In view of the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) 28th Working Group session to be held 6-17 November 2017, UPR Info, in cooperation with the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands, the Permanent Mission of Haiti, and the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, is organising a seminar on the role of Recommending States at the UPR on Thursday 5 October, from 10:00 to 12:00 in room 24 (XXIV), Palais des Nations. The aim of this seminar is to equip Permanent Missions human rights experts with tools and knowledge on how to successfully engage in the Working Group session.

**Programme:**

10:00-10:10: Opening
10:10-10:40: Practical participation in UPR Working Groups
10:40-11:25: Drafting recommendations
11:25-11:40: Following up the implementation of recommendations
11:40-11:50: Tools and resources
11:50-12:00: Concluding remarks

**INTERPRETATION INTO FRENCH WILL BE PROVIDED**