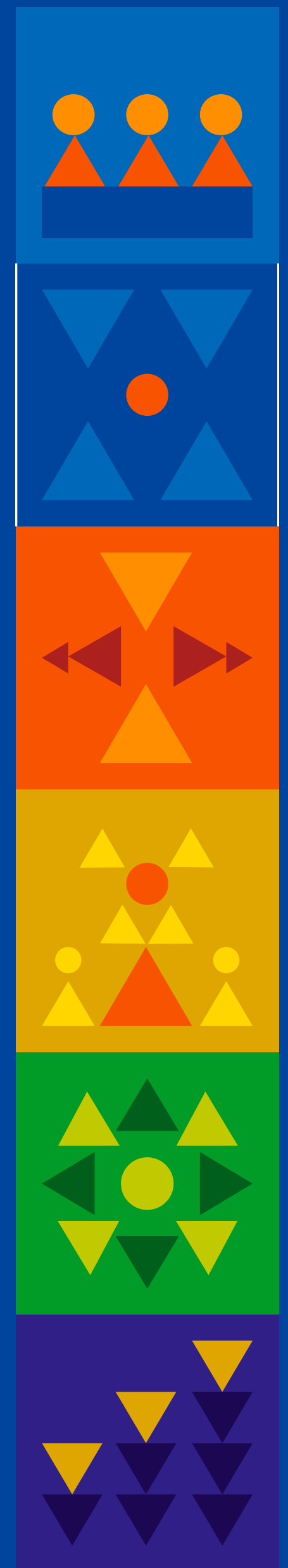


RINDHCA's working groups

What are they?

They are a best practice that brings together the National Human Rights Institutions (NHRIs) adhered to the RINDHCA to collaborate, promote learning, knowledge and regional dialogue to design high-impact actions in human rights.

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RINDHCA's working groups

Migrants and Refugees

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and **RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024.**



Goal

The objective of this RINDHCA working group is to protect the rights of forced migrants from their countries of origin who are in the Americas, in follow-up to the SDG 2030.

Coordination



Ecuador NHRI.

NHRIs Members

North America

Canada and Mexico.

Central America and the Caribbean

Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.

Andean Region

Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

Southern Region

Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay.



RINDHCA's working groups

Business and Human Rights

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and **RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024.**

Goal

The goal of this working group is to align actions in accordance with the UN Guiding Principles and the 2010 Edinburgh Declaration on the role of NHRIs in relation to business and human rights, recognizing that the responsible operation of business can contribute to promoting respect, protection and fulfillment of human rights in compliance with the 2030 Agenda.

Coordination

 **Colombia NHRI.**

NHRIs Members

North America

Canada and Mexico.

Central America and the Caribbean

Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.

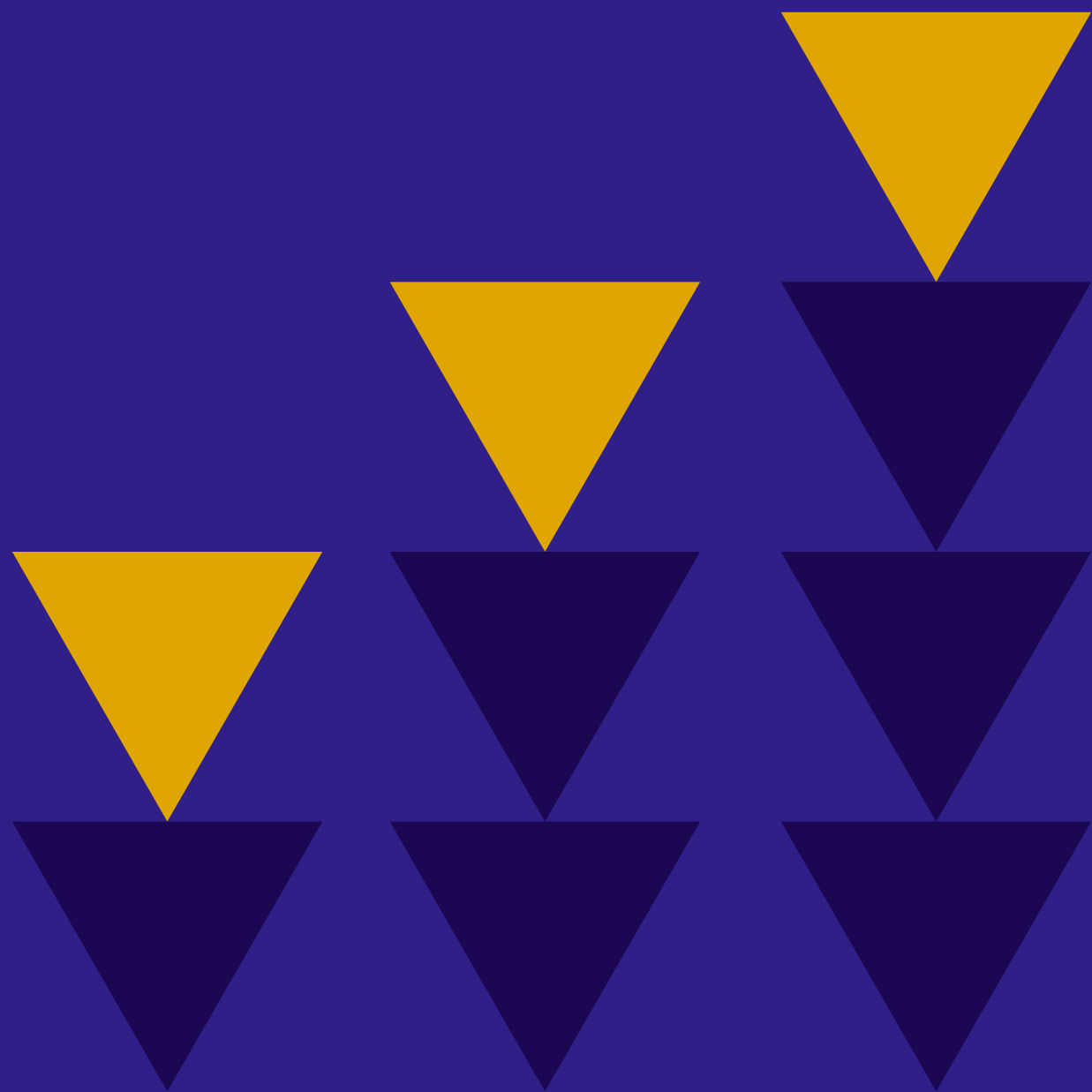
Andean Region

Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

Southern Region

Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay.





RINDHCA's working groups


Human Rights of Older Persons and Ageing

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and **RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024**.

Goal

The goal of this working group is to address matters of old age and ageing from a human-rights perspective, with the aim of responding to the challenges faced by older persons, and to create adequate protection mechanisms and policies that seek to ensure their dignified life.

Coordination

-  **Mexico NHRI.**
-  **Guatemala NHRI.**
-  **Colombia NHRI.**

NHRIs Members

- North America**
Canada and Mexico.
- Central America and the Caribbean**
Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.
- Andean Region**
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RINDHCA's working groups

Prevention of Torture and Other Forms of Ill- Treatment

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and **RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024.**

Goal

The goal of this prevention of torture and ill-treatment working group is to strengthen the role of NHRIs as National Preventive Mechanisms in the prevention of torture in their countries, complementing the traditional obligations of States to prevent torture and other forms of ill-treatment.

Coordination



Bolivia NHRI.

NHRIs Members

North America

Canada and Mexico.

Central America and the Caribbean

Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.

Andean Region

Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

Southern Region

Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay.





RINDHCA's working groups

Human Rights and the Environment

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024.

Goal

The goal of this working group is to support the commitment of NHRIs in the Americas in taking action on climate change by stimulating participatory, non-discriminatory and accountable decisions in line with the 2020 GANHRI Annual Conference.

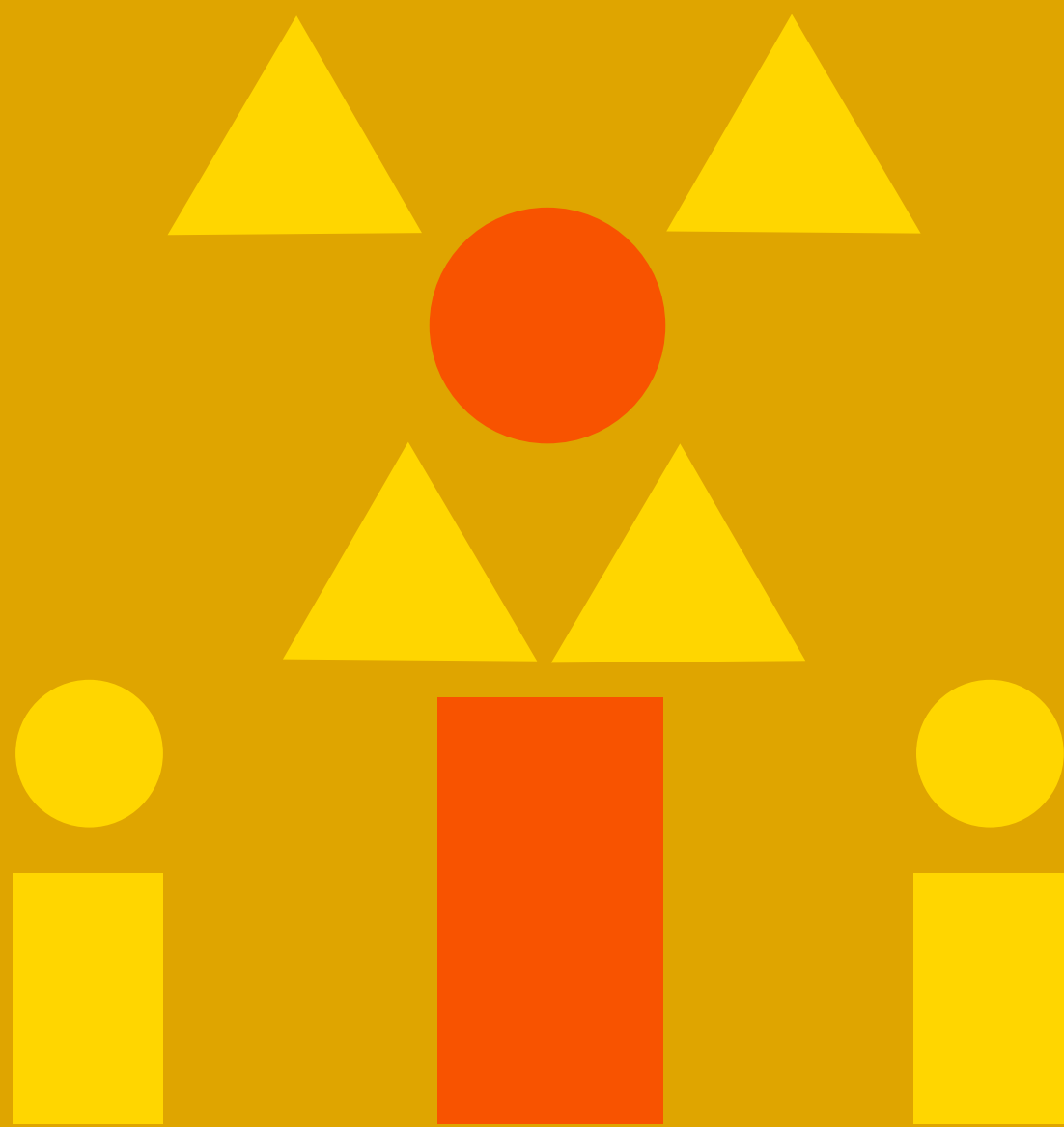
Coordination

 Panama NHRI.

NHRIs Members

- North America**
Canada and Mexico.
- Central America and the Caribbean**
Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.
- Andean Region**
Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.
- Southern Region**
Argentina, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay.





RINDHCA's working groups

Afro-Descendant Population

Following GANHRI's Strategic Plan 2023-2027, adopted at the General Assembly of March 15, 2023, and **RINDHCA's Action Plan 2022 - 2024**.

Goal

The goal of this working group seeks to strengthen the work of NHRIs in the protection and promotion of people of African descent in the Americas, supported by the UN resolution, "International Decade for People of African Descent" with the theme "Afro-descendants: Recognition, Justice and Development".

Coordination



Costa Rica NHRI.

NHRIs Members

North America

Canada and Mexico.

Central America and the Caribbean

Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Panama.

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