



The Permanent Mission of New Zealand and the Delegation of the European Union invite you to a
Side Event during the 8th Conference of States Parties to the CRPD

Deinstitutionalization, Social Protection and the SDGs: The Way Forward

Tuesday, 09 June 2015 / 4:45-6:00 / Conference Room 12



Photo of Children with disabilities in school in Nepal ©Human Rights Watch

Join us for an interactive discussion on making the rights of children and adults in institutions and the promotion of community or family-based alternatives, global priorities.

Speakers:

- Ambassador Ioannis Vrailas, Deputy Head of Delegation - European Union
- Robert Martin, Self-Advocate, New Zealand
- Catalina Devandas Aguilar, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
- Charlotte V. McClain-Nhlapo, Global Disability Advisor - World Bank
- Nolan Quigley, Advocacy Manager -Lumos (& video contribution from young self-advocates)
- Shantha Rau Barriga, Director, Disability Rights - Human Rights Watch
- Megan McCoy, Director, Office for Disability Issues - Government of New Zealand
- *Moderator: Facundo Chávez Penillas, Human Rights & Disability Advisor - OHCHR*

With International Sign Language interpretation. Snacks and refreshments will also be provided.

Co-organized by:



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