

**SPONSORSHIP PROGRAMME**  
**TO SUPPORT AND INCREASE THE PARTICIPATION OF**  
**DEVELOPING STATES PARTIES IN THE 2018 BWC MEETINGS OF EXPERTS**  
**APPLICATION FORM**

Please submit the completed form and a copy of the nominee's passport by **31 May 2018** to:

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**Please type or use BLOCK LETTERS**

1.	Family name of nominee <sup>1</sup>			
2.	First name(s)			
3.	Date of birth	Day	Month	Year
4.	Citizenship			
5.	Gender <sup>2</sup>	Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>	
6.	Passport number ( <b><u>please attach a copy of the passport</u></b> )			
7.	Date of passport issue	Day	Month	Year
8.	Date of passport expiry	Day	Month	Year
9.	Place of issue			
10.	Do you already have a Schengen visa? <sup>3</sup>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
11.	Airport of departure/return			
12.	Area(s) of expertise (please also specify how the nominee is planning to contribute to the meetings, i.e. intervention, technical presentation etc)			

<sup>1</sup> Please give the first and family names exactly as they appear in the nominee's passport.

<sup>2</sup> For this and all like items, please tick the appropriate box.

<sup>3</sup> Visa application is the nominee's responsibility.

13.	Preferred dates <sup>4</sup> (Please specify which week you would prefer to participate)*	7—10 August 2018 <input type="checkbox"/>	13-16 August 2018 <input type="checkbox"/>
14.	Employer		
15.	Position		
16.	Contact address (Please do not give a post-office box number)	Street	
		Number	Post code
		City	
		Country	
17.	E-mail address		
18.	Telephone numbers, including country and city codes	Home	
		Work	
		Mobile	
19.	Official stamp of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or the Permanent Mission		

\* The schedule for the Meetings of Experts is as follows:

Week 1:

7-8 August: MX1 - Cooperation and Assistance, with a Particular Focus on Strengthening Cooperation and Assistance under Article X

9-10 August: MX2 - Review of Developments in the Field of Science and Technology Related to the Convention

Week 2:

13 August: MX3 - Strengthening National Implementation

14-15 August: MX4 - Assistance, Response and Preparedness

16 August: MX5 - Institutional Strengthening of the Convention

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<sup>4</sup> As funding is limited and in order to maximize the number of experts able to be sponsored, it is likely that successful applicants will only be able to be sponsored for one week only. Sponsored experts are of course welcome to stay for a second week, if they can cover the attendant costs from elsewhere.