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WIDE+ Solidarity Message for International Women's Day 2022



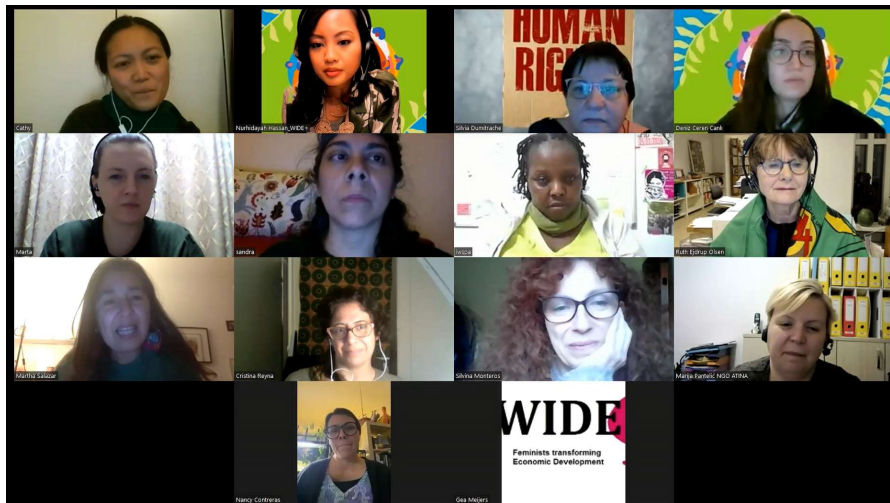
We are living in turbulent times in which crises are piling up, and our dreams for feminist-based economies and societies seem at times more difficult to reach. However, International Women's Day shows us the huge strength that comes from collective feminist activism, nationally and transnationally. On this day we express our determination and international solidarity.

We can only overcome the deep and structural inequalities, discriminations, violence and oppression if we together stand up for human rights for all. Women's rights, migrant, undocumented, refugee women and girls rights, rights of LGBTQI* persons are human rights.

We stand by our partners and members in their fight for their rights, across the world. We would like to express our solidarity with particular struggles that are faced by feminist activists, our partners, and members of our network.

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Sustainability & Gender Equality: #IWD2022 Message from WIDE+ Migration & Gender WG



To commemorate this year's International Women's Day, WIDE+ Migration and Gender Working Group put together a [video](#) with some messages around the themes of migration, gender, and sustainability. Together, the group highlighted the leadership of migrant women in Europe and beyond, and how migrant women need to be meaningfully included in all stages of policy processes for a sustainable future.

Gea Meijers, the coordinator of WIDE+, argues that climate negotiations among states keep excluding women and gender nonconforming persons such as rural and indigenous women, migrant workers and refugee women - this needs to urgently change. Martha Salazar from [Wo-Mi](#) urges us to pay attention to the inherent power structures that influence access, control, and distribution of resources. Marija Pantelić from [NGO Atina](#) echoes these sentiments with her message that when women make decisions, the environment benefits. Jennifer Kamau of [International Women* Space](#) reminds us that migrant rights are human rights, and women's rights are human rights - there is no climate justice without migrant and gender justice! 🍌🍌🍌🍌



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