



IFUW Update- 7 January 2013

Worldwide Event: ONE BILLION RISING

We invite you to mobilize on 14 February: you can use this song and choreography to invite your members to dance and say no to Violence Against Women (VAW) by joining with European Women's Lobby (EWL) members to create joyful and powerful events. The OBR website, onebillionrising.org, provides a lot of information on how people and organizations are mobilizing all around the world. You can also download a toolkit and insert your own event.

Please send us your feedback, video posts, photos and how you intend to participate. We will be happy to post them on our website.

NFA News and Announcements



IFUW received an honourable mention in Morocco's "Le matin" newspaper following an interview with IFUW Vice President Anne Nègre on 29 January 2013. [Click here to view and read the article in full \(in French\)](#)

Photo: IFUW Vice President and President: Anne Nègre and Marianne Haslegrave

Young Members Newsletter

The **Young Members Newsletter** has just been released, [click here](#) to read contributions from the Network on the IFUW triennial Conference, the possibility of a starting anew IFUW NFA in Afghanistan, and Taking Advantage of Women's Networks to Reach Women Directly and much more.

Upcoming Events

UNESCO and UNICEF launch Post-2015 Global Thematic Consultation on Education online

This is one of a series of country and global thematic consultations that the United Nations Development Group (UNDG) is convening with the aim to ensure a diversity of voices in conversations on the shape and content of the Post-2015 Development Agenda. One of the themes that has been identified as a matter of critical importance is *education*. To read the welcome note and participate in online moderated e-discussions, choose one of the following options: [English](#) and [French](#). Or visit: www.worldwewant2015.org/education2015

Upcoming International Events

11 February - 1 March 2013 - The Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW), Geneva, Switzerland, 54th Session from A half day programme on access to justice will take place on February 18,

4 - 15 March 2013 - New York, Committee on the Status of Women (CSW) 57

8 March - International Women's Day

22 - 26 April 2013 - New York, 46th Commission on Population and Development

31st Triennial Conference

More information on IFUW's 31st Triennial Conference in Istanbul is now available on our website including a provisional programme, calls for Workshop proposals, Interdisciplinary Seminar Papers, Constitutional Amendments, Resolutions and Nominations. Further information regarding registration and accommodation will be available soon.

www.ifuw.org/ifuw2013/programme/

IMPORTANT DEADLINES COMING SOON

CALL FOR RESOLUTIONS FOR THE 31ST IFUW TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE – deadline for receipt 15 February 2013 - See Circular 8/2012 - initially sent out in July 2012

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE IFUW BOARD, ALL COMMITTEES AND ASSISTANT TREASURERS – deadline for receipt 15 February 2013 - See Circular 12/2012 - initially sent out in September 2012

CALL FOR WORKSHOP PROPOSALS – deadline for receipt 28 February 2013
See Circular 14/2012 - initially sent out in October 2012

Please note that all these Circulars can be found on the IFUW website at:

<http://www.ifuw.org/resources/circulars/>

Material received after the deadlines cannot be considered.

Gender Equality Researchers and Trainees Wanted

The Oxbridge Human Development Research Group is opening applications for its Gender Equality Research Panel.

Over the next three months, this Panel will be producing reports that directly support the mandate of the UN Working Group on Discrimination Against Women at the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), focusing on women's current participation in the economic and social life of a selection of European countries. The research involved in the production of these reports will

require a high degree of quality and commitment from those involved, but the work is manageable, fascinating and represents a wonderful opportunity for anyone keen to develop their knowledge of gender discrimination, international law and the United Nations.

We are looking for approximately 5-6 people to contribute to research and writing, and 2 people to edit and generally oversee work-in-progress. Applicants for either of these roles should email ohdrg2013@gmail.com for an application form to be submitted by 9 pm on Thursday the 14th of February. All are invited to apply.

The European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE) announces its first two traineeships in 2013 based in Vilnius, Lithuania please bring these opportunities to the attention of potential candidates via the following links:

www.eige.europa.eu/content/career-opportunity/eige-2013-tr-02

www.eige.europa.eu/content/career-opportunity/eige-2013-tr-04

IFUW Connections

You may now subscribe and unsubscribe to any of the network and discussion groups that IFUW offers including Connections. Information on our member networks and discussion groups can be found under 'Resources' from the drop down menu on our home page, or you may simply click the following link to sign up: www.ifuw.org/resources/networks/

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Reserve 16-21 August 2013 and join us at the 31st Triennial Conference, Istanbul 2013, to “Meet where the continents meet”. A great opportunity to renew friendships, exchange and learn.

www.ifuw2013istanbul.org

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