Women and Girls Perspectives on the Refugee and Migrant Summits

A high-level roundtable co-hosted by the Permanent Mission of the Canada to the United Nations, CARE International, Women’s Refugee Commission and Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom

13.15 – 14.30
Tuesday 20th September 2016

Speakers:
Senior government representatives
Civil society from Syria, Sudan and the Balkans

Both refugee and migrant women and girls face specific threats, including sexual violence and trafficking. Efforts of global and national stakeholders to respond to the crisis are often inconsistent in meeting their needs. Yet women are also organising themselves to support aid and protection efforts, such as through establishing safe spaces for women and children. This event will provide a space for women and girls from the frontlines of the refugee and migrant crisis to share their insights and recommendations with senior policy-makers. Please join us to explore how all stakeholders can do more to help raise women’s voices in contexts of displacement.

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