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# Proposed Nominations for Commissions and Joint Consultative Bodies revised

#### Introduction

In January 2022 the acting general secretary wrote to all member churches asking for nominations for commissions and joint consultative bodies. A reminder was sent in June 2022. The secretariat recorded over 400 nominations (available upon request).

There are six WCC commissions. The central committee approves commission bylaws and elects commission members. Commissions have a special status given their histories and the wider constituency represented in their structure either as members or advisors. Commissions report to the central committee.

The bylaws of each commission define its respective membership, including size and in some cases the participation of ecumenical partners. Some bylaws stipulate nomination processes, i.e. Faith and Order, Mission and Evangelism.

Joint consultative bodies, such as the Joint Working Group with Roman Catholic Church and the Joint Consultative Group with Pentecostal Churches, are particular initiatives between the WCC and churches or church traditions not directly represented in WCC membership. The central committee elects WCC representatives on joint consultative bodies. They report to both parent bodies.

In developing draft slates, the assembly recommendations regarding the formation of commission have been observed, i.e. priority for young people nominated for central committee, but not elected; and consideration of churches not represented on central committee. Particular attention was given to fair and adequate representation of women and men, lay and ordained, youth, persons with disabilities and Indigenous Persons. The targets for regional representation and church family representation have been respected.

No individual is proposed for more than one commission or joint consultative body, with the exception of Young People in the Ecumenical Movement because it includes young people on each commission. No member church is represented by more than one person on each commission or joint consultative body.

Nominations from the Roman Catholic Church for commissions and for the Joint Working Group are in process. The Pentecostal World Fellowship will be asked to name the Pentecostals on the Joint Consultative Group.

What follows are slates for consideration and election. Each slate is introduced with an excerpt from the respective bylaws indicating the aim of commission and requirements for membership.

### Commission on Faith and Order

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Faith and Order represents an historic, founding movement of the WCC and incorporates the participation of the Roman Catholic Church and other nonmember churches of the WCC in the organizing and staffing of its activities within the overall framework of the WCC. The primary purpose of the Commission on Faith and Order is to serve the churches as they call one another to visible unity in one faith and in one Eucharistic fellowship, expressed in worship and common life in Christ, through witness and service to the world, and advance towards that unity in order that the world may believe.

The Commission shall consist of no fewer than 40 members and no more than 60 members (including the Moderator and Vice-Moderators). The Commission, by its last meeting before each Assembly of the WCC, shall appoint a nominations committee to prepare a list of names, from those nominated by their churches, for the election of the new commission by the Central Committee at its first full meeting after the Assembly. The Commission, at the last meeting of its mandate after each assembly, shall nominate a person as moderator of Faith and Order for election by the Central Committee at its first full meeting after the Assembly.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Dr	Daniel Nicolaas	Andrew	The Apostolic Faith Mission	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Pentecostal
AF	Prof. Dr	Kwabena	Asamoah-Gyadu	Methodist Church of Ghana	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Methodist
AF	Mr	Mawuli	Assimadi	Eglise évangélique presbytérienne du Togo	Μ	L	Y	Y	N	Reformed
AF	Most Rev. Dr	Michael O.	Fape	Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
AF	Rev. Fr	Alula	Lemma	Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
AF	Rev.	Jackline	Makena	Methodist Church in Kenya	F	0	Y	Ν	Ν	Methodist
AF	Dr	Nadia	Marais	Dutch Reformed Church	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AF	Very Rev. Prof.	Silas	Ncozana	Church of Central Africa Presbyterian (CCAP) Blantyre	М	0	N	Ν	N	Reformed
				Synod						
AF	H.G. Bishop	Anba	Suriel	Coptic Orthodox Church	Μ	0	Ν	Υ	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
AS	Rev. Dr	Yan-En	Cheng	Presbyterian Church in Taiwan	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	Rev. Dr	Sangdo	Choi	Presbyterian Church of Korea	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	H.E. Metropolitan	Mor Theophilose	Kuriakose	Syrian Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and all the	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
	Dr			East						
AS	H.E. Metropolitan	Abraham	Mar Stephanos	Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
AS	Rev. Dr	Nancy	Souisa	Gereja Protestan Maluku (GPM)	F	0	N	Ν	N	Reformed
AS	Ms	Shella Gracia	Vennya	Gereja Kristen Pasundan (GKP)	F	L	Y	Ν	Y	Reformed
AS	Rev. Dr	Ge	Wen	China Christian Council	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Post- Denominational
CA	Rev. Dr	Glenroy Michael	Lalor	Jamaica Baptist Union	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Baptist
CA	Rev Dr	Carlton	Turner	Church in the Province of the West Indies	F	0	N	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	Prof. Dr	Angela	Berlis	Old Catholic Church in the Netherlands	F	0	N	Ν	N	Old Catholic
EU	Rev. Dr	Marc	Boss	Eglise protestante unie de France	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
EU	Rev. Dr	Sotirios	Boukis	Evangelical Church of Greece	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
EU	Mr	Mihail	Comănoiu	Romanian Orthodox Church	Μ	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern

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EU	Prof. Dr	Stephanie	Dietrich	Church of Norway	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
EU	Rev. Dr	Arne Elis Leonard	Fritzson	Uniting Church in Sweden	Μ	0	N	Ν	Y	United and Uniting
EU	Prof. Dr	Tom	Greggs	Methodist Church in Great Britain	Μ	L	N	Ν	N	Methodist
EU	Rev. Prebendary Dr	Isabelle	Hamley	Church of England	F	0	N	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	Dr	Jelisei	Heikklä	Orthodox Church of Finland	Μ	L	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Archbishop	Antje	Jackelén	Church of Sweden	F	0	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
EU	H.E. Metropolitan		Job of Pisidia	Ecumenical Patriarchate	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
	Dr									
EU	Archpriest	Vladimir	Khulap	Russian Orthodox Church	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Rev. Canon Prof.	Charlotte	Methuen	Scottish Episcopal Church	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	Prof.	Rachel	Muers	Friends World Committee for Consultation	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	HPC and Moravians
EU	Dr	Maria	Munkholt	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark	F	L	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
			Christensen							
EU	Fr	Nikolaos	Papantoniou	Church of Cyprus	Μ	0	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Ms	Tijana	Petkovic	Serbian Orthodox Church	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	HG Bishop	Gevork	Saroyan	Armenian Apostolic Church (Mother See of Holy	М	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
				Etchmiadzin)						
EU	Professor	Stylianos	Tsompanidis	Church of Greece	Μ	L	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Ms	Emma	Van Dorp	Protestant Church in Switzerland (PCS)	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Reformed
EU	Prof. Dr	Heike	Walz	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	F	L	N	Ν	N	United and Uniting
LA	Rev. Dr	Mercedes Garcia	Bachmann	Iglesia Evangélica Luterana Unida	F	0	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
LA	Rev. Dr	Felipe Gustavo	Koch Butelli	Igreja Evangélica de Confissão Luterana no Brasil	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
LA	Dr	Andres	Pacheco Lozano	Arbeitsgemeinschaft Mennonitischer Gemeinden in Deutschland	М	L	N	N	N	HPC and Moravians
ME	Rev. Fr Dr	Ibrahim	Dabbour	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Jerusalem	Μ	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
ME	Archimandrite Prof.	Jack	Khalil	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and All the East	М	0	N	N	N	Orthodox Eastern
ME	Rev.	Ahraf	Tannous	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan & the Holy Land	М	0	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
NA	Rev. Dr	Ray	Aldred	Anglican Church of Canada	М	0	N	Y	N	Anglican
NA	Rev. Dr.	Amantha	Barbee	Presbyterian Church (USA)	F	0	N	Ν	N	Reformed
NA	Rev. Dr	Sandra	Beardsall	United Church of Canada	F	0	N	Ν	N	United and Uniting
NA	Rev. Dr	Silviu	Bunta	Orthodox Church in America	М	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
NA	Dr	Kristine	Culp	Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the United	F	L	N	N	N	Disciples
NA	Rev. Dr	Carmelo	Santos	States Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	М	0	N	N	N	Lutheran
NA	Dr	Evve	Tibbs	Ecumenical Patriarchate	F	L	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
PA	Dr	Mercy	Ah Siu Maliko	Methodist Church in Samoa	F	L	N	Y	N	Methodist

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PA	Rev. Dr	Upolu	Vaai	Methodist Church of Samoa	Μ	0	Ν	Y	Ν	Methodist
tbd				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
tbd				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
tbd				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
tbd				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
AF	Apostle Dr	Christian	Tsekpoe	Church of Pentecost	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Pentecostal
AS	Rev Dr	Jacqueline	Grey	Pentecostal World Fellowship	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Pentecostal
AS	Dr	Victor	Lee	Pentecostal World Fellowship	М	L	Ν	Ν	N	Pentecostal
NA	Dr	Allison	MacGregor	Pentecostal World Fellowship	F	L	N	Ν	Ν	Pentecostal

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### II. Commission on World Mission and Evangelism

In continuity with the functions formerly carried out by the International Missionary Council and articulated in the Common Understanding and Vision of the WCC, the aims of the commission are: (1) To carry out the aim of the conference: "to assist the Christian community in the proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ, by word and deed, to the whole world to the end that all may believe in him and be saved"; and (2) To facilitate the common witness of the churches in each place and in all places and to help them support each other in their local, national and worldwide work of mission and evangelism.

The commission shall consist of not more than thirty persons appointed by the central committee. The outgoing commission on world mission and evangelism shall submit nominations at the appropriate time, to the central committee, for the moderator and for membership of the commission, which shall include (a) the majority drawn from the member churches of the WCC; (b) about 25% should be chosen from those nominated by the affiliated bodies of the conference; (c) the remaining members should be drawn from a wider constituency. The outgoing commission shall propose six persons among its members to serve another term, and submit their names to the central committee for the continuity of the commission's work.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Barrister	Idris	Balogun	The Church of The Lord (Prayer Fellowship) Worldwide	М	L	Y	Ν	N	African Instituted
AF	Mrs	Gertrude	Fefoame	Presbyterian Church of Ghana	F	L	N	Ν	Y	Reformed
AF	Rev. Dr	Fidon	Mwombeki	Evangelical Lutheran Church of Tanzania	М	0	N	Ν	N	Lutheran
AS	Rev. Dr	Seforosa	Carroll	Uniting Church in Australia	F	0	N	Y	N	United and Uniting
AS	Ms	Jingqin	Gu	China Christian Council	F	L	N	N	N	Post- Denominational
AS	Rev. Fr Dr	Reji	Mathews	Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church	М	0	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
AS	Rev. Dr	Jenne	Pieter	Gereja Protestan Maluku (GPM)	F	0	N	Y	N	Reformed
AS	Rev.	Arial	Siagan	Evangelical Methodist Church in the Philippines	М	0	N	Ν	N	Methodist
AS	Rev.	Tara	Tautari	Methodist Church of New Zealand	F	0	N	Y	N	Methodist
CA	Rev. Dr	Gordon	Cowans	United Church of Jamaica and Cayman Isles	М	0	N	Ν	Y	United & Uniting

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EU	Mr	Philip	Champion	Russian Orthodox Church	М	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Rev. Dr	Janet	Corlett	Methodist Church	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	Methodist
EU	Ms	Riina	Nguyen	Orthodox Church of Finland	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Ms	Mirjam	Syltebø Endalew	Church of Norway	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
EU	Ms	Aikaterini	Voulgari	Church of Greece	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
LA	Rev.	Clayton	Leal da Silva	Independent Presbyterian Church of Brazil	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
ME	H.G. Bishop		Thomas	Coptic Orthodox Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
ME	Rev.	Fursan	Zumot	Evangelical Lutheran Church in the Holy Land	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
NA	Rev.	Reginald	Bachus	National Baptist Convention USA, Inc.	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Baptist
NA	Rev.	Michael	Blair	United Church of Canada	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and
										Uniting
NA	Ms	Spyridoula	Fotinis	Ecumenical Patriarchate	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
NA	Rev.	Rosalyn	Kantlah'ta'Elm	Anglican Church of Canada	F	0	Ν	Y	Ν	Anglican
PA	Ms	Atputu	Reupena	Congregational Church of Samoa	F	L	Ν	Y	Ν	Reformed
				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
				Roman Catholic Church						Roman Catholic
				World Evangelical Alliance						Evangelical
CV	<b>WME</b> Affiliated	Bodies								
CA	Rev.	Diana	de Graven	Caribbean & North America Council for Mission	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	Affiliated body
EU	Rev.	Rainer	Kiefer	Evangelische Mission Weltweit	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Affiliated body
AF	Rev. Dr	Suzanne	Matale	Council of Churches in Zambia	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	Affiliated body
AS	Prof.	Anne	Pattel-Gray	National Council of Churches Australia	F	L	Ν	Y	N	Affiliated body
EU	Rev.	Berdine	van den Toren- Lekkerkerkker	EUROPE Dutch Mission Council	F	0	Ν	N	N	Affiliated body

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## III. Commission on Education and Ecumenical Formation

Ecumenical Education and Formation represents a significant historical strand of the ecumenical movement. Ecumenical education and formation are at the heart of the concerns of churches, congregations, councils, ecumenical organizations, movements and individuals and enable them to participate in the ecumenical vocation and imperative.

The Commission shall be composed of no more than 30 members appointed by the central committee. They shall be elected after each assembly and shall hold office until the following assembly. The leadership of the commission shall be the moderator and a vice-moderator, who shall be elected by the central committee.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Ms	Agnes	Armah	Presbyterian Church of Ghana	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Reformed

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Prof. Dr	Deji	Ayegboyin	Nigerian Baptist Convention	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	Baptist
AF	Ms	Ziporah	Mwaura	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Alexandria and All Africa	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
AF	Dr	Teddy Chalwe	Sakupapa	United Presbyterian Church of Southern Africa	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
AF	Rev. Dr	Lucy	Waweru	Presbyterian Church of East Africa	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	Rev. Dr	Meehyun	Chung	Presbyterian Church in the Republic of Korea (PROK)	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	H.E. Metropolitan Dr	Mor Geevarghese	Coorilos	Syrian Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and All the East	М	0	Ν	N	N	Orthodox Oriental
AS	Prof. Dr	Samuel	George	Council of Baptist Churches in North East India	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Yes	Baptist
AS	Rev.	Tamsyn	Kereopa	Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia	F	0	Ν	Y	N	Anglican
AS	Ms	Suk Yi	Pang	Hong Kong Council of the Church of Christ in China	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	Ms	Lisa	Rajan	Malankara Orthodox Church	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
AS	Rev. Dr	Johana	Raudjanna Tangirerung	Gereja Toraja	F	0	Ν	N	N	Reformed
AS	Rev. Dr	Xuebin	Zhou	China Christian Council	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Post-Denominational
CA	Rev.	Kenneth M.	Kross	United Protestant Church of Curaçao	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
CA	Rev.	Michael Angelo	Walcott	Church in the Province of the West Indies	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	Rev. Dr	Reinhold	Bernhard	Protestant Church in Switzerland	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
EU	Archpriest	Antoniy	Borisov	Russian Orthodox Church	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Prof. Dr	Daniel	Cyranka	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	М	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	United and Uniting
EU	Dr	Sara	Gehlin	Church of Sweden	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
EU	Dr	James	Lawson	Church in Wales	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Yes	Anglican
EU	Rev.	Vilma	Niemi	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Finland	F	0	Y	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
EU	Dr	Elena	Onetiu	Romanian Orthodox Church	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Prof. Dr	Vassiliki	Stathokosta	Church of Greece	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Ms	Natalia	Vasilevich	Ecumenical Patriarchate	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Mr	Stefan	Zeljkovicz	Serbian Orthodox Church	Μ	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
LA	Rev. Dr	Daniel	Beros	Iglesia Evangélica del Río de la Plata	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
LA	Prof. Dr	Fernando	Bortolleto Filho	Igreja Presbiteriana Independente do Brasil	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
ME	Rev. Dr	Munther	Isaac	Evangelical Lutheran Church in the Holy Land	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
ME	Rev.	Hrant	Tahanian	Armenian Apostolic Church (Holy See of Cilicia)	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
NA	Rev. Dr	Nathan	Digby	Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the United States	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Disciples
NA	Dr	Amos	Nascimento	United Methodist Church	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Methodist

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PA	Rev. Dr	Tevita	Havea	Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga (Methodist Church in	Μ	0	Ν	Y	Ν	Methodist
				Tonga)						

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### IV. Commission of the Churches on International Affairs

The Commission will call the attention of churches and councils to problems which are especially claimant upon the Christian conscience at any particular time and suggest ways in which Christians may act effectively upon those problems in their respective countries and internationally and respond to issues raised by churches and national and regional ecumenical organizations.

The Commission shall be composed of not more than 30 members out of which one quarter should be members of the outgoing commission in order to ensure continuity and, ex officio, the Director of the Commission of the Churches on International Affairs. The Leadership of the Commission shall be the Moderator, who shall be elected by the Central Committee, a Vice-Moderator, who shall be elected by the Commission, and, ex officio, and the Director of the Commission.

Region	Title	First name(s)	Last name	Member Church/Organization	G	L/O	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church family
AF	Ms	Kanto Ny Aina	Andriambahiny	Eglise de Jésus-Christ à Madagascar	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Reformed
AF	Mr	Kuku Fajak	Avajani	Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan	Μ	L	Y	Ν	N	Anglican
AF	Very Rev.	Kolade	Fadahunsi	Methodist Church Nigeria	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Methodist
AF	Rev. Dr	Samuel	Kabue	Presbyterian Church of East Africa	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Y	Reformed
AS	Dr	Mathews	George Chunakara	Malankara Mar Thoma Syrian Church	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	Mar Thoma
AS	Ms	Don Lam	Len	Myanmar Baptist Convention	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Baptist
AS	Mr	Danilo M.	Ocampo	Episcopal Church in the Philippines	М	L	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
AS	Ms	Meiying	Shi	China Christian Council	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Post-
										Denominational
AS	Rev.	Seung-Min	Shin	Presbyterian Church in the Republic of Korea (PROK)	М	0	N	Ν	N	Reformed
СА	Ms	Elizabeth	Bradlev	Moravian Church in Suriname			NI	Ν	N	Maravian
. · ·					<u>г</u>	L	N			Moravian
CA	Rev.	Izett Sama	Hernandez	Iglesia Presbiteriana Reformada en Cuba	F	0	N	Ν	N	Reformed
EU	Ms	Rima	Barsoum	Syrian Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and All the East	F	L	N	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
EU	Rev. Canon Dr	Malcolm	Brown	Church of England	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	H.E.		Gabriel of Nea Ionia and	Church of Greece	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
	Metropolitan		Philadelfia and							
			Chalkedon							
EU	Mr	Ansgar	Gilster	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
EU	Ms	Lani	Anaya	Church of Sweden	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Lutheran
EU	Hieromonk	Stefan	lgumnov	Russian Orthodox Church	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Dr	Hanna	Ojanen	Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran

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EU	Ms	Lara	Sedrakian	Armenian Apostolic Church (Mother See of	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
				Holy Etchmiadzin)						
EU	Rev. Prof. Dr	Sturla	Stålsett	Church of Norway	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
LA	Ms	Grietje	Couperus	Independent Presbyterian Church in Brazil	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
LA	Mr	Ashley	Hodgson Rios	Iglesia Morava de Nicaragua	М	L	Ν	Ν	N	HPC and Moravians
LA	Dr	Thomas	Kang	Igreja Evangélica de Confissão Luterana no	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
		Hyeono		Brasil						
ME	Dr	Nora	Bayrakdarian-Kabakian	Armenian Apostolic Church (Holy See of Cilicia)	F	L				Orthodox Oriental
ME	Dr	Audeh	Quawas	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Jerusalem	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
ME	Ms	Maha	Wehbe	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and All	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
				the East						
NA	Rev. Dr	Jeffrey W.	Carter	Church of the Brethren	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	HPC&M
NA	Rev.	Rothangliani	Chhangte	American Baptist Churches USA	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	Baptist
NA	Rev. Dr	Nicolas	Kazarian	Ecumenical Patriarchate	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
	Protopresbyter									
NA	Rev.	Chebon	Kernell	United Methodist Church	Μ	0	Ν	Υ	Ν	Methodist
NA	Rev.	Peter	Noteboom	Presbyterian Church of Canada	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
NA	Rev. Dr	Karen Georgia	Thompson	United Church of Christ	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
PA	Rev.	James	Bhagwan	Methodist Church in Fiji & Rotuma	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Methodist

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### V. Young People in the Ecumenical Movement Commission

The commission aims to ensure that the prophetic voices of young people are present and heard within the WCC; and to empower young people through networking and ecumenical commitment on various levels. The Commission shall ensure fair and adequate representation, and consist of at least 20 up to 30 young people between 18 and 30 years old with the following composition:

- If applicable, at least six (6) members from the Central Committee shall be commissioners. If applicable, at least two (2) among these six (6) shall be from the Executive Committee.
- If applicable, at least two (2) members shall be appointed from each WCC Commission.
- The other members of the Commission may consist of young persons from the WCC consultative bodies, member churches, and ecumenical partner organizations, and they shall have the same right to speak and participate in decision-making.

All Commissioners shall be under the age of thirty (30) at the beginning of the term. Only persons nominated by the member church and ecumenical partner organization to which he or she belongs can be elected as a member by the central committee. At least two members of the outgoing leadership of the commission who served during the previous period shall be invited to the first full meeting of the newly-elected YPEM commission following an assembly, as advisors to the meeting, in order to offer continuity in the work of the commission. The Commission shall have a moderator elected by the Central Committee. Four (4) vice-moderators shall be elected from amongst the other Commissioners. At least one (1) vice-moderator shall be from the Central Committee.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Mr	Mawuli	Assimadi	Eglise evangelique presbyterienne de Togo	М	L	Y	Y	Ν	Reformed
AF	Mr	Kuku Fajak	Avajani	Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan	М	L	Y	Ν	N	Anglican
AF	Mr	Brian	Muyunga	Church of Uganda	М	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Anglican
AF	Ms	Abigail	Tetteh	Presbyterian Church of Ghana	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Reformed
AS	Ms	Faith Justice	Angeles	United Church of Christ in the Philippines	F	L	Y	Ν	N	United and Uniting
AS	Ms	Eunjae	Lee	Korean Methodist Church	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Methodist
AS	Ms	Don Lam	Len	Myanmar Baptist Convention	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Baptist
AS	Ms	Karen Erina	Puimera	Gereja Protestan di Indonesia Bagian Barat (GPIB)	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Reformed
AS	Ms	Ge	Zhang	China Christian Council	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Post
										Denominational
CA	Ms	Alice	J. Camacho-Gonzales	Iglesia Metodista de Puerto Rico	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Methodist
CA	Ms	Tia	Philip	Moravian Church Eastern West Indies Province	F	L	Y	Ν	N	HPC and Moravians
CA	Rev.	Bjorn	Warde	Presbyterian Church of Trinidad and Tobago	М	0	Y	Ν	Ν	Reformed
EU	Mr	Danil	Arakelian	Russian Orthodox Church (Moscow Patriarchate)	Μ	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Dr	Cosmin	Carstea	Romanian Orthodox Church	М	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Ms	Emma	Gunnarsson	Uniting Church in Sweden	F	L	Y	Ν	N	United and Uniting
EU	Mr	Andrej	Lacko	Evangelical Church of the Augsburg Confession in	М	L	Y	Ν	N	Lutheran
				Slovakia						
EU	Ms	Megan Louis	Schuster	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
EU	Ms	Grace	Thompson	Church of England	F	L	Y	Ν	Y	Anglican
EU	Ms	Emma	Van Dorp	Protestant Church of Switzerland (PCS)	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Reformed
LA	Ms	Lorena Catalina	Bonilla Garcia	Association of Mennonite Congregations in	F	L	Y	Ν	N	HPC and Moravians
				Germany, Mennonite Church in Colombia						
LA	Ms	Larissa	Garcia	Methodist Church of Brazil	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Methodist
ME	Ms	Rita	Asdikian	Armenian Orthodox Church (Holy See of Cilicia)	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
ME	Ms	Maria	Yaziji	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and All	F	L	Y	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
				the East						
NA	Ms	Spyridoula	Fotinis	Ecumenical Patriarchate	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
NA	Ms	Ann	Jacob	United Methodist Church	F	0	Y	Ν	Ν	Methodist
NA	Ms	Jonisha	Lewinson	United Church of Canada	F	L	Y	Ν	N	United and Uniting
NA	Ms	Lisa	Rajan	Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church	F	L	Y	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
PA	Mr	Sladen	Jieta	United Church of Christ - Congregational in the	М	L	Y	Υ	N	United and Uniting
				Marshall Islands						

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### VI. Commission on Health and Healing

The commission shall mobilise and accompany member churches to become learning and healing communities to take holistic action, especially prioritising health promotion, disease prevention and diaconal service, in collaboration with other actors. The commission will assist the council in calling the attention of member churches and ecumenical partners to gaps and challenges on health and diaconal matters and suggest ways in which Christians may act effectively upon those issues in their respective communities, countries and internationally.

The commission shall be composed of not more than 25 members nominated by member churches and ecumenical partners. One quarter should be members of the outgoing commission in order to ensure continuity. One additional member shall be nominated by the Pontifical Council for the Promotion of Christian Unity. The leadership of the commission shall be the moderator, who shall be elected by the central committee, a vice-moderator, who shall be elected by the commission, and the WCC director for the commission.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Rev.	Christo	Greyling	Dutch Reformed Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AF	Bishop	Godson	Lawson	Eglise Méthodiste du Togo	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Methodist
			Kpavuvu							
AF	Dr	Nomonde	Mqhayi-	Methodist Church of Southern Africa	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Methodist
			Mbambo							
AF	Mrs	Samson	Waweru	Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Alexandria and All Africa	Μ	L	Y	Ν	Y	Orthodox Eastern
AS	Dr	Selin	Abraham	Marankara Marthoma Syrian Church	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Mar Thoma
AS	Dr	Alphinus R.	Kambodji	Gereja Kristen Jawi Wetan (GKJW)	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	Dr	Glenn Roy V.	Paraso	United Methodist Church	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Methodist
AS	Dr	Janice	Tsang	Anglican Church in Hong Kong (not a WCC member	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
				church)						
CA	Rev.	Judith	Johnson-Grant	Jamaica Baptist Union	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Baptist
EU	Rev.	Stavros	Kofinas	Ecumenical Patriarchate	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
	Protopresbyter									
EU	Ms	Arpi	Kouzounian	Armenian Apostolic Church (Mother See of Holy Etchmiadzin)	F	L	Ν	N	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
EU	Prof. Dr	Mats	Målqvist	Church of Sweden	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
EU	Rev.	Sergio	Manna	Waldensian Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
EU	Mrs	Margarita	Nelyubova	Russian Orthodox Church (Moscow Patiarchate)	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Dr	Gisela	Schneider	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	United and Uniting
EU	Mrs	Daniela	Visan	Romanian Orthodox Church	F	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
LA	Ms	Lorena	Bonilla Garcia	Arbeitsgemeinschaft Mennonitischer Gemeinden in	F	L	Y	Ν	N	HPC and Moravians
		Catalina		Deutschland						
ME	Rev.	Sally	Azar	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan & the Holy Land	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
ME	Fr	Moussa	Wahib	Coptic Orthodox Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Oriental

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NA	Dr	David	Barstow	Presbyterian Church (USA)	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
NA	Rev.	Miriam J.	Burnett	African Episcopal Methodist Church	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Methodist
NA	Ms	Kathy	Griffith	United Methodist Church	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Methodist
NA	Rev. Dr	Peter	Kuhnert	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
NA	Sister	Melinda	Lando	Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	Lutheran
PA	Rev.	Maleta	Tenten	Kiribati Uniting Church	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
		Kutimeni								

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# VII. Joint Working Group between the WCC and the Roman Catholic Church

Initiated in 1965 after the Second Vatican Council, the Joint Working Group fosters mutual understanding and collaboration between the WCC and the Roman Catholic Church. Visible unity of the Church remains the goal of the ecumenical endeavour. It is to be explored in doctrinal reflections and dialogues, anticipated in joint action and experienced through participation in common prayer and the spiritual life of each other in helpful and appropriate ways. The Joint Working Group is comprised of two teams of equal size representing WCC member churches and the Roman Catholic Church. The leadership includes two comoderators, one from the WCC and one from the Roman Catholic Church. The central committee elects the members and co-moderator representing the WCC.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Most Rev.	Georges	Titre Ande	Province de L'Eglise Anglicane du Congo	Μ	L	Ν	Ν	Ν	Anglican
AS	Rev. Dr	Junghyung	Kim	Presbyterian Church of Korea	М	L	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
AS	Rt Rev.	Te Kitohi	Pikaahu	Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia	М	L	Ν	Y	N	Anglican
CA	Very Rev. Dr	Yvette	Noble	United Church in Jamaica and the Cayman Islands	F	L	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
		Maud	Bloomfield							
EU	Prof. Rev. Dr	Bo Kristian	Holm	Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark	Μ	Ц	Ν	Ν	Ν	Lutheran
EU	Prof. Dr	Rebekka	Klein	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	United and Uniting
EU	Prof. Dr	Marina	Kolovopoulou	Church of Greece	F	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
EU	Archpriest	lgor	Vyzhanov	Russian Orthodox Church (Moscow Patriarchate)	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Eastern
NA	H.E. Archbishop Dr	Vicken	Aykazian	Armenian Apostolic Church (Mother See of Etchmiadzin)	М	L	N	Ν	Ν	Orthodox Oriental
NA	Rev.	Mark	Pettis	United Church of Christ	Μ	L	Ν	N	N	United and Uniting

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## VIII. Joint Consultative Group between the WCC and Pentecostal Churches

The Joint Consultative Group is a platform for discussion, mutual encouragement, understanding and cooperation between Pentecostal churches and member churches of the World Council of Churches (WCC). The Harare Assembly (1998) established the Joint Consultative Group, recognizing the growing need to consolidate existing relations and create new ones; to initiate study on issues of common interest, to explore different forms of participation; and to encourage collaboration. The Porto Alegre Assembly (2006) recognized "the visible contribution of the Pentecostal churches in the dynamically changing Christian landscape, and the importance to the ecumenical movement of engaging in mutual learning and sustained dialogue with the Pentecostal churches".

The Joint Working Group is comprised of two teams of equal size representing WCC member churches and Pentecostal churches. The leadership includes two co-moderators, one from the WCC and one from the Pentecostal churches. The central committee elects the members and co-moderator representing the WCC.

Region	Title	First Name	Last Name	Member Church	G	L/0	Yth	IP	EDAN	Church Family
AF	Rev. Dr	<b>Gustav Fredrich</b>	Claassen	Dutch Reformed Church	М	0	Ν	Ν	Ν	Reformed
AS	Rev.	Hanho	Kim	Presbyterian Church of Korea	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Reformed
EU	Fr	Joseph	Gobran	Coptic Orthodox Church	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Oriental
EU	Rev. Dr	David	Hilborn	Church of England	Μ	0	Ν	Ν	N	Anglican
EU	Prof. Dr	Claudia	Jahnel	Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland	F	0	Ν	Ν	N	United and Uniting
EU	Rev. Dr	Daniel	Dascalu	Romanian Orthodox Church	М	0	Ν	Ν	N	Orthodox Eastern
NA	Rev. Dr	Jennifer	Leath	African Methodist Episcopal Church Zion	F	0	N	Ν	N	Methodist

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