



ADVANCING WOMEN'S SUBSTANTIVE EQUALITY IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SDGS



SECURING WOMEN'S RIGHTS RELATED TO LAND, HEALTH AND WORK

The **ESCR-Net Women and ESCR Working Group**, in partnership with the **Permanent Mission of Finland to the United Nations**, is pleased to bring together women's rights advocates from different regions of the world to discuss how the framework of women's economic, social and cultural rights (ESCR), incorporating a substantive equality approach, can be used to promote gender equality in the implementation and monitoring of the sustainable development goals (SDGs).

This discussion will focus particularly on **land, health and work**, and the ESCR-Net Women and ESCR Working Group's **new briefing papers** analyzing these rights within the substantive equality framework will also be launched.

Welcome by the Permanent Mission of Finland to the United Nations, and ESCR-Net.

Comments from Mr. Philip Alston the UN Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights.

International panel with leading women's rights advocates:

- Ximena Andión Ibañez (ILSB)
- Mayra Gomez (GI-ESCR)
- Charlene May (LRC)
- Rebecca Brown (CRR)

**TUESDAY, 22 MARCH 2016
STARTING AT 1.15 PM**

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