WEBINAR SERIES – Disability Inclusion at UN Women

# Webinar 1: Challenges and Solutions to Inclusion

**Date:** 24 July 2019 | **Time**: 9 AM – 11 AM ET | **Location:** UN Women Headquarters CR 19-19

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| **Draft Agenda** |
| **Session title**  | **Speaker**  | **Time allocated**  |
| Welcome and introduction | Megan Smith, Gender and Development Adviser, IDA  | **5 mins** (9:00 – 9:05 AM)  |
| Overview of UN Women’s work  | Monjurul Kabir, UN Women  | **10 mins** (9:05 – 9:15 AM) |
| Understanding meaningful participation and DPO leadership | Judith Ekaete Umoh, Board Member of African Disability Forum, IDA member | **20 mins** (9:15 – 9:35 AM) *(10 min presentation followed by 10 mins for discussion)*  |
| Challenges that hinder full and effective participation of women with disabilities | Gaps in access to resources  | Bailey Grey, Program Director, Disability Rights Fund  | **15 mins** (9:35 – 9:50 AM) (*10 min presentation followed by 5 mins for discussion)* |
| Gaps in alliances  | Nidhi Goyal, Founder and Director, Rising Flame; Global Civil Society Advisory Group, UN Women | **15 mins** (9:50 – 10:05 AM) (*10 min presentation followed by 5 mins for discussion)* |
| Good practices | How working with various stakeholders can provide a dynamic source of ideas and policy perspectives to address multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination faced by women with disabilities | Boram Lee, Disability Advisor, Women’s Refugee Commission | **15 mins** (10:05 – 10:20 AM) (*10 min presentation followed by 5 mins for discussion)* |
| How directly funding organizations of women with disabilities provides spaces for them to address their needs and priorities  | Kefah Abu Ghoush, Executive Director, Stars of Hope  | **15 mins** (10:20 – 10:35 AM) (*10 min presentation followed by 5 mins for discussion)* |
| Upcoming opportunities for engagement | Ritah Muyambo, Programme Specialist, UN Women | **20 mins** (10:35 – 10:50 AM) *(10 min presentation followed by 10 mins for discussion)*  |
| Wrap up  |  | **10 mins** (10:50 – 11:00 AM)  |