

## SIDE EVENT & REPORT LAUNCH

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## "Children are children first and foremost: protecting child rights in migration contexts"

Tuesday, 22 October 2024 10:00-11:30am Conference Room 8

## United Nations Headquarters 760 United Nations Plaza, New York City, New York

## Agenda

Time	Description
10:00	<ul> <li>Welcome</li> <li>H.E. Héctor Enrique Vasconcelos y Cruz, Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations</li> </ul>
10:05	<ul> <li>Keynote Address</li> <li>Gehad Madi, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants</li> </ul>
10:15	<ul> <li>Moderator Yiyao Zhang, Human Rights Officer, OHCHR</li> <li>Speakers <ul> <li>Dr. Najat Maalla M'jid, Special Representative of the Secretary General on Violence against Children</li> <li>Daria Mierhut, UNICEF Youth on the Move Fellow and Education Consultant, UNICEF Slovakia</li> <li>Ben Lewis, Senior Advisor for Global Advocacy, Kids in Need of Defense (KIND)</li> <li>Bhaskar Mishra, Child Protection Specialist, UNICEF</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
10:45	Interactive Discussion Participants are invited to ask questions and share positive practices for strengthening the protection of children on the move.
11:25	<ul> <li>Closing</li> <li>H.E. Evangelos Sekeris, Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations</li> </ul>