To: National Federations and Associations (NFA) Presidents, CIRs and Secretaries and Independent Members
From: GWI Board of Officers
Subject: 34th General Assembly Draft Agenda

The draft Agenda of the 34th General Assembly, 11-12 November 2022 is being sent to National Federations and Associations (NFAs) and Independent Members to send their comments and suggestions to the items for inclusion on the agenda. **The draft agenda can be found HERE.**

The final agenda will be sent out one month before the General Assembly. No further items may be placed on the Agenda except by decision of the 34th General Assembly in matters of urgency or by two-thirds majority of the members of the General Assembly entitled to vote and voting.

Please send items for inclusion by e-mail to VP Governance, Veena Bathe, *veena.bathe@gamil.com* with the subject line ‘34th GWI General Assembly Agenda’ no later than 25 September 2022.

There will be meetings prior to the 34th General Assembly for discussions of the proposed policy, internal and constitutional resolutions. All pre-conference discussion meetings and sessions of the GWI 34th General Assembly, will be open to registered members to speak according to the *Rules of Procedure GWI General Assembly* which will be sent shortly.

It is to be hoped that as many members as possible will attend the General Assembly, so that your voices can be heard.

Registration is open for the GWI 34th triennial General Assembly and Conference under the theme, *'From Growth to Sustainability'* , with the Indian Federation of University Women’s Associations (IFUWA) as the co-host.
The General Assembly and Conference will center around five subthemes:

1. The change we need: Youth as leaders and change makers for modern adaptability to achieve and implement SDG 4.

2. Graduate women at the grassroots level: Localizing the SDGs through capacity building, awareness raising, outreach, community dialog, data collection, training and support.

3. Addressing general and systemic inequality in education; developing and influencing policy.

4. Beyond the basic skills (reading, writing and arithmetic): Promotion of education for peace, health, civics, culture and the arts, ecology, and sports, social and vocational skills.

5. COVID-19: Compensating for the effects of COVID-19 on education for women and girls; how to adapt and move forward.

Interactive workshops, seminars and panels will focus on the event theme and subthemes with the goal to Renew and Rebuild GWI and pivot towards a sharper focus on Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 4, build working relationships with external stakeholders, and engage members in practical SDG 4 projects. Sessions complementing the subthemes will be offered by experts from GWI membership as well as distinguished and international speakers.

The virtual General Assembly and Conference is open to all GWI members worldwide. Early bird registration is CHF 60 until 31 August 2022. From 1st Sept 2022 it will be CHF 75. Register today by clicking HERE. Non-members of GWI are invited to register for the Conference portion HERE.

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