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**Dear Prof. Dr. Tengku M.I.A Chalid, MA, LLM, PhD ( Universal Institute of Professional Management ),**

Earlier this week, the UN issued a formal call for nominations for one of the most important jobs in the world: the UN chief for human rights.

As the UN's principal human rights official, she or he is tasked with promoting and protecting all human rights for everyone, everywhere.

[Help us find an outstanding UN chief for human rights](#)

At a time when human rights are under attack across the globe, we need a High Commissioner who will speak out against abuses, and speak up for those risking their lives to protect our fundamental freedoms.

We're about to launch an urgent campaign to help find the best possible person for the job.

[Find out how to get involved.](#)

### **Round-up of recent UNA-UK news & upcoming events**

#### **Top events**

UNA-UK celebrated 70 years of service and sacrifice on UN Peacekeepers Day with a memorial ceremony and conference. Over 100 Ambassadors, High Commissioners and representatives from diplomatic missions marched to the Cenotaph in Whitehall to lay a wreath to commemorate those who have fallen, marking the biggest such occasion in Europe. [Find out more.](#)

UNA-UK's Laurel Hart joined state representatives, UN officials, academics and NGOs in Uganda for the Global Action Against Mass Atrocity Crimes' meeting to discuss ways to improve atrocity prevention strategies and practices. [Here's what took place.](#)

UNA-UK hosted the UN humanitarian chief in parliament to brief parliamentarians on the situation in Yemen. [Here's what happened.](#) For UNA-UK's recent statement on the assault on Hodeidah in Yemen, [click here.](#)

#### **Parliamentary work spotlight**

UNA-UK's Executive Director gave evidence to the International Development Committee in the House of Commons on sexual exploitation and abuse in UN peacekeeping. You can read up on UNA-UK's submitted evidence to a number of different parliamentary inquiries [here.](#)

#### **Campaign highlight**

The local advocacy work on the situation in Yemen continues. Over 30 MPs have been urged to call on the UK Government to prioritise peace in Yemen and we've already received a number of positive responses from them. [Find out more about the campaign and how you can get involved.](#)

#### **Upcoming events**

UNA-UK's 'Global Britain' Conference - 7 July

Join seasoned activists and policy experts at UNA-UK's most interactive event of the year. Click [here](#) to secure your place but hurry, capacity is limited and tickets are issued on a first-come, first-serve basis.

#### **In other news**

- We are delighted to congratulate UNA-UK's Executive Director on being one of the three winners of the inaugural 'New Shape Prize', an award from the Global Challenges Foundation for the best ideas for reforming global governance. [Find out more.](#)
- Our Head of Campaigns, Ben Donaldson looks at the US, the Iran Deal and the Non-Proliferation Treaty in his piece for PassBlue. [Read it here.](#)

Kind regards,

**Laurel & the UNA-UK team United Nations Association - UK**