

**Officers of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
1982 – 2008**

Election for Sessions	Chairperson	Region	Vice-Chairpersons	Region	Rapporteur	Region
First, Second & Third Sessions (1982-84)	Ms. Ider, <i>Mongolia</i>	Asia and Pacific	Ms. Caron, <i>Canada</i> Ms. Ili , <i>Yugoslavia</i> Ms. Mukayiranga, <i>Rwanda</i>	Western Europe and other States Eastern Europe Africa	Ms. Bernard, <i>Guyana</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean
Fourth & Fifth Sessions (1985- 86)	Ms. Bernard, <i>Guyana</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Cortes, <i>Philippines</i> Ms. Sinegiorgis, <i>Ethiopia</i> Ms. Smith, <i>Norway</i>	Asia & Pacific Africa Western Europe and other States	Ms. Oeser, <i>German Democratic Republic</i>	Eastern Europe

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Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second & Twenty-third Sessions (1999-2000)	Ms. Gonzalez-Martinez, <i>Mexico</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Kim, <i>Republic of Korea</i> Ms. Ouedraogo, <i>Burkina Faso</i> Ms. Schöpp-Schilling, <i>Germany</i>	Asia & Pacific Africa Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Acar, <i>Turkey</i>	Western Europe and Other States
Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh & Exceptional Sessions (2001-02)	Ms. Abaka, <i>Ghana</i>	Africa	Mr. Acar <i>Turkey</i> Ms. Manalo <i>Philippines</i> Ms. Regazzoli <i>Argentina</i>	Western Europe and Other States Asia & Pacific Latin America & the Caribbean	Ms. Hazelle <i>Saint Kitts and Nevis</i>	Latin America & the Caribbean
Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth & Thirty-first Sessions (2003-04)	Ms. Acar <i>Turkey</i>	Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Shin, <i>Republic of Korea</i> Ms. Gomez, <i>Cuba</i> Ms. Popescu, <i>Romania</i>	Asia & Pacific Latin America & the Caribbean Eastern Europe	Ms. Kapalata <i>United Republic of Tanzania</i>	Africa
Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth & Thirty-sixth (PC)* Sessions (2005-06)	Ms. Manalo <i>Philippines</i>	Asia & Pacific	Ms. Belmihoub-Zerdani <i>Algeria</i> Ms. Pimentel <i>Brazil</i> Ms. Schöpp-Schilling <i>Germany</i>	Africa Latin America & the Caribbean Western Europe and Other States	Ms. Šimonovi <i>Croatia</i>	Eastern Europe

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Thirty-seventh (PC), Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth (PC), & forthcoming sessions of 2008 (2007-08)	Ms. Šimonovi <i>Croatia</i>	Eastern Europe	Ms. Gabr <i>Egypt</i> Ms. Gaspard <i>France</i> Ms. Simms <i>Jamaica</i>			

*Parallel Chambers