

**Expert Group Meeting**

**Intersections between women’s rights and the rights of persons with disabilities**

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