

Session 5: Breakout Exercise for Group 2

Identifying relevant UN Mechanisms:

- *Start with each participant naming one issue they are working on or is of importance in their country*
- *Then choose from the fora that Deborah Brown mentioned in her presentation that you could chose to advocate with*
- *Once all participants are done with the previous step, go back to your choice and try to explain to others why you chose them.*

Fora mentioned by Deborah:

1. General Assembly
 - a. First Committee: Disarmament & international security
 - b. Second Committee: Sustainable development
 - c. Third Committee: Human rights, criminal justice
2. Human Rights Council
3. UNOCT (UN Office of Counter Terrorism)
4. Economic and Social Council
 - a. ITU (International Telecommunication Union)
 - b. UNESCO
 - c. World Trade Organisation
 - d. Internet Governance Forum
5. SDG processes
6. CSW (Commission on Status of Women)

No.	Name of participant	Issue	Possible fora
	Torsha	Online abuse/extremist speech, disproportionate censorship measures First committee too	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Rights Council • CSW • UN Office of Counter Terrorism • Committee on Sustainable Development • IGF
	Raf	State-sponsored propaganda/disinformation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Third Committee • Internet governance forum • SDG Processes • Human Rights Council
	Lulu	Digital ID system, Data privacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ITU - SDG (No. 16)
	Wai	Internet Shutdown , Online Surveillance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Human Right Council - ITU - Internet Governance Forum - WTO - CSW
	Denise	Women Workers Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Human Right Council - CSW - IGF - WTO - ILO
	Gulsha	Violence against women - Bangladesh	
	Koninika	Gender and digital rights- increased access for women and marginalised genders, digital security for women and	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3rd committee- Human rights, criminal justice - SDG processes (we

		marginalised genders	already do this) -UNESCO (research opportunities) -CSW (focus on gender) -IGF (access to multiple stakeholders) - Human Rights Council
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