**

Rubén Candia Amarilla, Doctor, Attorney General, Ministerio Público (2006)

Martin Burt, Executive Director, Fundacion Paraguaya (2013)

Herminio Lobos Centurión, Viceministro de Culto, Ministerio de Educación y Cultura de Paraguay (2014)

Osvaldo Gonzalez Ferreira, Vice Minister, Ministry of Religion

Darío Filártiga, Minister and Political Advisor to the President, Government of Paraguay (2015)

Hugo Brites Ibarra, Political Analyst, Vice Ministerio de Culto (2009)

Guillermo Mendoza, Legal Advisor, Ministry of Defense (2015)

Mario Morel Pintos, Congressman, Honorable Chamber of Congress (2003)

Edgar Eligio Villalba Riquelme, Defensor del Pueblo Adjunto, Defensoria del Pueblo, Asuncion (2006)

Victor Hugo Vera Sánchez, Secretary General, Vice Ministerio de Culto (2014)

### **Peru**

Walter Albán, Abogado, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (2006)

Natale Amprimo, Dr., Member of Parliament (2001)

Luis Delgado Aparicio, Congresista de la Republica (Prior to 1998 Symposium)

Jorge Luis Salas Arenas, Supreme Judge, Supreme Court of Justice (2012)

Juan Bautista Bardelli, Magistrate, Tribunal Constitucional of Peru (2006)

Heriberto Benitez, Congressman, President, Human Rights Commission of Congress (2002)

Jorge del Castillo, Congressman, Congress of the Republic of Peru (2005)

Luis Chang Ching, Commission against the Abuse of Authority, Congress of the Republic of Peru (2000)

Elvira Martinez Coco, Jefe del Gabinete de Asesores, Ministerio de Justicia (1998)

Alfredo Quispe Correa, Dr., Minister of Justice (1997)

Daniel Estrada, Member of Parliament

Antero Flores-Araoz, Congressman, Congress of the Republic of Peru (2005)

Guillermo García-Montúfar, Professor of Law, Universidades de Lima, San Martín y Universidad Peruana de Ciencias Aplicadas (1998, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2014)

Julio Rosas Huaranga, Congresista, Congreso de la Republica del Peru, Congreso del Perú (2014)

Jorge Manini, Dr., Attorney at law (2000)

José Marquez, Attorney at Law (2000)

Rafael García Melgar, Director General, Department of Immigration and Naturalization, Ministry of the Interior (2002)

Guillermo Mendoza, Legal Advisor, Ministry of Defense (2015)

Martha Chavez Cossio de Ocampo, Member of Parliament (Prior to 1998 Symposium)

Maria Esperanza Adrianzen Olivos, Director of Interfaith Affairs, Ministry of Justice and Human Rights (2013)

Cesar Jose Bernabe Perez, National Director, Ministry of Justice (2008)

Carlos León Revoredo, Dr., Director de Immagraciones, Dirección de Migraciones (1998)

José Calvi del Risco, Institute of Religious Law (2005)

Luz Salgado Rubianes, Member of Congress (1997)

Manuel Sánchez-Palacios, Justice, Supreme Court, President Civil Chamber (2006)

Gonzalo Flores Santana, Latin American Consortium for Religious Liberty (2007)

Victor Hugo Huaman del Solar, Director General de Migraciones (1999)

Alfredo Solf, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Justice (2003)

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Moisés Arata Solís, Professor, University of Lima, San Martín de Porres and San Ignacio de Loyola (2011, 2012, 2013)

Elias Szczytnicki, Secretary General and Regional Director, Religions for Peace in Latin America and the Caribbean (2013)

Victor Oscar Garcia Toma, Justice, Constitutional Court of Peru (2005)

Juan Carlos Valderrama, President, Institute of Ecclesiastical Law (2002, 2006, 2012)

Juan Antonio Valle, Director of Interfaith Matters, Ministry of Justice (2004)

Carol Villanueva Anticona, Attorney, Estudio de la Flor, García Montufar, Arata & Asociados (2015)

Frezia Sissi Villavicencio Rios, Directora General de Justicia y Culto del Ministerio de Justicia del Perú, Ministerio de Justicia (2014)

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Roy M. Almoró, Executive Director, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Justice (2001, 2002)

F. Richard Babao, Assistant Minister, Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Manila (2015)

Taha M. Basman, Commissioner, UNESCO National Commission of the Philippines (2007)

Amina Zalmia Rasul Bernardo, Director, Philippine Council on Islam and Democracy (2010)

Ariel Bonaventura Castro, Head Executive Assistant, Office of the Secretary of Justice (2002)

Ric Castro, Partner, Quisumbing Torres/Baker and McKenzie International (2012)

Bienvenido K. Chy, Attorney, Deputy Chief, Legal and Investigation Division, Bureau of Immigration (2000)

Mercedes V. Contreras-Danenber, Member, Philippine Working Group, Initiative toward the Establishment of an Asian Human Rights Mechanism (2003)

Daniel Cueto, Associate Commissioner, Bureau of Immigration (2002)

Hilario Davide, Jr., Former Permanent Representative of the Philippines to the UN, Chief Justice (Ret.), Supreme Court of the Philippines (2015)

Ronaldo Deray, Acting Chief, Legal Division, Secretary, Board of Commissioners, Bureau of Immigration (2000)

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Maria Elisa Sempio Diy, Judge, Regional Trial Court, QC Branch 225 (2008)

Jeremy Gatdula, Attorney, David and Gatdula Law Offices (2012)

Florin T. Hilbay, Assistant Professor of Law, University of the Philippines College of Law (2008)

Jo Aurea Imbong, University Counsel and Lecturer, University of Asia and the Pacific; Faculty Member, Ateneo de Manila University (2011)

Malou Mangahas, Executive Director, Philippine Center for Investigative Journalism (2014)

Quivido T. Oregines, Professor, Xavier University (2013)

Raul Pangalangan, Dean, University of the Philippines (2005)

Santanina Rasul, Former Senator (2010)

Maria Cecilia de los Reyes, Training Director, Philippine Center for Investigative Journalism (2014)

Herminio Harry L. Roque, Jr., Professor, College of Law, University of the Philippines (2011)

Maricel U. Salcedo, Confidential Agent, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Justice (2001)

Zaniah V. Siton, Executive Assistant to the Executive Director, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Justice (2001)

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Lech Garlicki, Justice, Constitutional Tribunal of the Republic of Poland (2000)

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Kishan Manocha, Senior Advisor on Freedom of Religion and Belief, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (2015)

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### **Portugal**

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Vera Jardim, Doctor, Ministerio da Justica (1997)  
José M. Júdice, Attorney at Law, PLMJ International Legal Network (2011)  
Vas das Neves, Doctor, General Secretary (1997)

### **Republic of Benin**

Michel Alokpo, Head, Mission of the Minister of the Interior and Public Security (2011)

### **Romania**

Gheorghe Anghelescu, Doctor, Secretary of State for Cults (1997)  
Ioana Bondarencu, Counselor to the State Secretary for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Culture and Cults (2003)  
Adrian Bourceanu, Counselor, Department of Patrimony, Religions and Foundations (2000)  
Nicolae J. Brânzea, Secretary of State for Religious Affairs (2000)  
Ionut Corduneanu, Assistant to the State Secretary for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Culture and Religious Affairs (2005)  
Alexandru G. Gherasim, Director, Ministry of Culture and Cults (2004)  
Stefan Ioniță, Director of the Department of Patrimony, Religions and Foundations Relations (2000)  
Adrian Lemeni, State Secretary for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Culture and Religious Affairs (2005)  
Dan Martian, Honor, Chair, Committee on Human Rights, Religion and National Minorities, Chamber of Deputies (1998)  
Gheoghe Pruteanu, Senator, Senate of the Republic of Romania (1998)  
Domnul Valeriu Stocia, Minister of Justice (Prior to 1998 Symposium)  
Laurențiu Tanase, State Secretary for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Culture and Cults (2001, 2003)  
Liviu Vanau, Senior Editor/Journalist, Pro Europe League

### **Russia**

Denis V. Alexeev, Consultant, Religion Committee of the State Duma of the Russian Federation (2003)  
Anna Sygatorlavovna Andriyasova, Main Headquarters of the Ministry of Justice of the Russian Federation in the Khabarovski Region (2000)  
Farid Asadulin, Scientific Department of the Management Center of Muslims (1999)  
Valeri Vasilevich Borshchov, Deputy Chairman, Committee on Religious Affairs, State Duma  
Vitaly Stefanovich Brezhnev, Head Specialist of the Committee of National Relations with Voluntary Associations and Religious Organizations, Rostov Oblast (2000)  
Vsevoid Chaplin, Father, Moscow Patriarchate (1997)  
Anatoli Dimitrenko, Professor and Religious Affairs Advisor, Department of National Affairs and Reciprocal Relations with Religious Associations (1999)  
Marina Drel, Attorney, Baker & McKenzie (1997)  
Arkady Dubnov, Analyst, Russian Council for Foreign and Defense Policy, Moscow Carnegie Center (2015)  
Ekaterina Elbakyan, Professor of Sociology and Management of Social Processes, Moscow Academy of Labor and Social Relations (2012)  
Galina Fakina, Deputy, Ministry of Justice (2003)  
Boris Z. Falikov, Professor, Centre of the Comparative Religions, Russian State University of Humanities (2003)  
Vladimir Filipovich Fedorov, Rev. Dr., Russian Christian Academy for Humanity (2008)

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Ravil Ismagilovich Gainutdin, Head of the Russian Council of Mufti (2005)  
Vyacheslav Gavrilov, Chair, International Law Department, Far Eastern State University School of Law (1999)  
Oleg Yurevich Goncharov, Member, Council for Cooperation with Religious Organizations under the President of the Russian Federation (2014)  
Pavel Ivanovich Goryayev, Chairman of the Committee of National Relations with Voluntary Associations and Religious Organizations, Rostov Oblast  
Lyudmila Kazuka, Vice Minister of Education and Science, Buryat Republic (2002)  
Zinoviy L. Kogan, Rabbi, Congress of Jewish Religious Organizations and Associations Vladimir (2004)  
Victor Ivanovich Koroley, Deputy Chief, Department of Affairs of Public and Religious Associations, Ministry of Justice of the Russian Federation (2001)  
Veronika V. Kravchouk, Deputy, Religion Department, Russian Academy of State Service (2003)  
Yakov Krotov, Priest, Orthodox Church (2013)  
Alexander Ilyich Kudriavtsev, Head of the Unit of Registration of Religious Organizations, Ministry of Justice (1997)  
Boris Mikhailovich Lukichov, Advisor of the Public Affairs Division, Central Internal Affairs Division of the President of the Russian Federation (2000)  
Roman Lunkin, Public Policy Scholar, Woodrow Wilson Center; Senior Researcher, Institute of Europe of Russian Academy of Sciences; President, Guild of Experts on Religion and Law (2009, 2011)  
Alexey Malashenko, Scholar in Residence, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (2010)  
Nikolai Velerevich Merkulov, Moscow City of Religious Affairs (Prior to 1998 Symposium)  
Rinat A. Nabiev, Chairman for Religious Affairs, Cabinet of Ministers of the Tatarstan Republic (2000)  
Elena Nechiporov, Attorney at Law (1999, 2000)  
Vladimir Nechiporov, Attorney at Law (1999)  
Victor A. Nikolnikov, Department of Social-political and Religious Party Affairs, Khabarovski Territory (1999)  
Mikhail I. Odintsov, Chief, Office of the Commissioner on Human Rights, Administration of the President of the Russian Federation (2001)  
Anatoly Pchelintsev, Director, Institute of Religion and Law (2003)  
Tatyana Petrova, Advisor for Religions and Ethnoculture, Department of Culture (2010)  
Natalya Alexandrovna Pronina, Deputy Head, Ministry of Justice of the Russian Federation (2008)  
Andrei Oskarovich Protopopov, Head of the Department of Religious Organizations in the Administration of the President of the Russian Federation (2005)  
Verkhovna Rada, (Parliament) of Ukraine Gennadiy Druzenko, Fulbright-Kennan Institute Research Scholar (2000)  
Elena Gennadyevna Romanova, Consultant for Religious and Ethno Culture, Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation (2008)  
Mikhail Y. Rybiyanov, Editor, *Izvestia Daily* (2004)  
Vladimir Ryakhovsky, Director, Christian Legal Center (2003)  
Yurij Tikhonovich Sadchenkov, Director for Religious Affairs  
Kharis Akhmetovich Salubyanov, Head of the Administration of the Russian Council of Mufti (2005)  
William Schmidt, Doctor of Philosophy, Dean of Faculty of Religious Studies, Ethnocultural Studies and Regional Studies, John the Apostle Orthodox Institute, Russian Orthodox University (2012)  
Andrey Evgenyevich Sebentsov, Honorary, Deputy Chairman, Russian Federation (1998)  
Mariana Shakhnovich, Professor, State Saint-Petersburg University (2011)  
Lev Simkin, Attorney at Law, Latham & Watkins (1997, 1998, 2000, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2010, 2015)  
Alexey Vladimirovich Sitnikov, Member of the Church External Affairs Department, Moscow Patriarchy (2005)  
Yury Y. Syomin, Deputy Chief, Ministry of Justice (2002)  
Vladimir Ivanovich Tomarovsky, Honorary, Head of the Department on Public and Religious Associations, Ministry of Justice of the Russian Federation (1998)  
Olga Y. Vasileva, Professor, Director, Religion Department, Russian Academy of State Service (2003)



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Alexander Verkhovsky, Director, SOVA Center for Information and Analysis (2005)  
Dimitri Anatolyvich Vladimirov, Head of the Department of Non-Commercial Organizations, Branch of the Ministry of Justice of Russia in the Primorsky Region (2000)  
Nina Vitalievna Volodina, Professor, Institute of Internal Affairs, Ministry of Interior (2006)  
Zinaida Zaika, Director of the Department of National Affairs and Reciprocal Relations with Religious Associations (1999)  
Aleksander Gavrilovich Zaluzhniy, Co-Chairman, Council on Independent Expert Analyses, Institute for Ethnology and Anthropology of the Russian Federation (2006)  
Victor I. Zorkaltsev, Chairman, Committee for Public Associations and Religious Organizations, Duma  
Yuri Zuev, Expert with the Department of Cooperation with Religious Organizations (2005)

### **Samoa**

Brenda Heather, Attorney General for Samoa (1997)  
Vui Clarence Nelson, Senior Judge, Samoa District Court (2002)  
Misa Telefoni Retzlaff, Deputy Prime Minister (2003)  
Ming Leung Wai, Attorney General, Government of Samoa (2015)  
Leilani Tuala-Warren, Executive Director, Samoa Law Reform Commission (2012)

### **Senegal**

Fatou Kiné Camara, Faculté des Sciences Juridiques et Politiques, Université Cheikh Anta Diop de Dakar (2009)  
Ibra Deguene Ka, Former Ambassador for Senegal to the United Nations (2001)  
Ahmadou Tall, Magistrate, Ministry of Justice (2010)  
Ibader Thiam, First Vice-President, National Assembly of Senegal (2007)

### **Serbia/Montenegro**

Sima Avramovic, Professor, University of Belgrade (2002)  
Dragana Boljevic, Second Instance Judge, District Court of Belgrade (2005)  
Leposava Karamarkovic, Professor, Belgrade Law School, Union University (2006)  
Majda Krsikapa, Advisor, Supreme Court of Serbia (2006)  
Sheikh Abdullah Nu'man, Deputy Head, Islamic Community of Serbia (2008)  
Dusan Rakitić, Leading Legal Advisor and Chief of Staff, Ministry of Religion (2002)

### **Sierra Leone**

Mariatu Bangura, Senior Executive, Ministry of Social Welfare, Gender and Children's Affairs (2011)

### **Singapore, Republic of**

Mohd Hasbi Abu Bakar, President, Jamiyah Singapore (2014)  
Rustom Minocher Ghadiali, President, The Parsi Zoroastrian Association of Singapore (2008 )  
V.R. Nathan, Chairman, Hindu Endowment Board (2005)  
Lilian Sing Lian Ong, Community Relations Executive, Ministry of Community Development and Sports (2002)  
James Y.K. Wong, Director of Anglican Schools, Diocese of Singapore (2004)

### **Slovak Republic**

Radovan Čikeš, Ministry of Cultural Affairs (2007)  
Martin Dojčár, Magister, Institute for Church-State Relations, Ministry of Culture (2000)  
Lucia Grešková, Deputy Director, Ministry of Culture (2014)  
Silvia Jozefčíaková, Institute for State-Church Relations (2003)  
Ján Juran, Doctor, Director, Department of Church Affairs, Ministry of Culture

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Michaela Moravčíková, Institute for State-Church Relations (2005)  
Peter Mulik, Doctor, Director of the Department of Church Affairs  
Karol Porubcin, Manager, Department of Church Affairs (2008)  
Marek Šmid, International Law Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic (2005)  
Mária Šmidová, Professor, Faculty of Health and Social Work, University of Trnava (2005)

### **Slovenia**

Drago Čepar, Director, Governmental Office for Religious Communities (2002)  
Nina Drmovsek, Church-State Attorney in Slovenia and former Yugoslavia (1997)  
Lovro Štrum, Professor, University of Ljubljana Law School (2003)

### **South Africa**

Eberhard Bertelsmann, Judge, North Gauteng High Court (2013)  
Pieter Coertzen, Professor, University of Stellenbosch (2007)  
Lourens M. Du Plessis, Faculty of Law, University of Stellenbosch (2000)  
Cornelius Willem Du Toit, Professor, Head of the Research Institute for Theology and Religion, University of South Africa (2005)  
Shaun Alberto de Freitas, Associate Professor and Departmental Chairperson, Department of Constitutional Law and Philosophy of Law, University of the Free State (2012)  
René Ferguson, Principal Tutor, University of the Witwatersrand (2013)  
Trevor Keyes, Attorney at Law (2010)  
Pius Nkondo Langa, Chief Justice, South Africa Constitutional Court (2009)  
Erasmus (Rassie) Malherbe, Professor of Public Law, Faculty of Law, and Former Head of the Department of Public Law, University of Johannesburg (2010)  
Mogoeng Mogoeng, Chief Justice, Constitutional Court of South Africa (2015)  
Albert Louis Sachs, Justice, Constitutional Court of South Africa (2000)  
Nico Patrick Swartz, Doctor, University of Orange Free State Faculty of Law (2010)  
Helena Van Coller, Senior Lecturer, Rhodes University (2008)  
Victor van Vuuren, Director, International Labour Organisation of the UN (ILO) for Eastern and Southern Africa (2011)  
Zakeria Mohammed Yacoob, Justice, Constitutional Court of South Africa (2011)

### **South Korea**

Hak-Yong Ko, Editorial Writer, *Chosun Ilbo* (2000)  
Chae-Young Kim, Professor of Religious Studies, Sogang University (2015)  
Jinwol Lee, Professor, Dongguk University (2012)  
Byung-Sun Oh, Professor Emeritus, Sogang University Law School (2014)  
Hee Jeong Rho, Instructor, Academy of Korean Studies (2004)  
Yong-Suk Shin, President, Korea Human Rights Foundation (2000)  
Young Jae Suh, Senior Partner, Lee International IP and Law Group (2006)

### **Spain**

Miguel Rodriguez Blanco, Professor, University of Alcalá (2003)  
José María Contreras, Director, "Pluralismo y Convivencia" Foundation (2006)  
Agustin Motilla de la Calle, Professor, Carlos III University (2003)  
Rosa Maria Martinez de Codes, Ministry of Justice (Prior to 1998 Symposium)  
Alberto de la Hera Perez de la Cuesta, Professor, Director General for Religious Affairs for the Ministry of Justice  
Juan Ramon Ferreiro Galguera, Subdirector General de Asuntos Religiosos del Ministerio de Justicia (2006)

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Ricardo García García, Deputy Director General for Religious Affairs, Ministry of Justice of the Government of Spain (2014)

David García-Pardo, Professor, University of Castilla-La Mancha (2003)

Rafael Palomino Lozano, Professor, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (2010)

Javier Martínez-Torrón, Professor, Catedrático de Universidad, Universidad Complutense (2000, 2005, 2006, 2012)

Gloria M. Moran, Professor of Law, Universidad de la Coruña

Eugenia Relaño, Professor, Complutense University (2004)

Jaime Rossell, Professor, Law Faculty, Extremadura University

José Ferrer Sánchez, Professor, Peace and Conflicts Institute, Granada University (2011, 2012, 2013)

Jose Maria Sanchez, Attorney at Law (2004)

Marcos González Sánchez, Professor of Ecclesiastical Law, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (2013)

Elisa María Nuñez Sanchez, Professor, Universidad de Alicante, Assistant Managing Director, Ministry of Immigration of Comunidad Valenciana (2009)

Joaquín Mantecon Sancho, Deputy General Director, Department of Religious Affairs (2004)

Joseph María Felip i Sardá, Professor, Universidad de Alicante, Director General, Ministry of Immigration of Comunidad Valenciana (2009)

Jose Antonio Souto, Director, Department of Church and State Law, Complutense University in Madrid; Member, Religious Affairs Commission of the Ministry of Justice of Spain (1999)

### **Sri Lanka**

Sudath Karunanayake, Attorney at Law (2002)

### **Sweden**

Hans Danelius, former Justice of the Supreme Court of Sweden (2003)

Lars Friedner, General Secretary, Church of Sweden (2009)

Carl Axel Petri, Former Chairman of the Swedish Church-State Commission (Responsible for Planning the Process of Disestablishing the State Church in Sweden), and President, Göta Court of Appeal, Sweden (1999)

### **Switzerland**

Diane Ala'i, Representative to the United Nations, Baha'i International Community (2007)

Rüdiger Noll, Conference of European Churches and Member, Panel of Experts on Freedom of Religion, Established by the Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (1999)

John Taylor, Doctor, International Association for Religious Freedom (2009)

Andreas Thier, Professor, University of Zurich School of Law (2005)

### **Syria**

Nabil Fayyad, Syrian Delegation for Constitutional Reform (2015)

### **Tanzania**

Richard Kasungu, Commissioner, Presidential Parastatal Sector Reform Commission (2006)

### **Thailand**

Voravat Amornvivat, Police Colonel, Superintendent of the Bangkok Immigration (2009)

Chut Chonlavorn, Justice, Supreme Court (2003)

### **Tonga**

'Aisea Havea Taumoepeau, Former Attorney General and Minister of Law, Ministry of Justice (2004)

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'Alisi Taumoepeau, Solicitor General, Ministry of Justice (2004)

### **Trinidad and Tobago**

Noble Khan, Senator, Secretary, Inter-religious Organization of Trinidad and Tobago (2005)

Veronica Ann King, Assistant Chief Immigration Officer, Immigration Office (2005)

### **Turkey**

Muhammed Şevki Aydın, Professor, Vice President, Presidency of Religious Affairs (2006)

Ali Arslan, Professor of History, Istanbul University (2015)

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Hüseyin Levent Köker, Professor, Gazi University (2008)

Talip Küçükcan, Professor, Center for Islamic Studies (2002, 2006)

Niyazi Öktem, Professor, Bilgi University (2001)

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### **Uganda**

Albert B. Byaruhanga, Father, Presidential Assistant for Special Duties (2000)

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Joyce Mpanga, Chairperson, Non-Governmental Organizations Board (2002)

James S. Mukasa, Advocate, Sebalu & Lule Advocates and Legal Consultants (2004)

Rosemary Nabifo Wamimbi, Assistant Commissioner of Immigration, Government of Uganda (2010)

### **Ukraine**

Taras Antoshevskyy, Director, Religious Information Service of Ukraine (2012)

Yurii Bohutskyy, First Vice-Minister, Ukrainian Ministry of Culture Yevhen Dobriak, Member of Parliament (2011)

Victor Dmitrievich Bondarenko, Dr., Chief of the Department of Religious Affairs, Department of Religious Affairs (1997, 1998)

Alexander Petrovich Boryak, Department of Humanitarian Policy (1998)

Gennadiy Druzenko, Legal Counselor, Parliament's Committee of European Integration (2005, 2009, 2011)

Liudmyla Fylypovych, Professor, Lecturer on Law and Religion, Kiev, Ukraine, Center for Religious Information and Freedom, Institute of Philosophy, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine (1999, 2007, 2014)

Valerii Klymov, Head Specialist, Religious Studies Department, Institute of Philosophy, Ukraine Academy of Science (2009)

Anatoly Kolodny, Professor, Religious Studies Department, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, Ukrainian Association of Religious Researchers (1997, 2003, 2007)

Anatoly Koval, Director of Religious Affairs, Ukraine

Oleksiy Kurochkin, Assistant to Deputy of the Verkhovna Rada (2000)

Volodymyr Maliborsky, Chairman, Republic Committee of Autonomous Republic of Crimea for Religious Affairs (2007)

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Anatoliy Shevchenko, Rector, Donetsk State Institute of Artificial Intelligence (2003)  
Leonid Tanyuk, Chairman, Parliamentary Commission on Culture and Religion, Ukraine (1999)  
Andry Tkachuk, Director, Department of Religious Affairs, Kyiv City State Administration (2003)  
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