



VOICES OF RESOLUTION 1325

Women - Peace - Participation

20 years ago, on 31 October 2000, Resolution 1325 was adopted by the UN Security Council under the slogan of 'Women - Peace - Security'. In the Resolution, the Security Council acknowledges the disproportionate impact that conflict has on women and stresses the crucial role women play at all levels of conflict resolution and prevention.

At the same time it urges all Member States to integrate the idea of gender equality as well as measures regarding gender-specific issues into their security policy and conflict management efforts. This includes a more active participation of women in political decision-making.

SCHEDULE

The 20th anniversary of the adoption of United Nations Security Council Resolution [1325](#) is certainly a moment to celebrate. At the same time we have to admit that we are far from the finish line. The resolution is considered a milestone for gender equality and has been supplemented by nine additional resolutions ([1820](#), [1888](#), [1889](#), [1960](#), [2106](#), [2122](#), [2242](#), [2467](#), [2493](#)).

As the title suggests, the event will focus on opportunities for women's participation in this policy. How does this theoretical framework affect the situation on site? Is the implementation process in line with the agenda's ambition? Are we looking back on a two-decade success story or is the progress rather sobering to look at?

Shabka wants to address these issues critically and offers a platform for 'Voices' that too often are not heard. The speakers will share their experiences and perspectives on their work.

We are excited to welcome you on November 12th and looking forward to an inspiring discussion.

Registration for the event is not required, those interested can, however, write an email to rebecca.trixa@shabka.org to receive reminder emails. The link for participating in the Zoom-event will be announced on [Facebook](#) as well as on shabka.org.

Place: Zoom
Date: November 12th, 2020
Time: 5 p.m. (UTC+1)



4:50 p.m.
Zoom-Room will be opened

5:00 p.m.
Welcoming and Introduction

5:10 p.m.
(10-12 minutes each)

Keynote I: South Caucasus: role of civil society and new escalation in Nagorno Karabakh

Keynote II: Implementing the WPS Agenda in South Sudan

Keynote III: Peacebuilding Through Health Care During a Pandemic

5:45 p.m.
Moderator's questions

6:00 p.m.
30 minutes Q/A with the audience

6:30 p.m.
Closing remarks



After the event, the audience can stay in the virtual zoom room to network with the other participants.

SPEAKERS



Nothando Maphalala is a policy and advocacy consultant and has worked as Femwise Mediation and Advocacy Officer at the African Union Mission in South Sudan, Juba.

Keynote:

Implementing the Women, Peace, Security Agenda in South Sudan



Julia Kharashvili is member of The High Level Advisory Group for Global Study on the impact of UNSC resolution 1325 (HLAG). She is Chairperson of IDP Women Association 'Consent' and has worked for the Ministry of IDPs from Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees of Georgia and the UN Development Program, among others.

Keynote:

South Caucasus: role of civil society and new escalation in Nagorno Karabakh



Erika Wichro is a Medical Doctor, International Public Health Expert and CEO at Peacebuilding and Partners Sarl. She has worked in health emergency situations such as Ebola, Polio and Measles for the WHO and the European Commission in numerous countries like Afghanistan, Syria, Ghana and Sierra Leone. [Honored member of IAOTP.](#)

Keynote:

Peacebuilding Through Health Care During a Pandemic

MODERATION



Andrea Warnecke is a Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellow at the Department of International Politics. She worked as a senior researcher at the Bonn International Center for Conversion (BICC), at the Austrian Study Center for Peace and Conflict Resolution (ASPR) and at the Institute for Oriental Studies and Asian Studies (IOA). In 2014 she was a visiting researcher at the Asia-Pacific Center for the Responsibility to Protect. Her research projects covered the topics of peacebuilding, peace operations, development, and conflict resolution as well as involuntary migration and diaspora politics.