

KARAT conference

European Development Days 2011 associated event

Practicing the Promises: Post-Busan development agenda from gender perspective.

Opportunity or challenge for EU NMS?

13-14 December, Warsaw, Poland



Main Objectives of the meeting:

- Increase of awareness and understanding of aid effectiveness process and Busan Outcome Document on aid effectiveness from gender perspective
- Mapping and analysis of donors (especially from EU NMS) and Global South partners engagement in ensuring gender equality and women's empowerment in development policies and programs
- Identification of possibilities for CSOs lobbing and advocacy work on European, regional and national level using new aid effectiveness agenda towards gender –sensitive and responsive development cooperation
- Development of common advocacy strategy of CSOs from EU NMS for gender sensitive implementation of aid effectiveness agenda after HLF4 in Busan.

	TIME	TOPICS	OBJECTIVE and OUTPUT	Speakers
	FIRST DAY			
I.	8:45- 9:15	Registration		
II.	9:15 – 9:30	Welcome & Introduction	Introduction to the meeting, background of the Connect! project, goals of the event and overview of the agenda and materials.	Kinga Lohmann, KARAT Coalition Joanna Szabuńko, KARAT Coalition
III.	9:30 - 9:40	Presentation of participants	Introduction of participants & logistics	Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition











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IV.	9:40 – 10:45	Aid effectiveness process before and after Busan.	Presentations: Aid effectiveness process and its latest outcomes, trends, progress, impasse in development agenda Role of women's organizations in Open Forum for CSOs development effectiveness Busan Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation: process of negotiation on the content and analysis of the document from gender perspective EU/EU NMS participation and position at HLF4 in Busan	Panelists: Marcin Wojtalik, IGO – Institute of Global Responsibility, Poland Kinga Lohmann, KARAT Coalition Kasia Staszewska, WIDE Network/ BetterAid Interventions from the floor: Jitka Adamčíková, Czech Development Agency Eva Havelkova, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Bulgaria (tbc) Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland (tbc)
	10:45 – 11:00	COFEE BREAK		
V.	11:00 – 12:30	Busan outcomes through gender lens.	Panel discussion: Opportunities and threats of the Busan outcomes for gender equality and women's empowerment Lessons learned by women's organizations in the preparation process and at HLF4 Questions & Answers	Facilitator: Veronique Dion, independent consultant Panelists: Kasia Staszewska , WIDE Network/BetterAid Roselynn Musa, African Women's Development and Communication Network FEMNET Chipo Kanjo, Coalition of women living with HIV/AIDS
	12:30 – 13:45	LUNCH	<u>I</u>	1











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VI.	13:45 – 14:30	Gender and aid effectiveness in development cooperation of EU NMS	Presentations (introduction to the working groups): • Main findings from two case study researches from Czech Republic and Poland related to aid effectiveness. Current situation and recommendations for future improvement. Questions & Answers	Speakers: Lucie Bilderová, Gender Studies, Czech Republic Wojciech Tworkowski, independent researcher, Poland
VII.	14:30- 15:45	Working groups: where are EU NMS on road to effective gender -sensitive and –responsive development cooperation?	Topics for discussion: SWOT analysis of gender equality and women's empowerment in national policies and programs on development cooperation in the context of aid/development effectiveness.	Facilitators: Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition Veronique Dion, independent consultant
15:45-16:00 COFFEE BREAK				
VIII.	16:00 – 17:00	Feedback from the working groups and closing of day 1	 Presentations of the working group reporteurs Closing remarks 	Facilitators: Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition Veronique Dion, independent consultant
17:00 – 17:30		SIDE EVENT: EU DONORS UNDER WOMEN's WATCH: Official Launch of the WIDE aid effectiveness report organized by WIDE Network Launch of the report & glass of wine Please find attached the leaflet about the side event		











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	SECOND DAY				
I.	9:00 – 9:15	Opening and agenda overview for day 2.	Short summary of the day 1.Agenda for the day 2.	Joanna Szabuńko, KARAT Coalition Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition	
II.	9:15- 10:30	Beyond the HLF4: what's next with the new aid effectiveness agenda?	Presentations: Implementation of BOD on national and international level Monitoring of BOD's implementation (possible indicators and measures) Role of CSOs in the new aid effectiveness agenda Reflections of SSA and Eastern partners Questions & Answers	Panelist: Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition Interventions from the floor: Roselynn Musa, African Women's Development and Communication Network FEMNET Chipo Kanjo, Coalition of women living with HIV/AIDS, Malawi Dosalieva Balgaky, Women Support Center, Kyrgyzstan	
	10:30 – 10:45	COFFEE BREAK			
III.	10:45 – 12:30	Beyond the HLF4: Dialogue between CSOs and decision makers on gender in the new aid effectiveness agenda	Panel discussion: Possibilities of advocacy work/ lobbing using BOD Good practices of dialogue at international level Good practices of dialogue at national level Possibilities of cooperation between decision makers and CSOs – decision makers' point of view Questions & Answers	Facilitator: Izabela Wilczyńska, PAH, Poland Panelists: Jitka Adamčíková, Czech Development Agency Eva Havelkova, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic Katarzyna Kaczmarska, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland Oana Maria Adina PERJU, FOND, Romania Nadya Boneva, Bulgarian Platform for International Development, Bulgaria Monika Matus, Zagranica Group, Poland	











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	12:30- 13:45	LUNCH		
IV.	13:45 – 14:00	Introduction to working groups	 Outcomes from Regional thematic consultations on gender equality and women's empowerment for Open Forum for CSO development effectiveness 	Joanna Szabuńko, KARAT Coalition
V.	14:00 – 15:30	Working groups: how to achieve effective implementation of gender equality and women's empowerment to development cooperation?	 Topics for discussion (based on the SWOT analysis from Day 1): Priorities for NMS in work towards gender responsive and effective development cooperation Main recommendations to different development actors in NMS Action plan (how to address the recommendation and maintain dialogue with different development actors after the conference) 	Facilitators: Joanna Szabuńko, KARAT Coalition and Veronique Dion, independent consultant
	15:30 – 15:45 COFFEE BREAK			
VI.	15:45- 16:30	Feedback from the working groups	 Presentations of the working group reporteurs Summary of working groups' work and follow up steps by facilitators 	Joanna Szabuńko, KARAT Coalition and Veronique Dion, independent consultant
VII.	16:30 – 17:00	Closing session	Feedback and evaluation	Marta Gontarska, KARAT Coalition







