



Misión Permanente de Costa Rica  
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## **SOCIAL REINTEGRATION OF PERSONS RELEASED FROM DETENTION OR UNDER SUPERVISION: EFFECTIVE PRACTICES & HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES**

54th session of the UN Human Rights Council  
September 20th - 13:00h  
Room XXV – Palais des Nations

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This side event will offer the opportunity for delegations to learn about a human rights-based approach to the social reintegration of persons released from detention or under supervision.

- Highlight the benefits and positive human rights implications of support for reintegrating persons and their communities
- Share emerging effective practices, as well as challenges and obstacles, from around the world
- Underline the role of Governments, civil society, and communities in social reintegration
- Discuss the advancement of social reintegration as a human rights issue, exploring existing international instruments and highlighting the need for further guidance on implementation from the UN Human Rights Council

The event will feature a panel discussion of four regional, national, and civil society experts, moderated by Jared Genser of Perseus Strategies. Panelists will include:

- Ambassador Christian Guillermet Fernández, Permanent Representative of Costa Rica to the United Nations in Geneva
- Jessica Jackson, Chief Advocacy Officer and Chief Operating Officer of REFORM Alliance
- Teresa Njoroge, Founder and CEO of Clean Start Africa, and Ford Foundation Global Fellow
- Marco Feoli, Member of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment