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Anna Sinkevich is an Evenki from Krasnoyarsk, Russian Federation.

Anna has graduated from the Peoples' Friendship University of Russia (RUDN University) with a Master's Degree in International Relations.

Anna is an active participant in the youth movement of indigenous peoples in the Russian Federation. Her interests embrace the development of indigenous youth's capacities, the protection of indigenous communities' traditional knowledge, and human rights promotion.



Anna is a former alumnus of the OHCHR's Indigenous Fellowship Programme and the UNITAR's Training Programme to Enhance the Conflict Prevention and Peacemaking Capacities of Indigenous Peoples' Representatives. She has participated in the UN Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, as well as in global and national events on indigenous peoples' rights. Most recently, she has been working as an intern at the UN Country Team in the Russian Federation.

Anna is also concerned about the preservation of indigenous languages, especially by the younger generation, and has actively participated in a number of forums and conferences in this area.

She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Chinese Language and Literature from Harbin Institute of Technology, China, with experience in Russian-Chinese translation.