



Structured Analytical Techniques : Issue Redefinition



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Initial Question: Is the increasing number of African women judges in international judicial bodies disrupting precedent?

Rephrased Question: Is the increasing number of African women judges in international judicial bodies **disturbing** precedent?

Why Questions:

Why would the increased number of African women judges in international judicial bodies disturb precedent?

- Because many have a feminist orientation that is critical of the current precedent's ability to address women's issues.

Why would the increased number of African women judges with feminist orientations disturb precedent in international judicial bodies?

- Because their questioning is more likely to include gender-specific issues

Why would a line of questioning including gender-specific issues disturb precedent in international judicial bodies?

- Because it suggests new or expanded prosecutions

Synthesize:

Many African women judges have feminist orientations and may include gender-specific issues within their lines of questioning that suggest new or expanded prosecutions

Broad Questions:

Is the increasing number of African women judges disturbing precedent in **judicial bodies**?

Is the increasing number of **women** judges in international judicial bodies disturbing precedent?

Is the increasing number of African Women judges in international judicial bodies disturbing **decisions**?

Narrow Questions:

Are **Ugandan** women judges disturbing precedent in international judicial bodies?

Is the increasing number of women judges in the **African Court on Human and Peoples Rights** disturbing precedent?

Is the increasing number of African Women judges in international judicial bodies disturbing **precedent regarding sexual violence**?

Redirected Questions:

How is the increasing number of African women judges disturbing precedent in international judicial bodies?

What kinds of African women judges are disturbing precedents in international judicial bodies?

To what extent has the increasing number of African women judges disturbed precedent in international judicial bodies?

When did the increasing number of African women judges on international judicial bodies start disturbing precedent?

180° Question:

Is the increasing number of African Women judges in international judicial bodies **reinforcing** precedent?