

Addressing Violence Against Women in Politics:

Parliamentary Responses and Good Practices



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CONCEPT-NOTE

This AGORA *Parliamentary Development Community of Practice* interactive workshop, co-organised with UNDP and IPU, will be an opportunity to discuss practical approaches, tools, and institutional measures used by parliaments to **address violence against women in politics**.

Drawing on findings from the recent UNDP-IPU [publication](#) on parliamentary responses to violence against women in politics, the discussion will provide an opportunity for speakers from parliaments and parliamentary development programmes to exchange knowledge, showcase promising practices, and reflect on challenges and opportunities for strengthening parliamentary action.

When?

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09:00 EDT / 12:00 GMT / 14:00 CEST / 22:00 AEST

Where?

Online on **Zoom**. Prior [registration](#) is required.

What you will gain:

- Key findings from recent research on parliamentary responses to violence against women in politics
- Experiences and lessons on institutional measures, policies and tools that can help create safer and more inclusive parliamentary environments
- Perspectives from parliamentary development practitioners supporting this work

Who should attend?

Members of parliament, parliamentary staff, parliamentary research and committee services, parliamentary development practitioners, gender equality practitioners, academics, and representatives of organisations, networks and programmes supporting parliamentary strengthening.

Programme

**time in the programme is indicated in CEST*

14:00 - 14:10	Welcome of participants ● <i>Ms. Yuliya Tymoshyk</i>, AGORA Knowledge Hub Manager ● <i>Ms. Agata Walczak</i>, UNDP Democratic Institutions and Processes Specialist
14:10 - 14:25	Overview of the Publication: “Addressing violence against women in politics: Institutional responses and good practices by parliaments” ● <i>Ms. Dalia Nawaj</i>, UNDP Policy Analyst ● <i>Ms. Isabella Flisi</i>, IPU Violence Against Women Consultant
14:25 - 15:00	Parliamentary Experiences and Good Practices: ● <i>Ms. Tatiana Telles Calderón</i>, Director General, Gender Equality Unit of the Chamber of Deputies, Mexico ● <i>Mr. Mathieu Peruyero</i>, Senior administrator at the Secretariat of the Presidency and the Bureau of the Senate, French Senate ● <i>Ms. Kadi Jumu-Peters</i>, UNDP Sierra Leone Governance Lead Moderated by: <i>Ms. Agata Walczak</i> , UNDP Democratic Institutions and Processes Specialist
15:00 - 15:25	Q&A session Moderated by: <i>Ms Isabella Flisi</i> , IPU
15:25 - 15:30	Final remarks ● <i>Ms. Isabella Flisi</i>, IPU Violence Against Women Consultant