

UNCAC Coalition Coordination Committee Elections

Candidate Nomination and Self-Nomination Form 2024

**** Nominations must be received by
Wednesday, 22 May 2024, end of the day ****

Please send applications and any questions regarding the elections or the role and responsibilities of CCC members to the Coalition’s Vienna Hub:
info@uncaccoalition.org

The list of members is available at <https://uncaccoalition.org/about-us/members-list/>.
 The current list of CCC members is available at: <https://uncaccoalition.org/about-us/coordination-committee/>

Part I: To be completed by those self-nominating and those nominating another member

Nominated organization’s name¹: Naomi Roht-Arriaza
Name of nominated organization’s representative:
Nominated organization’s e-mail: rohtarri@uclawsf.edu
Nominated organization’s website: https://www.uclawsf.edu/people/naomi-roht-arriaza/
Nominated organization’s country: United States
Name and organization of individual nominating (if this is not a self-nomination):
Which seat are you nominating for? Individual member seat <hr/> The seats up for election are: (a) Americas Regional Seat; (b) Europe Regional Seat 1; (c) South Asia Regional Seat; (d) Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Seat 1; (e) International Member Organization Seat 1; (f) Individual member Seat

¹ In case of a nomination for individual member seat: name of the person and his/her email, as well as a website, if available.

Part II: To be completed by those self-nominating; if this is not a self-nomination, the UNCAC Coalition will follow up with the nominee to obtain the below information

Organization profile (200 words – leave empty for individual member seat)

Please provide a **200-word profile of the nominated organization, including link to its website**, for circulation to Ordinary Members:

Organization experience (200 words – leave empty for individual member seat)

Please provide an **overview of the nominated organization’s experience in the UNCAC Coalition and its UNCAC-related activities**, for circulation to Ordinary Members:

Please list your **top 3 priorities** for the Coalition what you would like to achieve as a CCC Member:

1. Amplifying the visibility and voices of victims of corruption (especially grand corruption/kleptocracy) both in judicial and asset recovery proceedings at the national and transnational level and in the discourse around why anti-corruption work matters, as part of work to operationalize the link between anti-corruption and human rights.
2. Work with national anti-corruption groups on strengthening regional and cross-regional networks and increasing their engagement with international anti-corruption bodies and resources.

3. Work on strategic litigation in national courts and international bodies, especially around grand corruption and enablers.

Profile of candidate (200 words)

Please provide a **200-word profile of the person who will represent the nominated organization and a photograph (submitted attached)** for circulation to Ordinary Members. In addition, you may also include a link to a video profiling the candidate and organization:

I am a partially retired academic specializing in human rights, environmental and tort law. I teach at the University of California Law, San Francisco. I have worked with civil society groups, mostly in Latin America, on anti-impunity and accountability for over 30 years. I came to anti-corruption work out of a sense that the protection of human rights and the environment is increasingly being undermined and impeded by the control of state institutions (and business elites) by kleptocrats who subvert controls, create impunity for themselves, and reconfigure the state to support private gain rather than the public good. I have worked with the CCC of the UNCAC Coalition over the last two years helping to strengthen internal policies and procedures, working with several Working Groups, and giving public presentations on victims of corruption, human rights and corruption, etc. I will publish a book on this subject next year. I am also on the Board of several human rights groups, including Due Process of Law Foundation (DPLF) which works in Latin America. I would be honored to continue my work with the UNCAC coalition over the next two years.



Contributions you will make to the work of the Coalition (max 100 words)

Please provide a brief description of how you are planning to contribute to the work of the UNCAC Coalition, e.g. detailing specific issue expertise, experiences and perspectives you would like to bring to contribute, and how the work at your organization links to a role on the board of the Coalition.

As mentioned above, my expertise is in international human rights and the human rights-related jurisprudence of national courts, especially in Latin America. I plan to use this expertise to contribute to the work of a number of Working Groups, to strengthen the existing Database on victim access, and to help the Coalition navigate the increasing salience of human rights discourses in the anti-corruption space. I will also try to represent the individual members in the Coalition.

Part III: Declaration of Interests

Each candidate to the CCC shall fill out and submit this Declaration of Interest form no later than one week prior to the CCC election and submit it jointly with their candidacy. Once elected, CCC members commit to keep such declarations updated. To that effect, they will be required to explicitly confirm that their respective register is still current or to update it ahead of every in-person CCC meeting and any CCC meeting with agenda items where a conflict of interest may arise (i.e. decisions on contracts, consultancies, etc.).

The completed declarations will be published on the UNCAC Coalition website following explicit consent from the respective individual, in conformity with applicable GDPR provisions.

Name	Naomi Roht-Arriaza	
Date of election/ of appointment	2022	
Submitted/ last updated	2022	

Name of your primary employer²	Semi-retired; University of California Law, San Francisco
Name of any other employers or major clients³ over the past two years	none
Name of organisations on which Board or Board committees you currently serve	Due Process of Law Foundation, Board President Human Rights Data Analysis Group, Board Human Rights Advocates, Advisory Board
Name of any business(es), organization(s) or entities in which you have a significant financial investment or other vested financial interest⁴	none
Any interests of close relatives⁵ that may be relevant to the Coalition's work	no
Any other interest you believe necessary to declare: relevant (non-) remunerated roles and positions, memberships, etc.	

Please note: if in a discussion of the Coalition Coordination Committee (whether in person, teleconference, or otherwise), an unanticipated and undeclared interest arises, you must notify the Chair and comply with CCC's decision concerning your (non-)participation in the relevant CCC agenda item.

² Wherever appropriate, please provide an adequate level of detail (such as the jurisdiction companies or organisations are registered in, possibly also the employer's website) so that the information provided here is sufficient to help document relevant interests.

³ Major clients are individuals or organisations that provided for 10% or more of the declaring individual's income over the past two years.

⁴ More than 10% ownership or controlling position, or investment of more than 5% of his/her total assets.

⁵ *Close relatives* includes mother, father, siblings, children, spouse, first degree cousins.

By submitting this form, you confirm that, to the best of your knowledge, the information in the form is current, complete and accurate. By submitting the form, you also acknowledge and pledge to comply with the Coalition's Ethical Guidelines and Policy on Conflicts of Interests, Gifts and Anti-Corruption and also consent to the publication of this document on the UNCAC Coalition website.

La Paz, Bolivia May 9, 2024
Place, date

Naomi Rott-Arriaza

Signature

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