GIRLS' ACTIVISM: ACCOMPLISHMENTS, CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITY FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

65TH SESSION OF THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

MARCH 19 2021

9.00 AM - 11.00 AM EST
2.00 PM - 4.00 PM CET

OBJECTIVES

Ensuring that girls and young women have access to decision-making and policy-making spaces is key to shaping a more sustainable and just future for all. The purpose of the event is to provide an enabling space for girls, young women activists and all relevant partners to discuss:

- Accomplishments of girls and young women activists and networks, and challenges that girls face in engaging with decision-makers, promoting their agendas and organising collectively;
- The support needed by girls and youth-led initiatives to meaningfully participate in formal and informal processes;
- How CSOs as well as feminist and women’s rights movements can better support youth-led initiatives;
- What changes should be introduced at the different public and political spaces to enable girls’ and young women’s involvement and participation;
- Good practices in providing spaces for girls to engage in formal political processes.

Registration link:
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_5WhtUXv4RFm3ll4qAm94fg

PANELLISTS

- Ivan Šimonović, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Croatia to the UN in New York, opening remarks
- Ivana Radačić, member of the Working Group on Discrimination against Women and Girls, moderator
- Sofia Scarlat, girl activist from Eastern Europe
- Mariana Reyes, girl activist from LAC region
- Samantha Chidodo, girl activist from Africa
- Rose Hayahay, young indigenous leader from Asia
- Imogen Senior, girl activist from WEOG region
- Jona Claire Turalde, advisor at FRIDA, the Feminist Fund