

**Officers of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
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Election for Sessions	Chairperson	Region	Vice-Chairpersons	Region	Rapporteur	Region
First, Second & Third Sessions (1982-84)	Ms. Ider, <i>Mongolia</i>	Asia and Pacific	Ms. Caron, <i>Canada</i> Ms. Ilić, <i>Yugoslavia</i> Ms. Mukayiranga, <i>Rwanda</i>	Western Europe and other States Eastern Europe Africa	Ms. Bernard, <i>Guyana</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean
Fourth & Fifth Sessions (1985- 86)	Ms. Bernard, <i>Guyana</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Cortes, <i>Philippines</i> Ms. Sinegiorgis, <i>Ethiopia</i> Ms. Smith, <i>Norway</i>	Asia & Pacific Africa Western Europe and other States	Ms. Oeser, <i>German Democratic Republic</i>	Eastern Europe
Sixth & Seventh Sessions (1987-88)	Ms. Bernard, <i>Guyana</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Akamatsu, <i>Japan</i> Ms. Soumare, <i>Mali</i> Ms. Novikova, <i>USSR</i>	Asia & Pacific Africa Eastern Europe	Ms. Wadstein, <i>Sweden</i>	Western Europe and other States
Eighth & Ninth Sessions (1989-90)	Ms. Evatt, <i>Australia</i>	Western Europe and other States	Ms. Guan, <i>China</i> Mr. Oeser, <i>German Democratic Republic</i> Ms. Pilataxi, <i>Ecuador</i>	Asia & Pacific Eastern Europe Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Ukeje, <i>Nigeria</i>	Africa

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Tenth & Eleventh Sessions (1991-92)	Ms. Tallawy, <i>Egypt</i>	Africa	Ms. Fasan, <i>Argentina</i> Ms. Akamatsu, <i>Japan</i> Ms. Ilic, <i>Yugoslavia</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean Asia & Pacific Eastern Europe	Ms. Laiou-Antoniou, <i>Greece</i>	Western Europe and other States
Twelfth & Thirteenth Sessions (1993-94)	Ms. Corti, <i>Italy</i>	Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Nikolaeva, <i>Russian Federation</i> Ms. Garcia-Prince, <i>Venezuela</i> Ms. Ukeje, <i>Nigeria</i>	Eastern Europe Latin America & the Caribbean Africa	Ms. Quintos-Deles, <i>Philippines</i>	Asia & Pacific
Fourteenth & Fifteenth Sessions (1995-96)	Ms. Corti, <i>Italy</i>	Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Aouij, <i>Tunisia</i> Ms. Garcia-Prince, <i>Venezuela</i> Ms. Shangzhen, <i>China</i>	Africa Latin America & the Caribbean Asia & Pacific	Ms. Schöpp-Schilling, <i>Germany</i>	Western Europe and Other States
Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth & Nineteenth Sessions (1997-98)	Ms. Khan, <i>Bangladesh</i>	Asia	Ms. Abaka, <i>Ghana</i> Ms. Bustelo, <i>Spain</i> Ms. Estrada, <i>Ecuador</i>	Africa Western Europe and Other States Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Javate de Dios, <i>Philippines</i>	Asia & Pacific

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Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second & Twenty-third Sessions (1999-2000)	Ms. Gonzalez-Martinez, <i>Mexico</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Kim, <i>Republic of Korea</i> Ms. Ouedraogo, <i>Burkina Faso</i> Ms. Schöpp-Schilling, <i>Germany</i>	Asia & Pacific Africa Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Acar, <i>Turkey</i>	Western Europe and Other States
Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh & Exceptional Sessions (2001-02)	Ms. Abaka, <i>Ghana</i>	Africa	Mr. Acar <i>Turkey</i> Ms. Manalo <i>Philippines</i> Ms. Regazzoli <i>Argentina</i>	Western Europe and Other States Asia & Pacific Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Hazelle <i>Saint Kitts and Nevis</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean
Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth & Thirty-first Sessions (2003-04)	Ms. Acar <i>Turkey</i>	Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Shin, <i>Republic of Korea</i> Ms. Gomez, <i>Cuba</i> Ms. Popescu, <i>Romania</i>	Asia & Pacific Latin America & the Caribbean Eastern Europe	Ms. Kapalata <i>United Republic of Tanzania</i>	Africa
Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth & Thirty-sixth (PC)* Sessions (2005-06)	Ms. Manalo <i>Philippines</i>	Asia & Pacific	Ms. Belmihoub-Zerdani <i>Algeria</i> Ms. Pimentel <i>Brazil</i> Ms. Schöpp-Schilling <i>Germany</i>	Africa Latin America & the Caribbean Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Šimonović <i>Croatia</i>	Eastern Europe

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Thirty-seventh (PC), Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth (PC), & forthcoming sessions of 2008 (2007-08)	Ms. Šimonović <i>Croatia</i>	Eastern Europe	Ms. Gabr <i>Egypt</i> Ms. Gaspard <i>France</i> Ms. Simms <i>Jamaica</i>	Africa Europe Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Dairiam <i>Malaysia</i>	Asia & Pacific

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