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Annual National Conference on Women, Peace and Security October 22th-23th, 2024 – Juba, South Sudan

Under the Theme

“Forging Collaboration for advancing women leadership for lasting peace and security in South Sudan”

Time	Day One	Day Two
8:30 – 9:00	Arrival and registration (<i>MC for day one Mr. Peter Lemmy</i>)	Arrival and registration
09:00 – 10:00	Open Remarks. Opening Prayers (Christian & Muslim) Opening Remarks by Sr. Dr Alice Drajea, E.D. Eve Organization. E.D. YWCA E.D. WIPC ED. ONAD C.D. Christian Aid C.D. Plan International C.D. Cordaid CR. Rukaya Mohammed Rep. UNMISS Rep. Embassy of the Netherlands Hon. Aya Benjamin Warille, Ministry of Gender, Child and Social Welfare. Rt.Hon. Jemma Nunu Kumba, Speaker, R-NTLA. (<i>TBC</i>)	Panel Discussion: Impact of climate change on women and girls (forced displacement, hunger and poverty) Moderator: Dr. Monday Moses Panelists: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amb. Jackline Natepi 2. (Plan Intl) 3. (Healthnet) 4. YWCA 5. WIPC
10:00 – 10:30	Introduction of teams coming from the states Group Photo	
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break	





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11:00 – 12:00	Keynote: Forging collaboration for advancing women leadership for sustainable peace and security in the extended transition and beyond (Deputy Governor – Jonglei state TBC)	Group work: Women’s strategies for the transition period 1. Constitution making process (UNMISS) 2. Preparations for elections – women’s involvement and meaningful participation (Hon. Dr. Betty Ogwaro) 3. Effective means to improve income /livelihoods of women at the grassroot (UNW) 4. Mapping key stakeholders for advocacy and financing (Hon. Lona Lowilla)
12:00 – 1:30	Panel Discussion: R-ARCSS extension, what needs to be done differently this time? (Women and CSOs) Panelists: 1. Hon. Esther Ikere 2. Dr. Luka Biong 3. Adv. Jackline Nasiwa 4. Gasper Amule 5. UNW 6. UNMISS Moderator: Irene Lasu (TBC)	
1:30 – 2:30	Lunch	
2:30 – 3:30	Breakout groups and group presentations on advocacy points 1. Women political participation as a means of greater inclusivity and equality for a democratic SS (Deputy Governor Mary Lodira) 2. Examining the status of the 35% affirmative action during the transition - Challenges and Opportunities (Presenter Dr. Angelina Bazugba) 3. The Tumaini process, aspirations, status and challenges. (Presenter Ms. Lorna Merekaje) 4. Women Economic empowerment a tool for conflict prevention (UNW)	Mental health for women leaders: Self-care, meditation and mindfulness (Bishop Emeritus Dr. Isaiah Dau)
3:30 – 4:30	The Permanent Constitution Making Process: Updates and plans for the inclusion of women in the process <i>Hon. John Natana – SG of the R-NCRC</i>	Review of 2024 key recommendations and advocacy points and closing Remarks - Eve Organization - Hon. Aya Benjamin Warille, Ministry of Gender, Child and Social Welfare.





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4:30 – 5:00

Closure and Evening tea

