



## **MONACO**

- 1. Monaco is a country in Europe that has gender equality issues. Now that the parliament is now composed of 33.3% women. It only signifies that the country is slowly adapting to change in terms of the women's rights as of Feb 2021. However, there is a gender gap in the statistics that the country is working on to identify the accuracy of growth and changes that is essential for achieving gender-related SDG commitments in Monaco.
- 2. In line with current issue regarding the war. Prince of Monaco Albert II stated that, the Principality of Monaco disagrees with the Russian Federation's decision to invade Ukraine, at the same time the county affirms its support for Ukraine by joining the 141 countries condemning the Russian attacks.
- 3. The country affirms support to Ukraine in alliance of 141 countries. The Principality also called for the continuation of debate and diplomatic negotiations, while appreciating the courage shown by the Ukrainian people and their leaders.

The country also convened a debate regarding war and human rights last March 3 and 4, 2022 in the UN Human Rights Council. The ambassador at the same time the permanent Representative, Carole Lanteri, at the United Nations Office in Geneva, called on all parties involved in the conflict to respect human rights and international humanitarian law. The independent international commission of inquiry assumes responsibility to investigate, collect and preserve evidence of violations of human rights and international humanitarian law.

## Resources

- -https://www.monaco-tribune.com/en/2022/03/war-in-ukraine-monaco-speaks-out-on-the-international-stage/
- -https://data.unwomen.org/country/Monaco
- -https://www.architectural digest.com/story/monaco-becoming-unexpected-leader-sustainability