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The Permanent Forum emphasizes the essential role of Indigenous Peoples' languages and cultural practices in self-determination and urges Member States to adopt stronger measures to protect them from erosion and loss. The Forum decries the ongoing destruction of cultural heritage sites and the loss of Indigenous Peoples' languages, urging immediate protective measures through robust legal and policy frameworks aligned with the Declaration.

Area of Work

Autonomy and Self-determination, Indigenous Languages