



The Senate Human Rights Caucus and the Tom Lantos Human Rights Commission
invite you to join:

Atrocity Prevention and Early Warning: The U.S. Government Framework and Côte d'Ivoire

Thursday, October 29

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM ET

Online Event

To attend, register [here](#).

In August 2020, the State Department released the [second report](#) on the U.S. government's atrocity prevention efforts, as required by Section 5 of the Elie Wiesel Genocide and Atrocities Prevention Act (P.L. 115-441). This online briefing will provide an overview of the atrocity prevention and early warning framework utilized by the U.S. government and will discuss the August report in detail.

The event will also include a timely update on developments in a critical early-warning country, Côte d'Ivoire, which has a history of election-related violence and is preparing to hold a presidential election on October 31.

Panelists:

Naomi Kikoler, Director, Simon-Skjodt Center for the Prevention of Genocide,
U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

Wes Rist, Deputy Executive Director, American Society of International Law (ASIL)

Éric Aimé Semien, Chairperson, Observatoire Ivoirien des Droits de l'Homme

Moderated by **Tomas Husted**, Analyst in African Affairs, Congressional Research Service

To attend, please register [here](#). For general questions, please contact Emma Borden at Emma.Borden@coons.senate.gov. For help with registration or technical support, please contact Matt McLaughlin at Matthew.McLaughlin@mail.house.gov.