Justice for Women Forum, Forum Justice pour les Femmes,
مكتبة للمرأة، منتدى العدالة
Uganda, 6-8 October 2008

Monday 6 October 2008

9.00 Opening Plenary and Welcome  Kagera Hall
   Speakers:  Brigid Inder, Executive Director
             Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice

             Justice Nazhat Shameem (Keynote Address)
             Judge of the High Court, Fiji

             Honourable Syda Bumba, Minister for Gender,
             Labour and Social Development (Formal Opening)

10.30 Official Forum Photograph

Morning Tea

11.15 Panel: What lies behind the conflicts? An analysis of some of the
   interests and agendas driving armed conflicts  Kagera Hall
   Speakers:  Leymah Gbowee, Executive Director
             Women, Peace and Security Network Africa

             Joseph Dube, Africa Coordinator, International
             Action Network on Small Arms

1.00 Lunch

3.00 Concurrent Workshops:
   • ICC – (English and French) – Gloria Atiba Davis, Head of
     Gender and Children’s Unit, ICC  Sezzibwa Room
   • ICC – (Arabic) – Amira Khair, Outreach Officer for Sudan,
     ICC  Orange Room
   • Exchanging Strategies (3 languages) – Facilitated by
     Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice  Rwizi Room

Women’s Initiatives for Gender Justice
Afternoon Tea (in the workshop rooms)

5.30 Sessions Conclude

6.15 Dinner

Free Evening – Socialising, Massage, Marketplace, Sharing Film/Videos

Tuesday 7 October 2008

9.00 Panel: Justice for Women – the experiences and impact of armed conflicts (in Darfur, DRC, CAR and Uganda) on women and their views on justice, accountability and reconciliation. Kagera Hall

   Speakers: Rosalba Oywa, People’s Voice for Peace, Uganda

   Julienne Lusenge, Executive Director, SOFEPADI, DRC

10.30 Morning Tea

11.15 Panel continued - Bernadette Sayo, Executive Director, OCODEFAD, Central African Republic

   Nagat Bushra Hamid, Psychologist, SIHA, Sudan

1.00 Lunch

3.00 Concurrent Workshops:
   - Trust Fund for Victims (English and Arabic) – Scott Bartlett, ICC Sezzibwa Room
   - Trust Fund for Victims (French) – Aude le Goff, ICC Orange Room
   - ICC Victims Participation and Applications (3 languages) – Josephine Atim, ICC Rwizi Room
   - African Commission and Court for Human and People’s Rights (3 languages) – Osai Ojigho, Programmes Officer, Alliances for Africa, African Court Project Kagera Hall

Afternoon Tea (in the workshop rooms)

5.30 Sessions Conclude

6.30 Dinner, Party and Celebration – including live band and DJ
Wednesday 8 October 2008

10.00  Concurrent Workshops:

- Demobilisation, Disarmament, Rehabilitation and Reintegration (DDRR) Training (3 languages)  Rwizi Room

  Pia Peeters, Senior Social Development Specialist, World Bank

- Strategies for Influencing Peace Talks – panel and discussion (3 languages)  Sezzibwa Room

  Bronagh Hinds, Senior Fellow, School of Law, Queens University, Northern Ireland

  Dr. Saran Daraba Kaba, Founding President MARWOPNET

Morning Tea (in the workshop rooms)

12.30  Lunch

2.00  Funding – for gender justice and women’s rights activism in conflict situations – case study 1325, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Netherlands  Kagera Hall

  Speaker: Jos Hoenen, DSI/ER, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Netherlands

3.30  Afternoon Tea

4.00  Closing Plenary and Conclusion of the Forum

On the 9th and 10th October we are hosting Strategy Meetings for participants from each conflict country. These will be held at Hotel Africana. The meeting schedule is: 10.30am – 6.00pm Thursday 9th October
10am – 12.30pm Friday 10th October.