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Do you have any suggestions of what to share with members? Email us at: info@wide-network.org.

Webseminar Recordings on Intersectional Feminist Approach now Available on YouTube

In case you missed the first two webinar of the 'Implementing an Intersectional Feminism Approach' series organized by WIDE+ and the Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung. You can view the recording: the Intergenerational Feminist Dialogue. It was an insightful conversation between young feminists, Twasiima Birgirwa, from FRIDA and Marlize Andre, from International Women Space, and the eminent feminist mentor Srilatha Batliwala from CREA. The event was moderated by Silke Steinhilber, WIDE+ member and also an activist researcher on transformative feminist policies.
You can view the recording: **Racism, Classism and Gender discrimination intersectional feminist approach in strategy and analysis.** This seminar provided a deep and diverse reflection from **Eleonora Roldán Mendívil** who is a political scientist, educator and journalist based in Germany working on racism, sexism, and class; **Vashti Rebong**, leader of the "Forging Intersectional Feminist Futures (FIFF)" at International Women’s Rights Action Watch Asia Pacific (IWRAW-Asia Pacific); **Farah Salka**, Executive Director of the Anti-Racism Movement in Lebanon and **Ruth Pión**, an Afro-Caribbean activist, researcher in anthropolpgy and co-founder of the anti-racist and decolonial collective Junta de Prietas. It was moderated by **Jelena Lenggenhager**, experienced moderator and teacher, caucus member of WIDE+, and board member of WIDE Switzerland.

**Upcoming WIDE+ Webinars in November:**

- "Joint Strategies of LGBTQI* Rights & Feminisms", 30 Nov, 1:30 PM -3:00 PM CET. Register [here](#).

**Webinar on WTO, Health and food for women available too**

Listen here to "**Food Sovereignty & Health for All Women Worldwide, How the EU is Blocking It In the WTO**", organized by Forum Umwelt und Entwicklung, WIDE+, WO=MEN, Anders Handeln, Gender Trade Coalition and Seattle to Brussels Network.

**MEMBERS AND PARTNERS NEWS**

**Webinar on Asylum Procedure in Serbia by Atina, 6**
**December**

WIDE+ Member, [NGO Atina](#) is organizing a webinar on the topic of the asylum procedure in Serbia and recommendations from the GREVIO Committee to Serbia. This webinar will be held on **December 6**. At the moment, the webinar is only in Serbian, but if there is significant interest from the network to join the webinar, English translation can be made available. Please email Marija Pantelić at marija.pantelic@atina.org.rs if you are keen to attend this webinar.

**Online Conference on Positive changes for migrant, refugees and victims of trafficking by Atina, 29 November**

Atina will also organize the online conference “Positive changes in the lives of women and girls migrants, refugees and asylum seekers - victims of human trafficking and gender-based violence”, on November 29, 2021, 12 PM CET via Zoom platform (in English and Serbian).

[https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_6Mbwh8cZTk-q4MNFadA-GA](https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_6Mbwh8cZTk-q4MNFadA-GA). You can register here, after which you will automatically receive an email with the link to join the event.

**"We Want Real Zero Emissions": Statement on COP26 by Alianza Por La Solidaridad (in Spanish)**

After a week of negotiations at the 26th Conference of Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change in Glasgow, Scotland, or known as COP26, there have not been any real commitments to reducing emissions, and on the contrary, financing of fossil fuels continues. Isabel Iparraguirre, coordinator of Ecological Transition and Innovation at Alianza Por La Solidaridad-Action Aid, points out that efforts appear to be a "greenwashing operation". Read Alianza's full statement (in Spanish) on COP26 [here](#).
New publication "Gender, Climate and Biodiversity" (in Dutch)

WIDE+ member WO=MEN has published with ActionAid, BothENDS and WECF this report that provides recommendations for the Dutch government on how to engender climate justice policies: [https://www.wo-men.nl/kb-bestanden/1635779670.pdf](https://www.wo-men.nl/kb-bestanden/1635779670.pdf).

New Podcast series Women Resisting Violence in Latin America, starting today

Latin America Bureau and King’s College London release today a brand new podcast series, based on Latin American women's extraordinary experiences of supporting one another and mitigating gender-based violence in Guatemala, Brazil and the UK. WIDE+ member Patricia Muñoz Cabrera is part of the organizing committee.

Latin America has one of the highest rates of violence against women and femicide in the world. This incidence has increased during the coronavirus pandemic. Latin American women’s organisations are actively resisting and mitigating this violence with multiple strategies. Through collective action they commemorate the dead and care for the living, through arts they draw attention, through protest and lobbying they denounce and forge change.

The podcast will be available in English, Spanish, and Portuguese on all podcast platforms.

25 November: Women Resisting Violence: 1. Mourning the 56 in Guatemala

2 December: Women Resisting Violence: 2. Rio’s Trailblazing Women’s House
9 December: Women Resisting Violence: 3. Step Up Migrant Women

GENERAL NEWS

Feminists, Indigenous Activists from the Global South Excluded From COP26

Peasant women, together with environmental defenders and climate activists, join the Global Day of Action for Climate Justice in the Philippines on November 6

Feminists and grassroots women were excluded at the COP26, according to the Asia Pacific Forum on Women, Law and Development (APWLD). Due to strict restrictions in entering the UK, notably restrictions on approved vaccines, many feminist organizations from the Global South have been unable to join the summit. This restriction ignores vaccine inequity which has been entrenched by the neoliberal capitalistic system that has enabled richer countries in having greater access to vaccines. Read APWLD's full statement here.

Gender Based Violence in Supply Chains, webinar by Action Aid

80 percent of all female workers in Bangladesh's textile industry experience violence at work. Unfortunately, such percentages are the rule rather than the exception in the production chains of our clothing and utensils. In an interactive ActionAid webinar, our international colleagues provide insights and recommendations. It is led by Britt Myren
of Atria, with guest speakers Laura Hurtado, director of ActionAid Guatemala, and Juvience Chalwe of Green & Justice from Zambia.

Date and time: Tuesday December 7, 19.30 CET
Language: English
Register here

Publication by WEDO: Guide to Strengthening Gender Integration in Climate Finance Projects

This guide is designed for project teams preparing, designing, implementing and monitoring climate finance projects in developing countries under the four primary multilateral climate funds—the Adaptation Fund (AF), Climate Investment Funds (CIFs), Global Environment Facility (GEF) and Green Climate Fund (GCF)—as well as for those overseeing the approaches of project teams. Download the guide here.

Call for Papers by the Anti-Trafficking Review: Migration, Sexuality and Gender Identity

This special issue will bridge the fields of queer, migration, and critical trafficking studies in order to address the intersections and imbrications of transactional sex, LGBTQI+ identities and politics, and discourses of migration and human trafficking. In addition to full-length conceptual, research-

Report by GIWPS: Women, Peace and Security Index 2021/22


A Feminist Plan for Sustainability and Social Justice by UN Women

Taken from the report, "Beyond COVID-19: A Feminist Plan for Sustainability and Social Justice", page 16

The 'Feminist Plan' maps the ambitious and transformative policies on livelihoods, care, and the environment that are needed to build a more equal and sustainable future. The plan
based, or case study thematic papers, short, blog-style articles related to the issue’s theme are welcomed. Contributions from queer migrants (including refugees, victims of trafficking, sex workers and others) and community advocates are highly encouraged.

identifies key levers that can create change and the actors at global, national, and local levels that need to take action to move towards this vision. Read more about the plan and other resources here.