## Advancing the protection of Indigenous Rights Defenders



We invite you to join a global conversation that aims at examining measures that must be taken to prevent human rights violations against indigenous peoples and what needs to be in place to increase protection of indigenous rights defenders within the framework of the Human Rights Council.

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Facilitator: Julie Koch, Executive Director of IWGIA
Welcome remarks by Ambassador Morten Jespersen, Permanent
Representative of Denmark to the UN

## **SPEAKERS**

Mr Adelfo Regino, Director National Institute for Indigenous Peoples (Instituto Nacional de Pueblos Indígenas)

Ms Victoria Tauli Corpuz, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

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