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Lunch Conversation: Carrying Out an International Human Rights Investigation

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LUNCH CONVERSATION

CARRYING OUT AN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS INVESTIGATION

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2024

12:45 P.M.—1:45 P.M.

Lunch will be provided to those
who register.

BOARDROOM (W204)

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This is an in-person
event. Live-streaming
will not be available.

Bringing human rights abuses to light and holding responsible those who allegedly ordered or carried them out starts with an investigation. How does a human rights group decide whether to look into alleged abuses? What broad steps does it take to prepare for an investigation? How do investigators collect evidence and take eyewitnesses' testimonies? And what considerations are involved when putting together an official report?



**Michael Garcia
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Michael Garcia Bochenek—senior counsel to the Children's Rights Division of Human Rights Watch, and lead author of several investigative reports, including *Like We Were Just Animals* in 2023 concerning Croatia's policy of pushing back asylum seekers to Bosnia and Herzegovina—will discuss these questions and others during this lunch conversation.

Lecture Chair: Ruti G. Teitel, Ernst C. Stiefel Professor of Comparative Law at New York Law School; Director, Center for International Law and the Institute for Global Law, Justice, and Policy; and author of *Humanity's Law* (Oxford University Press, 2013).

