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**FEMINISTS DEMAND
CLIMATE JUSTICE**

Getting Ready for SB50

Content

+++ 60 min webinar for getting ready for SB50

+++ What is in the Katowice package for gender equality and human rights

+++ Zoom into the mitigation section (NDCs)

+++ Zoom into Article 6 (cooperative approaches, sustainable development mechanism, non-market mechanism)

+++ Gender entry points at SB50

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+++ Questions and Closing



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Katowice package

COP24: What has happend



- Under Polish Presidency COP24 took place in Katowice
- Most relevant after COP21
- **Katowice package: Decision 1/CP.24**
- IPCC special report on 1.5C
- Talanoa Dialogue
- Finalisation of Paris Agreement Work Programme (rulebook/implementation guidelines)
- High-level ministerial dialogue on climate finance

Human Rights and gender equality in Katowice package



We find references in:

- Adaptation Communication (Art. 7)
- Finance (Art. 9)
- Technology framework (Art. 10) (good practice for gender)
- Capacity Building (Art. 12)
- Transparency framework (Art. 13)

→ Monitor implementation

Where are we missing references:

- Global Stocktake
- Mainstreaming and operationalisation of all eight Principles of the Paris Agreement, in particular intergenerational equity and human rights



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State of mitigation section and NDCs

State of Play - NDCs



- Further guidance in relation to the mitigation section of decision 1/CP.21 (decision 4/CMA.1);
- Modalities and procedures for the operation and use of a public registry referred to in Article 4, paragraph 12, of the Paris Agreement (decision 5/CMA.1);
- Common time frames for nationally determined contributions referred to in Article 4, paragraph 10, of the Paris Agreement (decision 6/CMA.1);
- Modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures (decision 7/CMA.1);

What did we get in Katowice?



Features: (4/CMA.1): Considers further guidance on features of NDCs in 2024

Information to facilitate clarity, transparency and understanding of NDCs (**ICTU**): Parties have to apply this guidance from their second NDC on; Parties shall provide this information contained in the annex 1 as applicable to their NDCs; Quantifiable information e.g. reference points, starting points for mitigation contributions; What government did to prepare its NDC (e.g. information on domestic institutional arrangement, public participation, engagement with local communities and indigenous people, gender responsive-manner...);

What did we get in Katowice?



Emissions accounting (4/CMA1): avoid double counting, Parties account for their NDCs in biennial transparency reports (BTR) Avoid double counting;

Public registry (5/CMA1): the interim public registry will serve as the public registry for NDCs & secretariat will develop and present a prototype of registry by June 2019

Common time frames for NDCs (6/CMA1): Parties shall apply common time frames from 2031 on & requests SBI 50 to continue consideration



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State of Article 6

Article 6: Market & Non-Market Mechanisms



- What's it all about?
- State of Play following COP24
- SB50 & COP25
- Key Asks
 - Safeguards
 - Consultation
 - Grievance Redress



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Gender entry points at SB50

Overview of agenda items and mandated events



- Gender (SBI 16) and gender workshop 16-18 June:
<https://unfccc.int/topics/gender/events-meetings/workshops-dialogues/workshop-on-gender-and-climate-change-june-2019>
- Koronivia joint work on agriculture (SBI 8/SBSTA 5) and workshop on methods and approaches for assessing adaptation co-benefits and resilience
- Scope of the next periodic review (on achieving long-term temperature goal) (SBSTA 6) incl. IPCC special report

Overview of agenda items and mandated events



- Impacts on response measures (SBSTA 7)
- Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform Dialogues
- Capacity-Building
 - 8th Durban Forum
 - 3rd Meeting of Paris Committee on Capacity-Building
 - 7th Dialogue on Action for Climate Empowerment



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How to get involved in the Women and Gender Constituency

WOMEN and GENDER CONSTITUENCY

- ❖ **The Women and Gender Constituency (WGC) is one of the nine stakeholder groups of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and consists of women's and environmental civil society organizations and networks with vast experience working on gender and climate related issues at all governance levels.**
- ❖ **These constituencies provide focal points for easier interaction with the UNFCCC Secretariat, based in Bonn, and individual governments**
- ❖ **Is a platform for observer organizations working to ensure women's rights and gender justice within the climate change convention framework.**
- ❖ **The Constituency provides a number of ways for civil society and non-governmental organizations which work for women's rights and gender justice, environmental protection, or both, to influence the annual conferences and help develop the UNFCCC.**
- ❖ **Also provides a platform to exchange information between members and with the UNFCCC Secretariat.**
- ❖ **The constituency ensures as well that meetings, workshops and conferences include the participation and representation of women's civil society and non-governmental organizations which otherwise would not be able to attend.**
- ❖ **The WGC current co-focal points are Bridget Burns – global north focal point - bridget@wedo.org and Ndivile Mokoena – global south focal point – ndivile@gendercc.org.za**

HOW TO GET INVOLVED?

- ❖ **Joining the advocacy list**
- ❖ **The Advocacy team is for those actively engaged in climate change policy**
- ❖ **Interested organizations should contact the focal points with the following information:-**
 - *Brief description of your organization's role in advocating for gender equality and a women's human rights perspective in the UNFCCC.*
 - *Your organization's key priorities on gender equality and women's human rights*
 - *What is the primary interest of your organization to join the Women and Gender Constituency?*
 - *How does your organization plan to engage in the WGC?*
- ❖ **This Civil Society Observer (CSO) list is for sharing key advocacy positions**
- ❖ **Members of this list must be actively engaged in climate change policy but not necessarily accredited to the UNFCCC.**
- ❖ **Our members share a commitment to gender equality and women's issues as they relate to climate change.**

WOMEN'S CAUCUS

- ❖ The Constituency has established and hosts a Women's Caucus and respective mailing list.
- ❖ The Caucus is a space for *all* those interested in women's human rights and gender equality to network, share and collectively advocate.
- ❖ This list may be joined through signing up on the [homepage](#) of our website.
- ❖ Women's Caucus meetings are organized during the official meeting time for the Women and Gender Constituency at each meeting and intersessional of the UNFCCC.



PREPARATIONS FOR THE SB50 – 17 – 27 JUNE 2019

- ❖ **Strategy meeting on 16th June at Gustav Stresemann Institute (tentatively between 10am – 1pm)**
- ❖ **Upcoming events:-**
 - **16 – 18 June – Gender workshop**
 - **17 – 19 June – Agriculture – Koronivia workshop**
 - **19 June – Local Community & Indigenous Peoples Platform**
 - **19 June – 7th Dialogue on ACE**
 - **20 – 22 June – 3rd meeting of the Paris Committee on Capacity-building**
- ❖ **Side events:-**
 - **Implementing gender-responsive NDC's from bottom up – 25/06 (16h45 – 18h15) at Kaminzimmer**
 - **Incorporating human rights in NDC's – 22/06 (11h30 – 13h00)**
 - **Acting on the Gender Action Plan: Year 2 – 26/06 (16h45 – 18h15) at Kaminzimmer.**
- ❖ **Important Themes:-**
 - **NDC's**
 - **GAP & Lima Work Programme**
 - **Loss & damage**
 - **Article 6 (Market Mechanisms)**

THANK YOU

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Questions and discussion?



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