



ACTION COALITION

GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

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Dear Leaders & Commitment Makers of the Action Coalition on Gender-Based Violence (GBV),

We are delighted to present to you the second edition of the Generation Equality Action Coalition on GBV newsletter for 2023.

We have now reached the midpoint of Generation Equality, marking two years since the international community joined forces in Mexico and Paris to make bold and game-changing commitments to achieve transformational results for women and girls.

In this newsletter, we are excited to showcase the recently concluded Generation Equality Midpoint moment, provide key highlights from the 2023 Accountability Report and feature inspiring progress made by commitment makers towards eliminating gender-based violence against women and girls. Additionally, we will share insights from the Action Coalition on GBV's advocacy and learning events, including those held at Women Deliver 2023 and the Commission on the Status of Women in March 2023.

We hope that you find these highlights informative and engaging. We encourage commitment makers to share updates on their work, results and forthcoming activities. We would be thrilled to hear from you. Please feel free to reach out to us at actioncoalition.gbv@unwomen.org

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From Talk to Action: Celebrating Progress on Commitments on GBV and accountability

UN Women champions historic actions at Generation Equality Midpoint 2023

Generation Equality, the world's leading initiative dedicated to advancing gender equality through increased investment and action, marked its midpoint milestone at a summit on 17 September 2023. Co-led by the governments of Tanzania and Iceland and UN Women, this event brought together over 50 speakers from more than 25 countries in the areas of activism, policy making, civil society, philanthropy, and the private sector. The summit provided a platform to reflect on achievements to date and strategizing the path forward to fulfil the initiative's ambitious commitments by 2026.

Learn more here:

- [News story of the event](#)
- [UN Web TV recording of this event](#)
- [Generation Equality Trello board with social media assets](#)
- [Generation Equality Midpoint In Focus with Stories of Impact](#)

Generation Equality AC GBV Event - Brussels

To mark the mid-point moment of Generation Equality in Brussels, the European Commission, European Women's Lobby and UN Women co-hosted a hybrid conference on 18 September

2023 to take stock of progress in implementing the commitments taken under the Action Coalition on Gender-based Violence.

Following the unique multistakeholders' methodology of the Generation Equality Forum, the event included speakers and interventions from (Accor as) private sector, Young Feminist Europe, Member States (the United Kingdom), research bodies institutions such as the Belgian National Institute for Equality between Women and Men in addition to the co-hosts.

In the current context of the global backlash on women's rights, commitment makers and action coalition leaders reiterated their drive to continue to push the agenda forward while clearly calling for stronger partnerships and synergies and also recognizing the need of increased funding for women's organizations.

The Generation Equality Accountability Report 2023 is here!

The 2023 Accountability Report provides compelling evidence that we are on a promising trajectory, with over 90 percent of reported commitments set to be realized by Generation Equality's 2026 deadline. Specifically, within the Action Coalition on Gender-Based Violence (GBV), among the 389 reported GBV commitments, 14 percent have already been

successfully completed, while 73 percent are actively progressing, with 6 percent in the planning phase and a mere 3 percent yet to commence. Commitment Makers have pledged a substantial \$5.2 billion, of which \$565 million has been secured and \$285 million effectively allocated. Furthermore, Commitment Makers are actively implementing 389 policies and over 600 programs, encompassing critical initiatives such as workplace policies addressing violence and harassment, as well as grant programs aimed at supporting women's rights organizations dedicated to combatting VAWG.

Access the [full report here](#).

ABAAD Shame on Who? Campaign: Powerful Anti-Rape Film from ABAAD Captures Silencing and Shaming of Victims

ABAAD, co-leader of the Action Coalition on GBV, in partnership with local filmmaker Leo Burnett Beirut and multi-disciplinary artist Remie Akl, launched the #NoShameNoBlame campaign to amend Chapter 7 of the Lebanese penal code, which currently allows perpetrators of sexual assault to escape punishment. The campaign was inspired by a study conducted by ABAAD, which found that 60% of women who were sexually assaulted did not report the crime because they felt ashamed or pressured not to "tarnish" their family's "honour". The film 'Dirty Laundry' poetically addresses the issue of silencing and shaming victim-survivors of rape in Lebanon and follows the launch of a webisode series hosted by Lebanon's most famous model and influencer Nour Arida, which gave voice to rape survivors and sparked an unprecedented and open conversation about the topic with four heart-wrenching testimonials. The campaign seeks to amend the unjust law pertaining to sexual assault survivors, while also disrupting the public's mind and empowering women in the Middle East. Learn more [here](#).

Las niñas lideran leading the way in GBV prevention in Guatemala

The Red Las niñas Lideran, youth leader of the Action Coalition on GBV conducted a research project called "Investigación para el cambio"

exploring the reporting process of violence cases in Guatemala. The results revealed that there was insufficient communication between state institutions and community organizations, resulting in a lack of reported cases due to fear, lack of knowledge, and emotional and financial costs. To address this issue, las Ninas lideran created a storybook called "La Gatita Lucy y su escuelita" aimed at preventing bullying amongst pre-primary school children. They also launched a campaign called "Conectadas contra la violencia" to provide information to children, adolescents, and young people on violence prevention reaching 1,709 individuals in three municipalities in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala as well as coordinating with municipal offices to provide psychological and preventive services for gender-based violence.

Moving the needle through innovation in Kazakhstan

Kazakhstan is utilizing digitalization and innovation to accelerate the delivery of its Action Coalition commitments. The Kazakhstani digital art exhibition "Behind the Door" is a social project that aims to eradicate domestic violence. The language of contemporary art tells the story of five women survivors of GBV. The art pieces created by Kazakhstani women artists are placed in blockchain format on the NFT platform, with the proceeds going to support centers for women survivors of violence. This project is a social initiative of CITIX, a Kazakhstani company that uses smart solutions and DOOH ecosystems to draw attention to topical social issues. The exhibition is organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan with the support of UN Women Kazakhstan. Read more [here](#).

Amplifying Voices- UN Trust Fund Podcasts Series

The UN Trust Fund has unveiled two powerful podcast series shedding light on violence against women and girls.

The "[Small and Mighty!](#)" Podcast Series: Launched in July 2023, this five episodes podcast series delves into the profound work

of 15 small civil society and women's rights organizations working to end violence against women and girls.

The [“Pathways to Prevention”](#) Podcast Series: This 10-episode podcast series explores the different pathways used to prevent violence against women and girls. Remarkably, this podcast series was in the top 30 in the US in the first month and featured prominently in the top 10 in different continents!

All podcasts are available on Spotify, SoundCloud, Google Podcasts, and Apple Podcasts. Check out both podcasts [here](#).

The Power of Resilience and Participation for preventing and ending violence against women and girls

The UN Trust Fund's webinar, [“Supporting civil society and women's rights organizations working to end violence against women and girls in protracted, complex and overlapping crises”](#) convened a panel of UN Trust Fund grantees and experts to explore the diverse challenges faced by women and girls worldwide and the key role of women's rights organizations, activists, and grassroots women's committees in empowering women to exercise their agency amid crises and conflicts. Read about the event [here](#).

A further webinar organized by the UN Trust Fund, [“Preventing and ending violence against women and girls living with disabilities - Lessons learned from grantees supported by the UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women”](#) explored best practices in ending violence against women and girls living with disabilities through the experiences of four UN Trust Fund grantees. Read more [here](#).

The Role of Technology in Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence

UN Women Regional Office for Asia-Pacific in partnership with the E-Safety Commissioner of Australia coordinated a learning session on technology-facilitated gender-based violence against women and girls (TF GBV) in May 2023 for commitment makers to the Action Coalition on GBV and GBV advocates in the region. This learning session reached over

200 participants and was an opportunity to strengthen understanding of GBV practitioners and advocates on the continuum of TF GBV with the broader scope of GBV; how different technologies can be used to perpetrate TF GBV and the impacts of TF GBV through an intersectional lens, looking at how different groups are affected. Further to this learning event, UN Women, in partnership with the E-Safety Commissioner of Australia, delivered three workshops for 30 practitioners in the region to strengthen their capacities on survivor-centred and trauma informed approaches to responding to TFGBV survivors as well as on the safe use of technology for service providers. Further to the success of these sessions, a new Community of Practice with the eSafety Commissioner of Australia is now being formed to enable practitioners to discuss challenges, promising practices and exchange knowledge and expertise in addressing TF GBV. This work has been possible thanks to the generous support of the Republic of Korea.

Generation Equality: The time to redistribute power and resources to girls and young feminists is now: New Report and Advocacy Tool

Developed by Purposeful, this report seeks to document the challenges faced by young individuals, particularly girls and young feminists who have been the driving force behind the Generation Equality Forum. The report further analyzes commitments that have been made and make recommendations on how to bridge the significant gap between what is and what should be. In addition, the advocacy tool provides reflections and tips for anyone wishing to advocate for more and better resources in the Generation Equality process.

Please access the full report and advocacy tool using the links below. You can also use this communication toolkit to amplify this report and advocacy tool.

- [English Report](#) and [Advocacy Tool](#)
- [Rapport français](#) and [outil de plaidoyer](#)
- [Informe español](#) and [Herramienta de incidencia](#)

Stepping up Collective Advocacy and Action to Eradicate GBV

The Action Coalition on GBV Leadership Group is a powerful platform for advancing a shared advocacy agenda on ending violence against women and girls. Earlier this year, Leaders of the Action Coalition on GBV prioritized three key areas for collective advocacy in 2023-2024:

1. Increased investments in effective prevention strategies to drive down levels of gender-based violence against women and girls.
2. Support, solidarity and increased financial resources to feminist women's rights movements working on GBV.
3. Strengthened global standards, laws, policies, and programming on Technology-facilitated GBV (TF GBV) so that women and girls can enjoy the right to freedom from violence and discrimination in online and digital spaces.

The AC GBV Leaders are working together to implement a collective advocacy strategy and have charted a roadmap to ensure that key opportunities are maximized for positioning our priorities on ending GBV.

Below are some examples of the collective advocacy actions of the AC GBV:

High level Dialogue on Building a World of Work Free from GBV and Sexual Harassment

To mark the anniversary of the ILO Convention No. 190 on Violence and Harassment in the World of Work, on 21 June, a cross Action Coalition strategic dialogue took place at the EU Delegation in New York, convening leaders and commitment makers of the Action-Coalition on GBV and the Action-Coalition on Economic Justice and Rights including CSOs, member states, the private sector and trade unions together with the Group of Friends to Eliminate Violence against Women And Girls. The strategic dialogue was a key action under [the collective commitment to prevent and eliminate GBV and harassment in the world of work](#), and was an opportunity to explore member states'

experiences in ratifying and implementing the ILO C190 as well as to exchange good practices and solutions across sectors. Participants included the Government of Argentina, the Arab Trade Union Confederation, the Kering Foundation and Accor.

Three key take aways emerged through the strategic dialogue:

- **The need for wider ratification and implementation of ILO Convention 190 and Recommendation No. 206.** Governments that ratify C190 are required to put in place laws and policies to prevent GBV in the world of work. For effective implementation collaboration between different ministries and stakeholders is essential as well as training for state officials and workers.
- **Collective advocacy and action towards eliminating violence and harassment in the world of work is crucial.** Civil society alliances are leading the way in organizing advocacy efforts for ILO C190 such as the NGO Coalition to End Violence and Harassment in the World of Work which initiated an [advocacy letter](#) calling for universal ratification of ILO C-190 and developed a [strategy document](#) for its implementation. Stakeholders across the globe are also encouraged to get involved in the [#RatifyC190 campaign](#).
- **Employers have a “duty of care” to safeguard their employees** by enacting clear and comprehensive policies to address violence and harassment in and through the workplace and to create an open and safe enabling environment to ensure survivors feel supported and encouraged to speak out. Key actions that were discussed include internal trainings for strengthening awareness, establishing effective reporting mechanisms and building networks and partnerships for companies to exchange best practices such as the [One in Three Women Network](#) established by the Kering Foundation in 2018 to encourage other companies to put in place measures to support survivors. Learn more [here](#).

The Collective Commitment on Eliminating Violence and Harassment in the World of Work brings together actors across different sectors to collectively advocate for the ratification and implementation of the ILO Convention 190 as well as for all workplaces including the private sector to put in place transformative work-related policies to create safe and healthy work environments. You can register your interest in joining the collective commitment [here](#).

Please read further on the key take aways from this discussion on: "[Four actions to forge workplaces free from sexual harassment and violence](#)".

Securing our Human Rights in our Digital World: Consultation with Women's Rights Groups to influence the Global Digital Compact.

Under [The Common Agenda](#), the UN Secretary General called for a Global Digital Compact to be agreed at the Summit of the Future (September 2024) to "outline shared principles for an open, free and secure digital future for all." Ensuring that women's rights organizations in all their diversity feed into this process is critical to shape a vision of digital cooperation and governance based on human rights and feminist principles. In his report to UNGA77, on the [Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women and girls](#), the Secretary General proposed a high-level consultation on violence against women and girls in digital contexts to inform the Global Digital Compact.

On 6th March 2023, UN Women representing the [Generation Equality Action Coalition on Gender Based Violence](#), together with the Alliance for Universal Digital Rights (AUDRI), [Equality Now](#), [Women Leading In AI](#) and the Governments of Spain, Finland and Mexico co-hosted a consultation event, with the participation of the [UN Tech Envoy](#), to provide opportunities for women's rights organizations, civil society and grassroots women's groups to share their perspectives to and feed into the consultation process to ensure that the Global Digital Compact prioritizes women and girls' safety and human rights in digital spaces. Further information including the final submission based on inputs and perspectives of participants representing women's rights

organizations, civil society and grassroots women can be found [here](#).

The submission emphasized the need for a Global Digital Compact (GDC) rooted in a human rights based, feminist and intersectional approach would ensure that all digital spaces uphold safety, respect, dignity and tolerance for women and girls in all their diversity. To achieve this, the submission suggests bridging the gender digital divide, strengthening women's and girls' digital literacy and skills, increasing women's participation in the tech sector and STEM, shaping a safe and inclusive digital future, ensuring safety online through laws and regulation, enhancing access to survivor-centered services, and women's leadership and empowerment.

Solutions to Strengthen Civic Space and Women's Digital Rights and Address the Pushback Against Gender Equality.

Building on the dialogue between Member States and CSOs that was organized during the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence in 2022 by the Action Coalition on GBV in collaboration with the Action Coalition on Feminist Movements and Leadership, this UN Women flagship side event acknowledged the steady and increased development and impact of anti-gender campaigns and movements. It identified, amplified and increased awareness of practices to counter the pushback on gender equality to strengthen civic space and women's digital rights. The strategies identified included building normative and legal frameworks, increasing funding to women's rights organizations, building infrastructure for feminist movements, and partnerships to share knowledge and skills. Watch the event [here](#) or read more on the [highlights](#).



Building momentum: Generation Equality Impact Fest at Women Deliver

The Women Deliver Conference, a flagship event advocating for gender equality and women's rights, took center stage in Rwanda this year, gathering over 6,000 activists, policymakers and changemakers from around the world. The Conference, officially opened by President Paul Kagame of Rwanda, provided a platform for UN Women to bring together key stakeholders, fostering the exchange of experiences and renewing collective commitments on the gender equality agenda.

A call for collective action and accountability for Generation Equality

The Generation Equality Impact Fest held at Women Deliver gathered Action Coalition leaders, commitment makers, champions and gender advocates to showcase examples of how multi-stakeholder and intergenerational coalitions can disrupt the status quo and energize collective action for gender equality. Read more [here](#).

Preventing violence against women: From Evidence to Action

UN Women together with WHO convened a pre-conference session on [Preventing Violence against Women: From Evidence to Action](#) convening 200+ participants including leaders, commitment makers, civil society organizations and practitioners to share experiences and insights on how to prevent GBV against women and girls through evidence-based strategies and tools. The session aimed to mobilize actions and commitments to scale up evidence-based prevention of VAW through the [collective commitment of the Action Coalition on GBV](#). Panel speakers include Aline Umutoni (Director General of Family Promotion and Child Protection of Rwanda), Monica Aleman (International Program Director, Gender, Racial and Ethnic Justice, Ford Foundation), Ofa-Ki-Levuka Guttenbeil-Likiliki (Director, Tonga Women and Children's Crisis), Geeta Rao Gupta (US Ambassador for Global Women's Affairs), Adelheid Werimo Onyango (Director,

Healthier Population Unit WHO Africa Regional Office), and Maria Noel Vaeza (Generation Equality Project Executive & Regional Director Americas and the Caribbean). The high-level political dialogue was followed by a technical conversation with practitioners on effective prevention programming lesson learned, good practices, and evidence of what works. The event also provided a platform to launch the [RESPECT Women](#) website, a new online one-stop platform that aims to drive concrete policy and programmatic action to prevent and respond to violence against women and girls.

Photo: UN Women



Catalyzing Global Action to End Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting: The Kigali Declaration on Closing the Funding Gap for End FGM/C sector

The Global Platform for Action to End FGM/C pre-conference session aimed to catalyze collective action and actionable commitments. The Women Deliver 2023 conference presented an opportunity to highlight the funding gap with a united voice to decision-makers and funders attending the conference. As a result, [the Blueprint of the Kigali Declaration](#) “From Rhetoric to Reality: Closing the Funding Gap and Uniting for Action to End Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting” was launched. Participants worked together to identify the challenges and best practices to end FGM/C, as well as to put forward recommendations on where funding is most urgently needed. [The Kigali Declaration](#) highlights the 2.1 billion funding gap to end the practice in 31 priority countries, which doesn't include other countries where FGM/C is known to take place that have not been traditionally prioritized, including in Asia and the Middle East. Importantly, it highlights the lack of funds going to grassroots organisations and calls for shift of funding towards the grassroots.

Collective Power at the Women Deliver Conference



Photo: UNTF



Ahead of the conference representatives of UN Trust Fund grantee organizations reflected on their hopes and expectations for this global event emphasizing the importance of such gatherings in creating an inclusive, gender-responsive and action-oriented space for civil society and women's rights organizations.

They also recognized the crucial role of the Women Deliver conference to build and conduct collective advocacy for better resources for women's rights organizations and feminist movements. Learn more [here](#). On 18 July, at the conference, the UN Trust Fund held a side-event “A conversation with UN Trust Fund grantee organizations” convening grantee organizations and other UN Trust Fund partners, UN Women and UN Member States. It provided a space to exchange ideas about strategies for joint advocacy and collective action to end violence against women and girls. Read more [here](#).

Uniting Against Tech-Facilitated Gender-Based Violence: Key Highlights from CSW 67

Catalysing Collective Action to End Technology-facilitated Gender-Based Violence: CSW Side Event

The Governments of Chile, Denmark, and the United States, alongside members of the Global Partnership for Action on Gender-Based Online Harassment and Abuse, held a High-Level Thematic Session called "Catalysing Collective Action to End Technology-facilitated Gender-based Violence." The session aimed to strengthen a coordinated global response to prevent and end technology-facilitated gender-based violence, sharing strategies, policies, funding, research, and data. The event also encouraged the mobilization of additional commitments from member states, private sector companies, civil society organizations, and stakeholders. Strategies discussed included enacting legislative and regulatory frameworks, supporting women's rights organizations, partnerships with tech companies, and fostering an intersectional approach.

Gendered Dynamics of Digital Peace Activism, ABAAD

In partnership with the Government of Netherlands and other stakeholders, ABAAD organized a CSW side event entitled "Gendered Dynamics of Digital Peace Activism." The event brought together feminist peace activists from Iraq, Lebanon, Palestine, and Sudan to share their experiences and perspectives on the use of digital technology for online campaigning and organizing by women's peace movements.

The insightful discussions centred around both the opportunities and challenges presented by technology, including the digital gender gap that can create barriers to access for women. This event provided a valuable platform to amplify the voices of feminist peace activists and promote their important work in the digital sphere.

Technology & Innovation: Threat or Opportunity for Women's Safety? Lila.Help Global Directory of Helplines: An Inaugural Year of Progress Lila.Help

On March 15, 2023, the Global Network of Women's Shelters in partnership with UN Women and Generation Equality Gender-Based Violence Action Coalition Leaders and Commitment makers hosted a parallel event at the NGO Forum of CSW67. The hybrid event, which gathered over 50 in person participants and 120 online registrants, included interventions from GNWS partners UN Women and Accor, the Lila.help project leader, and GNWS representatives from all continents. Participants discussed how technological innovation can help increase women's safety, while also shedding light on the digital dimensions of gender-based violence.

Virtual CSW Booth

The virtual booth organized by the Action Coalition youth leader Thina Maphosa of Yes Trust Zimbabwe, successfully reached over 270 visitors from diverse sectors, including CSOs, young people, and practitioners working on GBV programmes. The virtual booth played a crucial role in showcasing the work of the Action Coalition on GBV and engaging commitment makers. The Action Coalition leaders also shared their successes in their respective regions and made a call to action on scaling up implementation and financing of GBV programmes. In addition, the AC GBV leaders emphasized the need for enhancing support, increasing accountability, and funding for girl-led and women's rights organizations. The virtual booth was an excellent platform for stakeholders to connect and share ideas on how to tackle the critical issue of gender-based violence.

From Talk to Action: CSW Agreed Conclusions include important provisions on Tech-Facilitated GBV

Building on the recommendations of the road map for digital cooperation, the 67th Commission on the Status of Women, held in March 2023, reaffirmed the role of technology, innovation, and education in the digital age in accelerating gender equality while also expressing grave concern about the continuity and interrelation between offline and online violence, harassment and discrimination against women and girls and condemned the increase of such acts. The bold CSW67 agreed conclusions bring forward UN Women's vision of a more equal and connected world for women and girls in all their diversity and calls for:

- a policy of zero tolerance for gender-based violence that occurs through or is amplified by the use of technology (TF GBV); collaboration among stakeholders and to fill knowledge gaps and research on the TF GBV;
- eliminating, preventing and responding to all forms of violence against women and girls in public and private spaces, online and offline, through multisectoral and coordinated approaches to investigate, prosecute and punish the perpetrators of violence and end impunity;
- taking all appropriate measures, including legal action, to combat the use of digital tools, including social media and online platforms, for the purpose of harassment, hate speech and racism against women and girls, trafficking in persons and all forms of sexual exploitation and abuse of women and girls;
- strengthening the understanding and tracking patterns of forms of TF GBV to guide evidence-based policymaking and programming and comprehensively measure its impact;
- developing, amending and expanding of legislation and policies to prevent, eliminate and respond to all forms of TF GBV, and institute measures to address such violence; comprehensive measures and programmes to address the different forms of TF GBV, such as the unauthorized distribution or manipulation of information or images, and any other forms of violence that may arise due to the continual development of technology;
- providing support to victims and survivors of TF GBV through the provision of service responses that avoid retraumatization, including comprehensive social, health, care and legal services and helplines; reporting mechanisms to ensure women's and girls' equal access to justice; increase women's legal literacy and awareness of available legal remedies and dispute resolution mechanisms; as well as civil and administrative alternatives;
- strengthening capacity and policy coherence and coordination of government actors, including parliamentarians, policymakers, law enforcement officials, the judiciary, health and social workers and educators, and of civil society organizations, to develop knowledge, skills and digital expertise to prevent and eliminate TF GBV; and
- ensuring that public and private sector entities prioritize the prevention and elimination of TF GBV by implementing - through meaningful engagement with victims and survivors - safeguards and preventive measures that address multiple risk and protective factors related to violence, including improved content moderation and the interoperability, transparency, accessibility and effectiveness of reporting systems.

Mark Your Calendars: Upcoming Events and opportunities Leading the Way for Gender Equality and eliminating GBV!



SAVE THE DATE: Putting Gender Equality at the Heart of the Global Digital Compact- Gender in the Global Digital Compact Conference @ IGF 2023

Where: Prince Hotel Kyoto Takaragaike, Kyoto, Japan (Rose Room)

When: 7th October 2023

Format: In person

UN Women, together with Association of Progressive Communications; UNFPA; Alliance for Universal Digital Rights; Equality Now; Policy; Derechos Digitales; Digital Rights Foundation and World Wide Web Foundation; is convening this strategic conversation between civil society organizations and member states about how to make gender a cross-cutting theme of the Global Digital Compact.

SAVE THE DATE: UN Commemoration of the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

Where: ECOSOC Chamber I, New York

When: 22 November 10.00-11.30



In 2023, the UNiTE campaign theme is **Invest to Prevent Violence Against**

Women & Girls and will focus on the importance of financing different prevention strategies to stop violence from occurring in the first place. Further information can be found on the updated UNiTE campaign concept note. Please find the link to the [Campaign Announcer](#)

and [Call to Action](#) and the campaign concept note, available in [English](#), [French](#), [Spanish](#) and [Arabic](#).

Online Course: Using Data to End Violence Against Women

A [new online course](#) for public servants and policy makers on how to use data to end violence against women is now available, launched by the UN Women/WHO Joint Programme on Violence Against Women Data and Measurement, in collaboration with Apolitical. The free to access course is offered on Apolitical's peer-to-peer learning platform, an online community for people working in government and closely supporting government. **To sign up:** Click here: [Using Data to End Violence Against Women](#).

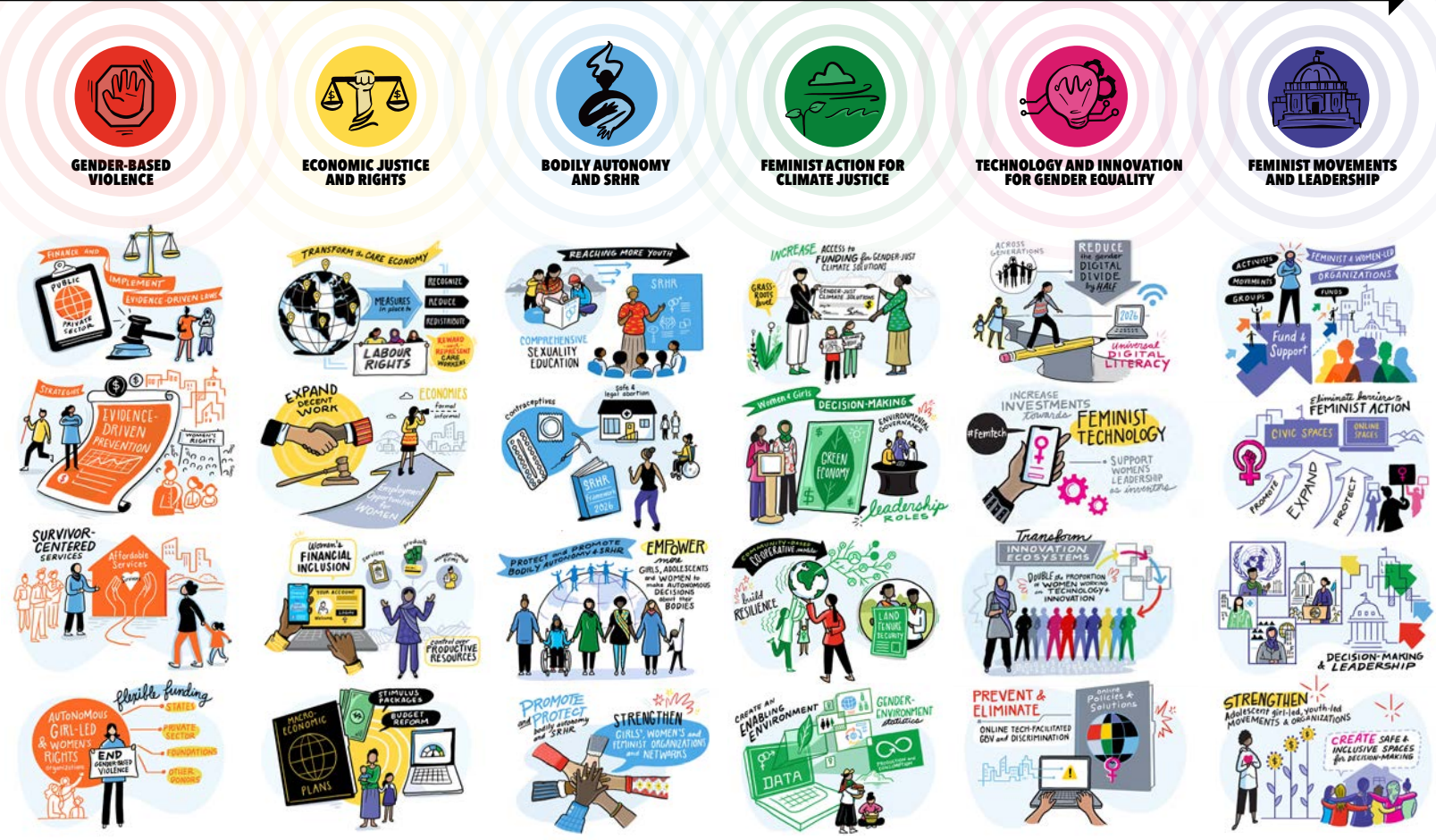
UNTF- 2022 Global Call for Proposal (26th Grant Making Cycle)

On its 26th annual global call for proposals, the UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women received an impressive 1,609 applications from 113 countries and territories, for a total value of nearly \$756 million. The UN Trust Fund is soon announcing the new cohort of grantees on this cycle. The results will be announced [here](#).

UNTF- 2023 Global Call for Proposal (27th Grant Making Cycle)

The 2023 UN Trust Fund call for proposal is coming soon! [Bookmark this page](#).

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ABOUT GENERATION EQUALITY

Generation Equality is a multistakeholder initiative convened by UN Women to catalyse partners, and increase investments & results in gender equality, strengthen civic space and accelerate progress towards achieving the objectives of the Beijing Platform for Action and the SDGs.

ABOUT THE ACTION COALITIONS

The Action Coalitions are global, innovative, multi-stakeholder partnerships that are mobilizing governments, civil society, international organizations, and the private sector to catalyse collective action, spark global and local conversations among generations, drive increased public & private investment, and to deliver concrete, game-changing results for girls and women.

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