

# Reflections on CSW69 Outcomes: A Global Webinar with Young Feminists

### Overview

69<sup>th</sup> session of the Commission on the Status of Women, held in March 2025, marked the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action, the most transformative global framework for promoting gender equality and advancing the rights of women and girls. CSW69 included a variety of outcomes, including a political declaration on the thirtieth anniversary of the Fourth World Conference on Women. In addition, the Beijing+30 Action Agenda, launched during highlighted six priority actions to ensure greater equality and rights for women and girls: freedom from poverty, freedom from violence, full and equal decision-making power, peace and security, and climate justice. The agenda also recognizes a "+1" priority action of placing adolescent girls and young women at the heart of these six pillars of action.

To ensure the Action Agenda reaches and resonates with young people, and to build on young feminist mobilization showcased during CSW69, young feminists, in collaboration with UN Women, will co-organize a post-CSW69 webinar. This session will provide a platform for young women and girls to better understand the CSW69 Political Declaration as well as the Beijing+30 Action Agenda. In addition, the session will focus on preparations for CSW70, as well as the 80<sup>th</sup> UN General Assembly (UNGA80) which will be held this September.

## **Objective**

The session will offer young feminists an accessible, comprehensive debrief and reflection on CSW69 outcomes. The overall goal of the webinar is to increase awareness and to provide a space for young women and girls to think on how to push the outcomes of the CSW60 forward at both regional and country levels through grassroots and intergovernmental efforts.

## **Expected Outcomes**

Outcomes from the session include:

- A clear understanding of CSW69's outcomes, including the Political Declaration
- Build awareness of the six action areas "+1" of the Beijing+30 Action Agenda
- Create a collaborative space for young feminists to discuss the implications of CSW69 and next steps for action in preparation for UNGA80 and CSW70



### **Process**

This will be a 60-minute webinar conducted over Zoom. No preparatory sessions are required, but UN Women will share background materials on the CSW69 and the Beijing+30 Action Agenda prior to the meeting to support participants' understanding.

#### **Webinar Structure**

- Welcome and introductions (10 minutes)
- Presentation/Briefing on CSW69 and the Political Declaration (20 minutes)
- Overview of the Beijing +30 Action Agenda (15 minutes)
- Discussion of preparations for CSW70 (10 minutes)
- Conclusion (5 minutes)

The invitation will be extended to members of various young feminist networks, including young women and girl-led organizations. In line with our commitment to leaving no one behind, we particularly encourage the active participation of young people from underrepresented backgrounds, including but not limited to LGBTQIA+ young persons, Indigenous young persons, young persons of African-descent, young refugees, migrants or displaced persons, young persons with disabilities, and those who are affected by and experience socio-economic challenges.

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