

Sustainable Infrastructure Creation for Gender Equality in Sport and Physical Activity for Girls and Women

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CSW63 Parallel Event

 **8:30 a.m.**

 **March 13, 2019**

 **Green Room, 4 W 43rd Street
New York, NY**

Sport for girls and women is experiencing unprecedented growth in participation, media attention, and investment globally.

- Hear from world leaders for gender equality in sport.
- Gain a powerful overview of actionable strategies driving progress for gender inclusion and rights in sport and ideas to be applied across societies.



SPEAKERS

“Women’s Sports Effecting Change in Africa”

Diane Huffman// Chair of International Committee, WomenSport International (WSI); Senior Advisor of International Development, Norwegian Olympic Paralympic Committees and Confederation of Sports.

“Training the Trainers for Women Basketball – Somali Women Foundation Empowering Young Girls and Promoting Peace and Social Integration Through Sport”

Suad Galow// Founder and President Somali Women Foundation; Olympian Somali Women National Team.

“The Importance of Entrenching Gender Equality in Statutes and Contractual Agreements.”

Nancy Lee// Coordinated the IOC Gender Equality Review Project and authored the Recommendations Report ; former Head of Sport Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

“Utilizing Collaborative Partners to Advance Gender Equality in Sport”

Sarah Axelson// Senior Director of Advocacy, Women’s Sports Foundation

“Empowering Women and Girls Through Sustainable Change to Domestic Sporting Systems and Infrastructure”

Sarah Leberman// Co-Founder and Co-Chair, Women and Sport Aotearoa, New Zealand; Professor Massey University; Women and Sport Aotearoa is a new Research and advocacy organization and is a delivery organization for the International Working Group on Women and Sport (IWG), Secretariate and Conference 2018-2022.

“Supporting Women in Low-Resourced Communities Around the World to be more Active”

Carol Garber// Professor and Chair of Biobehavioral Sciences, Teacher’s College, Columbia; Past President American College of Sports Medicine