

**PROGRAMME**  
**Launching event**

***Rabat Plan of Action on the prohibition of advocacy of national, racial or religious hatred that constitutes incitement to discrimination, hostility or violence***

**21 February 2013, Room XIX Palais des Nations, Geneva**

Organized by the  
Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)

Thursday, 21 February 2013

- 10:00            Opening of the workshop
- Statement by the High Commissioner for Human Rights, Ms. Navi Pillay
  - Statement by the High Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General for the Alliance of Civilizations, Mr. Jorge Sampaio
  - Statement by the Special Advisor of the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide, Mr. Adama Dieng
- 10:30            Introduction of the Rabat Plan of Action by the experts:
- Mr. Frank La Rue, United Nations Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Expression and Opinion;
  - Mr. Heiner Bielefeldt, United Nations Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Religion or Belief; and,
  - Ms. Agnès Callamard, Executive Director of the Non-Governmental Organization, Article XIX
- 11:00            Comments and interactive discussion
- 11:55            Closing remarks