

GWI UPDATE – 24 August 2022

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Under the theme, From Growth to Sustainability, Graduate Women International (GWI) is proud to host the 34th triennial General Assembly and conference virtually on 11-13 November 2022 in collaboration with the Indian Federation of University Women's Associations. The early bird registration fee of 60 Swiss francs has been extended until 31 October 2022, so register today! GWI members are invited to click <u>HERE</u> to register for the General Assembly and conference. Nonmembers are invited to click <u>HERE</u> to register for the public conference.

Interactive workshops and seminars will be presented at the conference on 13 November 2022 by GWI's Young Member Network, and members from Canada, El Salvador, India, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Paraguay, Sierra Leone, Spain, Turkey and the U.S.A. The full line up of workshops and seminars will announced by 31 August.

All sessions 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.

A range of GWI expert members and guest speakers will share their experience on five subthemes:

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

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

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

Theme 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.

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

—Dates and events worth noting —

8 September International Literacy Day, Global 21 September International Day of Peace, Global

5 October World Teachers Day, Global

11 October International Day of the Girl, Global15 October International Day of Rural Women, Global

17 October International Day for the Eradication of Poverty, Global

24 October United Nations Day, Global

11-13 November GWI 34th triennial General Assembly and Conference

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