

*All delegations attending the 18<sup>th</sup> session of the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues are cordially invited to an Interactive Dialogue with the UN Special Rapporteur on Human Rights and Toxics on the human rights impacts of exposure to hazardous and toxic substances on Indigenous Peoples around the world*

*Friday April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019*

*3:00 - 4:30 PM, Conference Room 6  
UN Headquarters, New York*



- ❖ Opening by Dr. Mariam Wallet Med Aboubakrine, member of the UNPFII
- ❖ Andrea Carmen, Executive Director, International Indian Treaty Council
- ❖ Saul Vicente Vazquez, Director of International Affairs, National Institute of Indigenous Peoples, Government of Mexico
- ❖ Baskut Tuncak, UN Special Rapporteur on the Implications for Human Rights of the Environmentally Sound Management and Disposal of Hazardous Substances & Wastes
- ❖ Open discussion and exchange with the UN Special Rapporteur

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Commissioner for Human Rights  
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*“Today, Indigenous Peoples continue to be on the wrong side of a toxic divide.”  
--- UN Special Rapporteur Baskut Tuncak,  
statement to the UNPFII 17<sup>th</sup> session, April 16, 2018*