



RESTART, REVIVE AND REBUILD: TAKING INSPIRATION FROM 2020 FOR PEACE AND EQUALITY

A SIDE EVENT OF CSW64

THURSDAY 12 MARCH 2020, 10.30AM-12.30PM
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The year 2020 marks the 20th anniversary of UN Security Council Resolution 1325, as well as Beijing+25. In an increasingly uncertain and chaotic time, these landmarks can provide an anchor and help inspire action on a still ambitious and challenging agenda. But how? What new challenges exist, and how can new aspirations be built, working with survivors and activists as well as decision makers?

This event looks at how the Beijing Platform for Action and later UN Security Resolution 1325 have shaped international and national action for peace and equality. It aims to explore the impact international mechanisms have had in different contexts, and seeks to identify a roadmap for sustained progress into the next generation.

Chair: Northern Ireland Women's European Platform

Speakers:

Sarah Douglas, UN Women

Izzy Smalley, Young Women's Alliance, NAWO

Further speakers to be confirmed

Interactive discussion panel with speakers

The session will involve an interactive discussion with speakers panel is to provide an opportunity to discuss the issues raised by presenters and explore how the women, peace and security agenda can be revitalised and be used to strengthen gender responsive policy making.