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HerStory

Keynote Speaker

Nargis Mommand Hassanzai

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Afghanistan
- Professor
- World Peace
Award winner
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14th Dec. 7pm cet



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Join us on zoom: **14th Dec. 7pm cet**

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LISA CLARK
 Peace Activist,
 Contributed to the Nobel Peace Prize
 Prize Winner Intl. Campaigner,
 Leader



Lisa Clark

19th Oct. 7pm cet

Lisa Clark is an Italian-based peace activist with a remarkable track record. She lived in war-torn Sarajevo, worked on reconciliation in Kosovo, and organized a peace symposium in Eastern DR Congo. Lisa's recent focus has been on disarmament, notably with the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons, which won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2017.

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Iris Dotan Katz
 Senior Clinical Psychologist,
 Peace Advocate
 Women's Empowerment Leader



Dr. Iris Dotan Katz

21st Sep. 7pm cet

Dr. Iris Dotan Katz is a senior clinical psychologist, peace advocate, and women's empowerment leader. With over 27 years of experience, she combines therapy, organisational development, and spiritual practices to promote reconciliation and social change. Dr. Katz actively engages in peace organisations, fostering dialogue between Israelis and Palestinians through compassion and prayer.

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Patricia Lalonde
 Former Member European Parliament – Foreign Affairs



Patricia Lalonde

17th Aug. 7pm cet

Patricia Lalonde worked in Afghanistan for 15 years, building girls' schools and promoting women's rights. She was a member of the European Parliament, conducted research, and attended international conferences on human rights and peace. Now, she is Vice President of the French Think Tank GEOPRAGMA, having recently visited Iran and Syria.

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Committee -
Activist



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Renáta Ocilková

Doctor -
Educator
- Author



Renáta Ocilková

22nd Jun. 6pm cet

Renáta Ocilková is a Slovakian graduate of Comenius University and Catholic University. She has attended international internships and trainings and is involved in ministry to Roma women. She lectures and publishes on education, bioethics, and gender issues. Currently, she is the President of the Forum of Life in Slovakia.

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Laetitia van Haren

Cultural
Anthropologist -
Coach - Activist



Laetitia van Haren

20th Apr. 7pm cet

A cultural anthropologist who has lived and worked for decades in sub-Saharan Africa and south-east Asia. In Geneva she was director of Defense for Children-International, Humanitarian Policy with Action by Churches Together.

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ASHA GEESDIIR

Government
Advisor -
Human Rights
Activist



Asha Omar Geesdiir

16th Mar. 23

Has over 20 years experience in policy related development, particularly in participatory development, advocacy, human rights, refugee welfare, good governance, constitutional development, education, and as an expert on conflict resolution, peace building and conflict management projects. " Her story" this month featured Asha Omar Geesdiir, a strong human activist from Somalia that spent many years in Sweden before returning back to Mogadishu Somalia as a special advisor to the government on women and childrens issues. She shared about how the love in her family was the platform from which she could believe in herself and her ability to contribute to positive developments in her country .

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Maria del Carmen Quintanilla Barba

Politician
- Activist



MEP Maria Carmen Quintanilla Barba

February 16, 2023, at 7 pm CET

MEP Maria Carmen Quintanilla Barba, Spanish National MP (2000-2019) Spanish Senator (2020). Permanent Parliamentarian in the European Council. Founder and President of AFAMMER, organization dedicated to the family and women's development in the rural area. She shared about her experience in the 40 years since AFAMMER was founded. Maria Carmen shared the dream from her youth of seeing the establishment of Gender Equality at various levels. She ensured the rights of Rural Women in Spain, which later led her to defend many other causes linked to Gender Equality, and she consequently earned her place at the European Parliament as MEP. She contributed and promoted the creation of the Convention for the Elimination of all kinds of Violence against Women. Mrs. Carmen spares no efforts in her work of highlighting the issue of Violence against Women. She is the founder of the well-known AFAMMER Association, where she is President, and which is dedicated to the Family and Women's development.

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KHOLOUD W. KASSEM

Politician - Social
Servant - Author
- Activist



KHOLOUD W. KASSEM

19th Jan. 23

Active Member of the Global Network of Women in Politics. Several times Candidate to the Parliament - Lebanon. Founder and active member of several organisations to empower women in politics and decision making

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ABOUT US

Our Vision
Women working together to form one global family rooted in a culture of sustainable peace.



WHAT WE DO

The Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP) is a women's NGO, founded in 1992, with the motto, "Humankind is a family living in one global home, the Earth."



UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out our short list of global happenings for inspiration across the spectrum, from virtual events, professional conference, webinars, charity events and workshops worldwide.



UNITED NATIONS

We operate three United Nations Offices in New York, Geneva, and Vienna. Check out our latest activities.

AREAS OF FOCUS



GLOBAL WOMEN'S PEACE NETWORK



UNITED NATIONS



HEALING AND RECONCILIATION



CAPACITY BUILDING



HUMANITARIAN AND COMMUNITY PROJECTS



PARTNERSHIPS

"At Women's Federation for World Peace we believe partnership with your organization/company would be mutually beneficial.

WFWP projects and events are carried out to bring positive outcomes to society. With this in mind, WFWP seeks partners, individuals, organizations, and businesses that can assist in running a mutually agreed project to ensure its success. Working together can make a huge difference! In return, we are confident that our partnership will help increase your organization's/company's exposure throughout our international networks. We look forward to discussing this opportunity further with you and hope to forge a long and successful partnership together. Thank you for your time and consideration."

TESTIMONIALS

The Young Women's Speech Contest is a fantastic program for young women to share their message on a public platform. This program encouraged public speaking and self-ownership in my own personal journey. I wish for all young women who feel that spark or drive within themselves, no matter how insignificant, to take that first step and rely on themselves; it's always a personal achievement to complete this program and embark on such a journey.



Co-Director, YWSC-UK
Sharon Kabubi



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The latest activities around Europe



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October, November 2023

- Russia – Discovering True Love: A Journey into Moral Education.
- France - BRIDGE OF PEACE
- Italy - HERSTORY
- Spain - Young Women in the working sphere: challenges and successes.
- UK - Young Women's Speech Contest finals.
- Slovakia - Art of Calligraphy.
- Jordan - Dr Basem Abu Baker gave a course on nutrition.
- Sweden - MOMMY MATTERS CIRCLE



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Special edition Nov. 2023

20th Annual European Women's Leadership Conference
Larnaca, Cyprus November 3-5, 2023

- Transforming our World through
Advancing Peace: a Culture of
Peace and Human Dignity
- Content summary
 - Special guest speakers
 - WFWP Europe president
 - Ambassador for Peace Awards
 - Evening entertainment



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August 2023

- WFWP Sweden – Participating in World Peace Awards 2023 in Stockholm.
- WFWP Slovakia - Annual meeting
- WFWP UN Video Newsletter
- Europe Leadership Conference - November 3-5, 2023 Registration
- WFWP Denmark - Principles of Peace seminar.
- WFWP Hungary - "Peacemaking", an introduction into the WFWP's internal goals.
- WFWP Portugal - Course for Teachers for Peace.



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July 2023

- Award to WFWP – Jordan from the Government.



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June 2023

- "No Peace Without Women" Conference.



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May 2023

- WFWP Founder's 80th birthday celebration

Her Story: Patricia Lalonde -Former Member European Parliament - Foreign Affairs Committee.
Europe Leadership Conference; Transforming our World through Advancing Peace: a Culture of Peace and Human Dignity.
Video clip from Vienna and Geneva UN activities.
WFWP France - Vision and principle of Peace.
WFWP UK Summer Newsletter

- WFWP leaders in South Korea.
- Festival Pentecost WFWP Ukraine-Germany
- Her Story Series
- Role of Fathers in shaping the Future of their Children.

- Video recording of Side event at Commission of Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice conference.
- Harmony in the Family Easter Retreat
- Coronation Champions' award



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