



Special Parallel Event and Luncheon Invitation

Commission on the Status of Women - Implementing the Beijing Platform for Action

Angelika Selle February 6, 2015

Dear esteemed member of WFWP USA,

The WFWPI UN office has updated their Parallel and Luncheon Response form to include the **opportunity to pay by credit card**.

Remember to fill out the Response Form by **Friday February 27th** to secure your reservation for the Luncheon.

Please feel free to invite family or friends to the free Parallel Event right up until **March 9th**!

- CSW 59 Invitation Letter
- UPDATED Event Response Form

Once again, please send your completed form and any questions you may have to Heather Fraser-Harris, WFWPI UN Office Administrator at unoffice@wfwp.org. Hope to see you in NY.

With warm regards,

Angelika Selle President of WFWP USA

NGO CSW NY



Women's Federation for World Peace, International

United Nations Office

In General Consultative Status the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations
And in Association with the Department of Public Information

February 6, 2015

Dear guests,

The 59th Session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women (CSW 59), will convene in and around the UN HQ in NY, March 9-20, 2015 with the theme: "Beijing+20: The Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action."

You are cordially invited to attend the WFWPI parallel event which will take place on the first day of CSW 59, on Monday, March 9, from 12:30 to 2:00 pm, in the Armenian Convention Center, 630 Second Avenue, 35th street, New York 10017. The theme is "Young Women and Leadership: Education, Opportunities and Obstacles." Co-sponsors of this event include the World Youth Alliance, Montage Initiative and WFWP USA. It will feature a panel of primarily young women leaders who will address this topic. The parallel event is open to the general public and there is no fee.

You are also invited to attend the annual WFWPI Luncheon which will take place the following day on Tuesday, March 10, from 12 noon to 2:00 pm, in the West Terrace room of the Delegates Dining area, with the theme "A Celebration of CSW 59 and International Women's Day." Dr. Rima Sallah, who was recently appointed to the High Panel on Peace Operations by UN Secretary General Ban Ki Moon, has been invited to speak. Confirmed speakers include Prof. Yeon Ah Moon, President, WFWP International, and Mrs. Carolyn Handschin, Director, WFWPI UN Office. The cost of the luncheon is \$125 per person.

To accommodate guests who will be coming into New York to attend the parallel event and, or, the luncheon the WFWPI UN Office will be preparing a list of recommended parallel events which they may consider attending on these days.

Attached to this invitation you will find one response form for both the parallel event and the luncheon. Please send your completed form and any questions you may have to Heather Fraser-Harris, WFWPI UN Office Administrator at unoffice@wfwp.org. The deadline for submitting the response form is Friday, February 27, 2015.

Please feel free to extend this invitation to your colleagues. We kindly ask that you submit one response form for each guest.

With warm regards,

Alexa Ward

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Deputy Director, WFWPI UN Office International Vice President for North America



RESPONSE FORM

Participant's Information

| Title, First, Last Name | |
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| Organization | |
| Address (City, State, Postal Code, Country) | |
| E-mail | |
| Phone | |
| CSW 59 Parallel Event | |
| March 9, 2015 12:30 - 2:00 | pm Armenian Convention Center, New York |
| I will attend: | |
| Guests may be invited to the Parallel Event up until March 9 th . | |
| CSW 59 Luncheon March 10, 2015 12:00 – 2:00 pm West Terrace, Delegates Dining Area UN HQ I will attend: | |
| Please return this form by: Friday, February 27th, 2015 Please see payment instructions on page 2 of this form. | |

PAYMENT

\$125 fee for WFWPI Luncheon

| Please send completed response form and payment by check or money order to | | |
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| Address: | WFWPI UN Office P.O. Box Number 110125 Trumbull, CT 06611, USA | |
| Response forms may also be submitted electronically to the following email address | | |
| Email: | unoffice@wfwp.org | |
| For credit card payment, please provide the following information | | |
| | on card: Exp. Date (M/Y): Security Code: | |
| I give the WFWPI UN | Office permission to charge my account in the amount of: | |
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