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Myanmar's Representative to the ACWC for Children's Rights

Rupar Mya is the Deputy Director of Department of Social Welfare at the Ministry of Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement of Myanmar. She started her career in the Ministry in the Divisional Social Welfare Office, which was responsible for supervising preschools and voluntary training school for orphanages. She then later on transferred to the Social Welfare Training School serving as an Assistant Lecturer to train department staffs and voluntary social workers. In addition to her work as a Government Official, she was actively engaged in various activities related to children namely the awareness raising workshops on CRC and child protection as facilitator to community leaders, township CRC committee and voluntary organization member and Township Committee of the Rights of the Child (TCRC) mobilizing and community based Child Protection System with the UNICEF as a project manager. Rupar Mya was appointed as the ASEAN Commission on the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of Women and Children (ACWC) Representative for Children's Rights from Myanmar in 2011.