

Division for the Advancement of Women (DAW)
In collaboration with UNICEF
Expert Group Meeting
Elimination of all forms of discrimination and violence
Against the girl child
UNICEF Innocenti Research Centre
Florence, Italy, 25-28 September 2006

List of Participants

EXPERTS

Shamima ALI
Coordinator, Fiji Women's Crisis Centre
P.O.Box 12882
Suva, Fiji
Tel: +679 331 3300
Fax: +679 331 3650
Email: fwcc@connect.com.fj

Gary BARKER
Executive Director of Instituto Promundo
Rue Mexico 31/1502
Rio de Janeiro, RJ
CEP 20031-144
Brazil
Tel: +5521-2544-3114
Fax: +5521-2544-3114
E-mail: barkerpromundo@aol.com

Judith BRUCE
Senior Associate/Programme Director
Gender, Family and Development
Population Council
The Population Council
1 Dag Hammarskjold Plaza
New York, NY 10017
Tel: +1-212-339-0641
Fax: +1-212-755-6052
E-mail: jbruce@popcouncil.org

Nicole BIDEKAIN PONTE
Youth Activist
Acosta Y Lara 2442
CP. 11600 Uruguay
Tel: +598 24808702
Fax: +598 99144681

E-mail: nicolebidegain@gmail.com

Biljana BRANKOVIC
Independent Consultant
Zarka Zrenjanina 6, apartment 5
11 000 BELGRADE, SERBIA
Tel. 381 11 34 40 902
E-mail: bbrankov@eunet.yu

Fatuma CHEGE
Chairperson
Dept. of Educational Foundations
Kenyatta University
P.O.Box 1314, Ruaraka-00618
Kenya
Tel.: +254 0722 943929; 0733 826402
E-mail: fatumasee@wanachi.com

Shahira FAWZY
Chairperson, Socio-economic planning center for appropriate development
(SEPCAD)/CAPACITY NGO
22 Mohamed El Mahdi, Golf area,
Heliopolis, Cairo
Egypt
Tel: +202 4193197 or 4193223; +20103558556 (mobile)
Email: shahirafawzy@yahoo.com

Cecilia FLORES-OEBANDA
President
Visayan Forum Foundation
4th floor, RFM Center
Pioneer Corner Sheridan Streets
Mandaluyong City
1550 Philippines
Tel/Fax: + 632 634 0683-4
Cell: + 63 920 907 7286
E-mail: director@visayanforum.org, president.visayanforum@yahoo.com

Dyan MAZURANA
Research Director
Feinstein International Center
Tufts University
USA
Address: Via Giovanni Dupre No.99
Siena, Italy 53100
Tel: +39 057 740 969, +1 617 627 3423
E-mail: Dyan.mazurana@tufts.edu

Christina NOMDO
ON PAR Development
PO Box 1625
Cape Town, 8000
South Africa
Tel: +27 – 83 776 7067
E-mail: onpardev@mweb.co.za, info@onpar.co.za

Berhane RAS-WORK
Executive Director,
Inter-African Committee on Harmful Traditional Practices Affecting Women and Girls
145 Rue de Lausanne
1202 Geneva, Switzerland
Tel. (41) 22 731 24 20
Fax (21) 22 738 18 23
E-mail: cominter@iprolink.ch

Teresita SILVA
President and Executive Director
Childhope Asia
1210 Penafancia St.
Paco, Manila, 1007
Philippines
Tel: +532 563 4646
Fax: +532 563 2242
Email: chap@childhope.org.ph

Busakorn SURIYASARN
Independent Consultant
398/2, 7 Monterey Place,
Soi Paisingtoh Rama 4,
Klongtoey, Bangkok 10110, Thailand
Tel. +669 814 2664
Fax: +662 260 4578
E-mail: od@busakorn.org

Daniela ZAPATA
Independent Consultant
Santiago, Chile
Mardoqueo Fernandez 171 #1006, Providencia,
Santiago, Chile
Tel. +56 996159231; 56-2-7279463
E-mail: daniela.zapata@cepal.org, zapata.daniela@gmail.com

CONSULTANTS

Savitri GOONESEKERE
Emeritus Professor of Law University of Colombo
304/5 Park Road
Colombo 5
Sri Lanka
Tel: 94-11-2369530
Fax: 94-11-2502153
Email: cenwor@slt.lk , cen_info@sltnet.lk

Christoph SCHUEPP
Independent Consultant
Bochum
Germany
Tel / work: +49 (0) 2365 - 50 24 80
Tel / mobile +49 (0) 176 - 23 10 70 83
E-mail: cschuepp@unicef.org, cschuepp@web.de

ORGANIZERS

Division for the Advancement of Women (DAW), UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA)

Carolyn HANNAN
Director
Two United Nations Plaza
New York, New York
Tel: 212-963-3104
Fax: 212-963-3463
Email: hannan@un.org

Sharon J. TAYLOR
Social Affairs Officer
Two United Nations Plaza
New York, New York
Tel: 212-963-5226
Fax: 212-963-3463
Email: taylor@un.org

Andrea VOLFOVA
Associate Social Affairs Officer
Two United Nations Plaza
New York, New York
Tel: 917-367-3197
Fax: 212-963-3463
Email: volfova@un.org

UNICEF

UNICEF Innocenti Research Center

Marta Santos Pais
Director, UNICEF Innocenti Research Centre
Piazza SS. Annunziata, 12 - 50122 Florence (Italy)
Telephone: +39-055-2033 358
E-mail: msantospais@unicef.org

Susan BISSELL
Senior Project Officer, Child Protection
& Chief, Implementing International Standards Unit
UNICEF Innocenti Research Center
Piazza SS. Annunziata, 12 - 50122 Florence
Italy
Tel: +39 055 2033 230
Fax: +39 055 2033 220
E-mail: sbissell@unicef.org

Saudamini SIEGRIST
UNICEF Innocenti Research Center
Piazza SS. Annunziata, 12 - 50122 Florence
Italy
Tel: +39 055 203 3349
Fax: +39 055 203 3220
E-mail: ssiegrist@unicef.org

UNICEF Headquarters

Liv Elin Indreiten
Programme Officer, Gender Equality and Human Rights
Global Policy Section
Division of Policy & Planning
UNICEF
New York, NY 10017
Tel: +1 212 824 6707
E-mail: lindreiten@unicef.org

Mima Perisic
Project Officer
Adolescent Development & Participation Unit (ADAP)
Programme Division
UNICEF
E-mail: mperisic@unicef.org
Tel: (212) 326 7422

Claudia Cappa
Strategic Information Section
Division of Policy and Planning
UNICEF, 3 UN Plaza, New York, NY 10017
Tel: 212 326 7753
Fax: 212 735 4411
Email: ccappa@unicef.org

UNITED NATIONS TREATY BODIES

Ambassador Moushira Khattab
Vice-Chair
Committee on the Rights of the Child

OBSERVERS

Anita AMORIM
Programme Officer for Latin America
Gender and AIDS Focal Point
International Programme on the Elimination of Child Labour
International Labour Organisation
4 route des Morillons 1211 Geneva
Tel: 0041227996346
Fax: 0041227998771
E-mail: amorim@ilo.org

Hourig BABIKIAN
Christian Children's Fund
211 East 43rd Street
New York, NY 10017
Hbabikian@eefusa.org

Angela BÄHR
Team Leader GTZ
Protection of Minors against Sexual Exploitation
Dag Hammarskjöld – Weg 1-S
D-65760 Eschborn
Germany
Tel: 0049 6196 791512
Email: Angela.Baehr@gtz.de, Angela.Baehr@t-online.de

Dutima BHAGWANDIN
Gender Coordinator
Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
Tel: 41-22-917-9123
Fax: 41-22-917-9010
Email: dbhagwandin@ohchr.org

Sarah BOUCHIE
Director for the Basic and Girls' Education Unit
CARE
151 Ellis Street
Atlanta, GA 30331
Tel: 404-979-9313
Fax: 404-589-2632
Email: sbouchie@care.org

Tara CHETTY
Information and Research Officer
Fiji Women's Rights Movement
P.O. Box 14194
Suva, Fiji
Tel: 3313156
Fax: 3313466
Mobile: 9268342
E-mail: tara@fwrp.org.fj

Alessandro de Marchent et d'Ansembourg
Santa Maddalena Foundation
c.da delle Corte 1
I-25040 Nigoline
Italy
Email: adansembourg@gmail.com

Riet GROENEN
Advisor on Gender and Human Rights
UNFPA
11 Chemin des Anémones
1219 Chatelaine
Geneva, Switezland
Tel: 41 22 917 85 70
Fax: 41 22 917 80 16
E-mail: groenen@unfpa.org

Maria HARTL
Technical Adviser - Gender and Social Equity
Technical Advisory Division
International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)
Via del Serafico 107
00142 Roma
Italy
Tel: 0039-06-5459 2455
Fax: 0039-06-5459 3455
Email: mhartl@ifad.org

Kristine HERMAN
122 President Street, Apt. 3
Brooklyn
New York 11231
Tel: 646 373 5234
Email: Kristine.herman@gmail.com

Isatou JALLOW
Chief
Gender, Mother and Child Health Service
Policy, Strategy and Programme Support Division
UN World Food Programme - Rome
Email: isatou.jallow@wfp.org
Tel: +39 06 65133642
Cell: +39 3493234361
Fax: +39 06 65132873

Kareen JABRE
Programme Manager,
International Parliamentary Union
Programme for the Promotion of Partnership between Men and Women
Phone: +41 22 919 41 25
Fax: +41 22 919 41 60
E-mail: kj@mail.ipu.org

Gareth JONES
Director
Adeni / Monitoring, Statistics, Information for Action
301 Parnell Ave.
Ottawa K1Z 5J7
Canada
Tel: +613 724 2712
E-mail: gareth@adeni.ca

Catherine E. MOORE
IFUW Coordinator/Representative at the United Nations
International Federation of University Women (IFUW)
New York
Tel: 516 466 0975
Fax: 516 466 7949
E-mail: mooremce@aol.com

Frances NICHOLSON
Research Officer
Division of International Protection
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
94 Rue de Montbrillant

CH-1202
Geneva
Switzerland
Email: nicholso@unhcr.org

Elsie-Bernadette ONUBOGU
Gender Adviser, Democracy, Peace and Conflict
Commonwealth Secretariat
United Kingdom
Tel: +44 (0) 20 7747 6281
Fax: +44 (0) 20 7930 1647
E-mail: e.onubogu@commonwealth.int

Bianca POMERANZI
Senior Gender Adviser – General Directorate
for Italian development cooperation
Via Contarini 25-00104
Rome
Italy
Tel: 39 06 3631 6218
Fax: 39 06 36916257
E-mail: Bianca.pomeranzi@esteri.it

Regine ROSNER
IN VIA Katholische Madchensozialarbeit
Deutscher Verband
Referentin
Karlstrasse 40, D-79104
Freiburg
Tel: 00 (761) 200 234
Fax: 00 (761) 200 638
Email: regine.rosner@caritas.de

Setereh Taherkhani
Iranian Association of Women's Studies
Tehran University
Enaelah SQ.
Iran
Tel: 98 21 8756430
Email: St_taherkhani@yahoo.com

Eva Maria WELSKOP-DEFFAA
Director-General for Gender Equality
Federal Ministry for Family Affairs
Senior Citizens Women and Youth
Alexanderstrasse 3, D-10178
Berlin
Tel: 00 (30) 20655-1201

Fax: 00 (30) 20655-41200

Email: eva.welskop-deffaa@bmfsfj.bund.de