Head of Delegation - Stephen Goose, director of Human Rights Watch’s arms division and a general expert on arms. Goose and Human Rights Watch were instrumental in bringing about the 1997 Mine Ban Treaty, the 1995 protocol banning blinding lasers, the 2003 protocol on explosive remnants of war, and the 2008 Convention on Cluster Munitions. He and Human Rights Watch co-founded the International Campaign to Ban Landmines, which received the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize. Before joining Human Rights Watch in 1993, Goose was a staff member of the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and a researcher at the Center for Defense Information.

Executive Director of ICBL-CMC - Sylvie joined the Nobel Peace Prize-winning International Campaign to Ban Landmines in 2001. Passionate about humanitarian disarmament, she worked for many years closely with national campaigns to universalize the Mine Ban Treaty and ensure its implementation. Sylvie then worked on the merger of the ICBL with the Cluster Munition Coalition. Sylvie feels privileged to work with so talented and dedicated campaigners around the world. Particularly inspired by the role of survivors and youth in the global movement for humanitarian disarmament, she is convinced that the partnership between civil society and states is one of the most powerful for change.

ICBL Ambassador - Jody Williams was the Founding Coordinator of the ICBL’s was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1997 for her work to ban landmines through the International Campaign to Ban Landmines, which shared the Peace Prize with her. She is one of only eleven women to have received the prize and only the third woman in the U.S. Since her protests of the Vietnam War, she has been a life-long advocate of freedom, self-determination and human and civil rights – Professor Williams continues to be recognized for her contributions to human rights and global security.

ICBL Ambassador - Margaret Arach Orech lost her leg to a landmine in 1998 in Uganda and has ever since lobbyist tirelessly for the assistance of landmine survivors and persons with disabilities at the international, regional and national levels. While volunteering and supporting her family she works promoting survivors’ needs and rights as an ICBL Ambassador, Director of the Uganda Landmine Survivors Association (ULSA), a Commissioner to the Interfaith Action for Peace in Africa (IFAPA) coalition, a board member of Uganda’s National Council for Disability (NCD) and a partner to the Uganda Mine Action Center.
ICBL Ambassador - Tun Channareth is since 1993 a passionate advocate for a ban of the weapon that cost him his legs. In 1997, he received the Nobel Peace Prize on ICBL’s behalf. Mr. Channareth is the co-founder and an active member of the Campaign to Ban Landmines in Cambodia. He lives in Siem Reap, Cambodia, with his family and makes wheelchairs for his fellows while overseeing various income generating projects for landmine victims and other persons with disabilities. He continues its advocacy efforts at the international level for a mine-free world.

India - Ambassador Sing Satnam has served as a diplomatic advisor for the ICBL since early 2004, when he expressed his interest in helping the campaign reach out to the countries around the world. His commitment to rid the world of the horror of antipersonnel landmines also comes from his personal experience with the weapon, having lost a leg to a landmine while serving in the Indian military. His first hand experiences as a landmine survivor coupled with his skills as a diplomat have been a great asset for the campaign.

Mozambique - Luis Silvestre Wamusse, national coordinator of RAVIM, is himself a landmine survivor. He co-founded RAVIM in 2005, following the First Review Conference on the Mine Ban Treaty in December 2004. RAVIM is the only local NGO specifically dedicated to improving the living conditions of landmine victims.

Mozambique – Albino Forquilha is the Executive Director and founder of Fomicres, a peacebuilding organization created in order to promote civic reconciliatory education among community members.

Argentina – Maria Pia Devoto is a national ICBL campaigner and Country Researcher for the Monitor. In addition, she also is one of the Directors of the Public Policy Association (Associacion para Politicas Publicas - APP), an organization created in 2003 that aims to promote more transparence and efficacy into Government’s policy.
**Bosnia and Herzegovina - Amir Mujanovic** is the Director of Landmine Survivors Initiatives (Inicijative preživjelih od mina), a local non-governmental organization that started its work in Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH) in 1997. He also is an active campaigner and Country Researcher for the Monitor.

**Canada - Paul Hannon** is the Executive Director of Mines Action Canada (MAC); the Canadian member of the International Campaign to Ban Landmines and represents MAC on the governance structure of the ICBL-CMC. MAC is a coalition of over 40 Canadian organizations that have worked domestically and internationally to raise government support for bans on landmines and cluster munitions.

**Colombia - Alvaro Jimenez** is an active ICBL campaigner, the National Coordinator of the Colombian Campaign to Ban Landmines (Campana Colombiano Contra Minas – CCCM) as well as a Country Researcher for the Monitor.

**Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) - Francky Miantuala** is the founder and coordinator of the Congolese Campaign to Ban Landmines (CCBL) which is an organization of several other NGOs in the DRC that provide assistance for landmine victims and other persons with disabilities in the DRC. Mr. Miantuala campaigned for many years for the implementation of the Mine Ban Treaty, the universalization of the Convention on Cluster Munitions and other disarmament regimes.

**Egypt - Ayman Sorour** is the Director of Protection, an Egyptian NGO. He played a key role in banning landmines in many countries in the Middle East. His language skills have represented significant added value for the ICBL’s efforts to address the Arab-speaking countries, where a significant number of states have still not prohibited the use of landmines. Sorour is on the Board of Directors of the ICBL and promises to continue its outreach efforts in order to bring every country in the Middle East to accede to the Mine Ban Treaty.
**El Salvador – Jesus Martinez** is the Director of the Fundación Red de Sobrevivientes y Personas con Discapacidad El Salvador. He lost his legs to a landmine in his country, which has made him a strong advocate for a mine-free world and for the promotion of landmine survivors and other persons with disabilities’ rights. He campaigned for many years all around the world to promote the Mine Ban Treaty and is fully committed to continue its advocacy efforts.

**Ethiopia – Bekele Gonfa Oba** is the Executive Director of the Survivors Recovery and Rehabilitation Organization (SRaRO). Mr. Gonfa lost a leg in a mine incident in his country and has ever since defended the rights of his peers. His organization, SRaRO supports and works for the empowerment of landmine victims and other persons with disabilities. He has the status of national campaigner, focal point for victim assistance and researcher for the ICBL-CMC and Landmine Monitor.

**Lebanon – Habbouba Aoun** coordinates the Landmines Resource Centre in Beirut and does the Landmine Monitor report on Lebanon.

**Myanmar – Thant Zin** is a Member of Myanmar Campaign to Ban Landmines’ Executive Committee.

**Senegal – Mamady Gassama** is a researcher for the Landmine and Cluster Munitions Monitor and the co-founder of the Senegalese Association of victims of mines (ASVM) that has today expanded to over 400 members, nearly half of all landmine survivors in Senegal. ASVM promotes the rehabilitation and integration of victims, fight against the threat of mines and informs the population on the risks posed by landmines. Mr. Gassama lost his right leg in a mine accident in Casamance. He was an example and helped to relay the voice of survivors to the international community.
**Serbia – Jelena Vicentic** is the Head of Assistance Advocacy Access – Serbia and a Country Researcher for the Monitor.

**Somalia – Dahir Abdirahman Abdulle** is national campaigner, a Country researcher for the Monitor and the Director of the Somalia Coalition to Ban Landmines (SOCBAL) and

**South Sudan – Lou Geoffrey** Duke has campaigned for many years for the implementation of the Mine Ban Treaty in Southern Sudan and the universalization of the Treaty. He is the Team Leader of the Secretariat of South Sudan Action Network on Small Arms (SSANSA), which is a network of more than 40 organizations that was created to facilitate the work of national civil society organizations to protect the population from armed violence through prevention and fight against the proliferation and misuse of small arms and light weapons in South Sudan, the region and beyond.

**Sri Lanka – Vidya Abhayagunawardena** is a campaigner for the Sri Lanka campaign to ban landmines and an independent researcher in socio-economic development. His work and research are very diversified from local governance, peace and conflict resolution, gender, youth and development, language rights, election monitoring to media advocacy.

**Sudan – Sami Ibrahim**, ICBL campaigner and Executive Committee member of JASMAR Human Security Organization.
Thailand - Shushira Chonhenchob is an active campaigner and the Programme and Advocacy Officer for Norwegian’s People Aid (NPA), Thailand

Turkey – Muteber Ögreten is a national campaigner, Country Researcher for the Monitor and the Head of the Initiative for a Mine Free Turkey.

Yemen – Mohammed Eishah Saeed Nalh is the president of the Yemen Mine Awareness Association and a prominent activist. Mrs. Nalh campaigned for over ten years nationally and globally through the ICBL. She supported the associations of victims, in addition to its outreach efforts and mine risk education in Yemen and continues to push for the implementation of the Mine Ban Treaty, the accession of Yemen to the Convention on Cluster Munitions, and the promotion of the rights of mine victims and other persons with disabilities.

Zambia – Dr. Robert Mtonga is the co-president of the International Association of Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War (IPPNW), and a member of the Board of Directors of the ICBL. Dr. Mtonga was an ICBL’s leader since the 1990s. As a physician, he helped to highlight the humanitarian impact of landmines and other indiscriminate weapons.

Zimbabwe – Frederick Sadomba is faculty member of the Zimbabwe Open University and an active member of the ICBL. Zimbabwe still has many years to complete the clearance of its territory. Mr. Sadomba will continue campaigning for the full and rapid implementation of the Mine Ban Treaty in Zimbabwe.