

Webinar 1: Education, language and the human rights of minorities

Thursday 25th June, 14.30pm CET

The thematic focus of both the 12th Session of the UN Forum on Minority Issues and the regional forums held in 2019 was the topic of education, language and the human rights of minorities. The objective of these forums was to provide insights for the development of a set of recommendations to inform and strengthen the implementation of international human rights in relation to education in, and teaching of, minority languages. One year after the forum, this webinar will reflect on subsequent challenges and issues that need to be addressed.

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