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Book Launch as part of the UNRISD Seminar Series

Gender and the Sustainable Development Goals Are the SDGs good news for women?

Agenda 2030 is ambitious in its vision, "transforming our world", broad in its 17 goals and 169 targets, and universal in its application to all countries. Is it good news for women? In this panel, experts from the UN and academia will reflect on the SDGs' potential, strengths and weaknesses from a gender perspective, and the challenges of their implementation.



With the participation of:

Emily Gillingham, Gender and Development Journal

Valeria Esquivel, Research Coordinator on Gender and Development, UNRISD

Gabriele Koehler, UNRISD Senior Research Associate and Member of the Governing Board of Women in Europe for a Common Future

Rafael Diez de Medina, Director, ILO Department of Statistics at International Labour Office (ILO)

Taffere Tesfachew, Director, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD

Moderated by:

Moira Faul, Visiting Fellow, UNRISD

This is the Geneva launch of the open access Oxfam journal "Gender & Development" devoted to the Sustainable Development Goals, co-edited by Valeria Esquivel and Caroline Sweetman.

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