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# Feminist Approaches to Justice: Empowerment of Women and Girls in the Digital Age

Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023  
8:30 – 10:30am EDT

Church Center of the United Nations, 8<sup>th</sup> floor, 777 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY

This event will feature sociological and interdisciplinary research as well as policy-relevant recommendations related to the priority theme of CSW67: Innovation and technological change, and education in the digital age for achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls. Panelists will discuss current trends and data from around the globe.

## Chair

### Introduction of Sponsoring Organizations and Panel

Dr. Rosemary Barberet, ISA and CWB Representative to the United Nations; Professor, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York (USA); and Adjunct Professor in the Faculty of Law, School of Justice, Queensland University of Technology (AUSTRALIA)

## Opening Remarks

### Digital Age - Challenge or Opportunity for Empowering Women and Girls?

Ambassador Anwarul K. Chowdhury, Former Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and Initiator of UNSCR 1325 on Women and Peace & Security as the President of the UN Security Council in March 2000

## Panelists

### The Empowerment of Women and Girls in the Context of the Cybercrime Convention Negotiations

Gilberto Duarte Santos, Esq., Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Officer, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), New York Liaison Office

### The Dark Side of Innovation: Implications for a Feminist Criminology in the Digital Age

Dr. Marie-Michelle Strah, International Consultant and Adjunct Professor, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY (USA)

### Gender-Based Violence in the Digital Age: Challenges and Responses

Dr. Dimitra Laurence Laroche, Postdoctoral Researcher (Université du Québec à Montréal) (CANADA) and Youth Representative to the United Nations, International Sociological Association

### Girls' Experiences of Digitally Mediated Interactions

Dr. Sue Nichols, Professor of Education, Centre for Research in Educational and Social Inclusion, University of South Australia (AUSTRALIA)

## Q&A Moderator

Dr. Jan Marie Fritz, International Sociological Association (ISA) Executive Committee Member; ISA Representative to the UN; Professor, University of Cincinnati (USA); Distinguished Visiting Professor, University of Johannesburg (SOUTH AFRICA)

Panel Focus: SDGs 5, 10 & 16. CSW67 Priority Theme - Innovation and technological change, and education in the digital age for achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls.

