

# Tuesday 17, May Schedule

## Concurrent Sessions at a Glance

### Sexual and Reproductive Rights are Human Rights

Sexual and reproductive rights are human rights and key to achieving global progress. Yet they remain contested, misunderstood, and not fully integrated into the SDGs. This session will show how indispensable they are and how they contribute to sustainable development.

#### MODERATOR

**Sandeep Prasad**, Executive Director, Action Canada for Sexual Health and Rights

#### SPEAKERS

**Laura Laski**, Chief, Sexual and Reproductive Health Branch, Technical Division, UNFPA

**Address Malata**, Principal, Kamuzu College of Nursing, University of Malawi,

Vice President of International Confederation of Midwives, Director, Collaborating Centre for Inter-professional Education and Practice, WHO

**Ankit Gupta**, Queer Feminist Activist, member, Youth Coalition for Sexual and Reproductive Rights (YCSRR), Women Deliver Young Leader, India

**Elena Eva Reynaga**, Founder and Executive Secretary of the Network of Women Sex Workers from Latin America and the Caribbean (RedTraSex)

10:30 - 12:00  
Room B3-2



### Ending Child Marriage: Justice, Equality, and Human Rights

Child, early, and forced marriage is a human rights violation that not only undermines gender equality but also carries significant risks to girls' and women's sexual and reproductive health and survival. Come explore critical strategies to end child marriage in the context of recent global political and legal developments.

#### MODERATOR

**Her Royal Highness Princess Mabel van Oranje**, Chair, Girls Not Brides

#### SPEAKERS

**Danielle Engel**, Technical Specialist, Adolescent and Youth, UNFPA

**Melissa Upreti**, Regional Director for Asia, Center for Reproductive Rights

**Nyaradzayi Gumbonzvanda**, General Secretary, World YWCA, Goodwill Ambassador of the African Union Campaign to End Child Marriage

**Loveness Mudzuru**, Anti-Child Marriage Advocate, Zimbabwe

**Satvika Chalasani**, Technical Specialist, UNFPA

**H.E. Bety Aichatou Habibou Omani**, Minister of Secondary Education, Niger

10:30 - 12:00  
Room B4-2



10:30 – 12:00  
Room C1-M2



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## My Life, My Rights, My Future: Young People and Contraception

Access to quality contraceptive counseling helps young people make informed decisions about their health and future. This session will bring together high-level stakeholders to explore how youth-driven interventions are leading the way to healthier, more prosperous generations.

### MODERATOR

**Imane Khachani**, Resident in Obstetrics, Gynaecology and Reproductive Medicine,  
Maternity Hospital Les Orangers, National Reference Center in Reproductive Health, Morocco

### SPEAKERS

**Khadija Sinanan**, World Contraception Day Ambassador, 2013 Women Deliver Young Leader,  
Trinidad and Tobago

**Klaus Brill**, Vice President, Global Healthcare Programs, Bayer Pharma AG

**Babatunde Osotimehin**, Executive Director, UNFPA

**Megan Elliot**, Vice President, Strategy and Development, Marie Stopes International

**Virginia Abalos**, MD/OB-GYN, Care Group Member

**Gvantsa Khizanishvili**, World Contraception Day Ambassador, 2013 Women Deliver Young Leader, Georgia

**Vijayanathan Thusandra**, World Contraception Day Ambassador,  
2013 Women Deliver Young Leader, Sri Lanka

13:30 – 14:30  
Room C1-M1



## Essential Care in Humanitarian Settings

The worst rates of preventable mortality and morbidity occur in humanitarian settings. A humanitarian crisis puts every woman, child, newborn, and adolescent at grave risk. Speakers will discuss how changing national planning processes for crisis preparedness can change this.

### MODERATOR

**Her Royal Highness Princess Sarah Zeid of Jordan**, Convenor, Humanitarian Working Group,  
Every Woman Every Child, UN

### SPEAKERS

**Anita Sharma**, Executive Director, United Nations Foundation

**Rajat Khosla**, Human Rights Advisor, Department of Reproductive Health Research, WHO

**Ugochi Daniels**, Chief, Humanitarian Branch, UNFPA

**Laurie Noto Parker**, Director, Special Projects, Ipas

**Aditi Sharma**, International Organization for Migration, Women Deliver Young Leader, Nepal

**Jane Waterman**, Senior Vice President, International Rescue Committee (IRC)



## 10 Things You Need to Know About The SDGs

We've said goodbye to the MDGs and embraced a brand-new set of goals and targets, the SDGs. Get ready to put on your gender lens and discover ways of leveraging the SDGs framework to advance the health, rights, and wellbeing of girls and women.

### MODERATOR

**Susan Papp**, Director of Policy and Advocacy, Women Deliver

### SPEAKERS

**Rachel Snow**, Chief, Population and Development Branch, UNFPA

**Geoff Adlidge**, Director, Advocacy and Communications, Global Partnership for Education

**Eleanor Blomstrom**, Program Director/Head of Office, WEDO and the Women's Major Group

**Hon. Nana Oye Lithur**, Minister for Gender, Children & Social Protection, Ghana

**Catherine Wanjiru Nyambura**, Dandelion Kenya, Women Deliver Young Leader

13:30 - 14:30  
Room C1-M0



*Interpretation  
Services Offered*

15:00 - 16:00  
Room B4-4



## Adding It Up: Solutions for Adolescents' Sexual and Reproductive Health

A new Guttmacher report, "Adding It Up for Adolescents" presents comprehensive global and regional analyses of the need for sexual and reproductive health services among adolescents in the developing world, the costs of providing those services, and the potential benefits of investments in these essential services on adolescents' lives.

### MODERATOR

**Cynthia Summers**, Executive Vice President and Vice President for Communications and Publications, Guttmacher Institute

### SPEAKERS

**Akinrinola Bankole**, Director of International Research, Guttmacher Institute

**Laura Laski**, Chief, Sexual and Reproductive Health Unit, UNFPA

**Unami Moatswi**, Co-founder, Young Love and Women Deliver Young Leader, Botswana

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### Arts and Cinema Corner

The Cinema Corner is located in Room 20 on the First Floor (see page 16).

#### TIME

#### FILM

12:15 - 12:45

#### Hearts At Peace

**Neal Broffman & Elisa Gambino**, One Production Place, Johnson & Johnson, Fistula Foundation, UNFPA (Ethiopia/Tanzania)

J & J partners work to prevent and surgically repair obstetric fistula while also supporting women and girls as they reintegrate into their families and community after treatment.

13:15 - 13:45

#### Be a Man, Respect Women

**Mariam Khan**, UNFPA (Algeria)

A video spot to advocate for male involvement in ending gender-based violence.

# Wednesday, 18 May Schedule

## Concurrent Sessions at a Glance

10:30 – 12:00  
Room B3-4



### Ending Violence Against Women and Girls: A Comprehensive Approach

The recently adopted 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development has placed violence against girls and women high on the international development agenda. Panelists will highlight the need for a comprehensive approach to ending systemic violence and present strategies to end this violation of human rights.

#### MODERATORS

**Juncal Plazaola-Castaño**, Violence against Women Data Specialist, Ending Violence against Women Section, UN Women

**Geeta Lal**, Senior Technical Advisor Human Resources for Health, UNFPA

#### SPEAKERS

**Marai Larasi**, Executive Director, Imkaan and Co-Chair, Ending Violence Against Women Coalition, UK

**Professor Joy Ezeilo**, Faculty of Law, University of Nigeria, Executive Director, Women's Aid Collective, Nigeria

**Claudia Garcia-Moreno**, Team Leader for Sexual Health, Gender, Reproductive Rights and Adolescence, Department of Reproductive Health and Research, WHO

**Vivian Onano**, African Leadership Academy, Women Deliver Young Leader, Kenya

13:30 – 14:30  
Room B4-2



### Trafficking as Systemic Violence Against Girls and Women

Ending human trafficking is an international priority that often gets mired in ineffective interventions, political moralizing, and failures to provide survivors with appropriate services to reclaim their lives. This panel will address challenges facing the anti-trafficking movement and best practices.

#### SPEAKERS

**Noy Thrupkaew**, Journalist

**Natasha Leite de Moura**, Project Development Specialist on Violence Against Women and Human Trafficking, UNFPA, Women Deliver Young Leader, Brazil

**Bandana Pattanaik**, International Coordinator, Global Alliance Against Traffic in Women

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## Investing in Community-Based Approaches to Strengthen Primary Care

The aim of this session is to highlight and discuss the importance of investing in Primary care in developing markets. This session (50 min) envisages an objective noncommercial panel discussion with moderator—starting with short statements by panel members and then moving to questions and discussion. Existing or new solutions will be part of this.

### MODERATOR

Lieve Fransen, Senior Policy Advisor, Philips

### SPEAKERS

Arthur Erken, Director of Communications and Strategic Partnerships, UNFPA

Githinji Gitahi, Group CEO, Amref Health Africa

13:30 – 14:30  
Room B4-4



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# Thursday, 19 May Schedule

## Speakers' Corner Stage

### Doris Mawuse Aglobitse

National Programme Analyst, UNFPA Ghana

**Mobilizing Funding for Maternal Mortality Reduction Programming:**

**The Success Story of Catalyzing Political Will in the Implementation of CARMMA in Ghana**

11:50 – 12:05