

# THE FEMINIST AND WOMEN'S MOVEMENT ACTION PLAN

Look at the World Through Women's Eyes

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## Quick Quiz







### Women's movement and the UN

From the very founding of the United Nations in 1945, the women's movements for peace and democracy strongly supported the UN charter and Declaration of Human rights. We pushed for --and succeeded --to create the UN Commission on the Status of Women (1946). Our demands resulted in the UN women's conferences held in Mexico (1975), Copenhagen (1980), Nairobi (1985)And Beijing (1995). We were the movers and shakers that created UN Women in 1990, UN Security Council resolution #1325 and human rights bodies.

In 2020 during Beijing + 25 and UN 75, let us celebrate these achievements and the extraordinary power of the feminist and women's movements to ensure that the UN works for equality, sustainable development and peace for all, leaving no one behind. But let us also work towards a transformative framework, a feminist and women's movement action plan and coalitions to address the crises of our times such as climate change, illiberal democracies and the persistent discrimination and violence against women.



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The feminist and women's movements can use Beijing + 25 to advance a Feminist and Women's Movement Action Plan

We must leverage the power of global consensus and binding legal obligations for accountability:

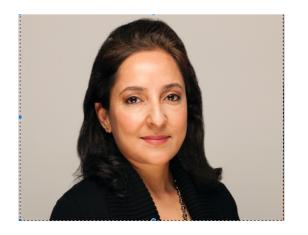
- Beijing Platform for Action
- Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) and other human rights treaties
  - The sustainable development goals (SDGS)

We can break down silos, build a transformative framework and build new alliances and solidarity as well as develop an action plan and feminist action coalitions



## WHO? The Drivers

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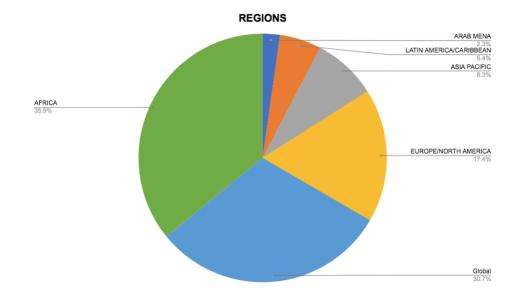
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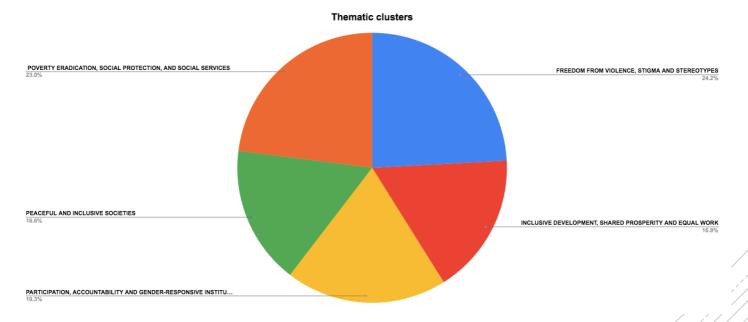
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## The fwMAP TEAM

## **Editing committee +**

4100 registered so far (May 1, 2020)







## 6 thematic clusters

- Inclusive development, shared prosperity and decent work
- Poverty eradication, social protection and social services
- Freedom from violence, stigma and stereotypes
- Participation, accountability and gender-responsive institutions
- Peaceful and inclusive societies
- Environmental conservation, protection and rehabilitation
- CROSS-CUTTING: human rights, health, and climate change



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Stage I DISCOVER and Reclaim treasures of past commitments to find HOPE – study BPfA, CEDAW and SDGs

\*\*university/teach-ins to build curriculums for public mobilizations

Stage II Virtual conference and **DIALOGUES** with your NGOs to build alliances, identify strategies about how to shape an action plan and find **Courage** 

Stage III Take our **DEMANDS** to the UN General Assembly. Build new alliances so we can **DELIVER** and stand **Strong** together

Stage IV 2021 to 2030. Evaluate and INNOVATE for Impact



## WHAT ARE Guidelines for ACTION COALITIONS?

There should diverse action coalitions. You can create your own partnerships in your village, city, state and country

#### **Suggested Guidelines:**

- 1, Be open, welcoming, inclusive of the wide diversity of the feminist and women's movements, creative, action-oriented and brave
- 2. Commit to the entire range of women's human rights including the right to bodily integrity, personal autonomy/security and a healthy planet
  - 3. Prioritize actions that are grounded in UN global consensus and binding legal obligations with cross-cutting impact across many thematic areas.
    - 4. Build new and sustainable alliances across social movements
    - 5. Aim for actions to be time-bound, resourced, with measurable results
- 6. Innovate for impact with trusted partners: government (village, city or state and country), UN, philanthropy (includes individuals and private sector), cultural innovators/communications



# HOW DOES THIS RELATE TO THE GENERATION EQUALITY FORUMS and UN75?

## **BUILDING MOMENTUM**

2019 Beijing + 25 national reviews

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(2019-2020) Regional civil society stakeholders Forums Feminist and Women's Movement Action Plan

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July 2020 High Level Political Forum (SDGs)

September 2020 UNGA High-Level meeting

**CSW** 65 Evaluation and renewal



**2021** Mexico: General Equality Forum



**2021** Paris: Generation Equality Forum



2021-2030 Innovation for Impact



# What has happened so far? Virtual conferences RECORDINGS are available at www.ngocsw.org

- Jan 7 Inclusive development, shared prosperity and decent work
- Jan 21 Poverty eradication, social protection and social services
- Feb 4 Freedom from violence, stigma and stereotypes
- Feb 18 Participation, accountability and gender-responsive institutions
- Feb 25 Peaceful and inclusive societies
- March 3 Environmental conservation, protection and rehabilitation
- CROSS-CUTTING: human rights, health, climate change and girl-child



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# Thank you for your Beijing+25 energy!

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