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#### PROMOTION EVENT

## The Inter-American System of Human Rights and the access to justice

May 7th, 2019, 9.15AM  
Kingston, Jamaica

UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES MONA CAMPUS  
Visitor's Lodge and Conference Center, Blue Room

#### Background information:

The IACHR has defined its 2017-2021 Strategic Plan as the main institutional management instrument. This Plan establishes the priorities the IACHR will implement in order to successfully fulfill its mission and face current and future challenges for addressing and protecting human rights in the hemisphere.

In the strategic objective No 3, the IACHR aims to promote democracy, human dignity, equality, justice, and fundamental freedoms based on an active contribution to the strengthening of State institutions and public policies with a human rights approach in accordance with inter-American norms and standards and to the development of the capacities of social and academic organizations and networks to act in defense of human rights. This objective includes an “Expanded Program for Training and Promotion of Thought and Culture on Human Rights” and a “Program for Attention and Collaboration with Central America and the Caribbean”.

As an expression of the IACHR's ongoing commitment to deepen its engagement with the Caribbean Region and the promotion of the Thought and Culture on Human Rights, the main objective of this promotion event is to present the different mechanisms for the promotion and protection of human rights of the Inter-American System of Human Rights, in particular, the access to justice.

#### To whom the event is addressed:

The event targets civil society, state authorities, students and academy, social movements and general public.