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# Women's Participation and WPS Accountability in Syria: Geneva II Peace Negotiations and Beyond

## Speaker Series on Women, Peace and Security

with

Representatives from:

Syrian Women's League, Syrian Women's Network,  
and Syrian Women for Democracy

*Date: Thursday, 16 January 2014*

*Time: 13:15 to 14:30*

*Location: UN North Lawn Building (NLB) Room 4*

***Please RSVP by Tuesday 14 to: [antonia.strachwitz@nyc.ilv.li](mailto:antonia.strachwitz@nyc.ilv.li)***

This side event creates a forum for member state and civil society stakeholders to learn more about women's experiences in the Syrian conflict and recommendations for transition, accountability and peace. The representatives of Syria civil society will speak about what can be done to realize the objectives of resolution 2122 (2013) and the wider Women Peace Security agenda in the Syrian context. The discussions will include: how to strengthen women's full and equal participation in discussions on Syria's future; the gender impact of the Syria conflict, including conflict-related sexual violence and other gender-based violations; recommending a series of actions for the Security Council, United Nations and the international community. As part of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF)'s ongoing work to promote peace and freedom through disarmament and women's full and equal participation and rights, WILPF has been working with Syrian women to effectively engage with political transition processes in Syria and specifically focused on recommendations for Geneva II peace negotiations.