



THE ALL-PARTY PARLIAMENTARY GROUP
on Women, Peace & Security

APPG on Women, Peace and Security 2024 AGM

Wednesday 4th September, 15:00-15:30
House of Lords, Committee Room G

Attendees:

Baroness Hodgson of Abinger CBE, Co-Chair
Alicia Kearns MP, Co-Chair
Rebecca Paul MP
Baroness Mary Goudie
Baroness Joyce Anelay
Baroness Mobarik
Baroness Northover
Aphra Brandeth MP
Wendy Chamberlain MP
Nicole Piche, APPG-Human Rights
Harry Warren, Senior Parliamentary Researcher
Eva Tabbasam, Secretariat
Sangeetha Navartnam-Blair, Secretariat

- 1. Welcome and introductions**
- 2. Election of APPG-WPS**

Nomination of co-chairs:

- Alicia Kearns, nominated by Baroness Hodgson, seconded by Baroness Northover
- Baroness Hodgson, nominated Alicia Kearns, seconded by Baroness Anelay

Nomination of vice chairs:

- Rebecca Paul MP, nominated by Baroness Hodgson, seconded by Baroness Northover
- Lord Jack McConnell (in absentia), nominated by Baroness Hodgson, seconded by Baroness Anelay.

3. APPG-WPS work programme

Future planned events:

- Malala on Afghan gender apartheid
- Event on promoting inclusive peace processes
- Human security event
- AB Colombia, follow up meeting
- Roundtable with WPS leads with various countries.
- Briefing for all parties.

Suggestions for future events:

- Ukraine, kidnapped children and rape. Prosecutor General on CRSV
- Balkans, Kosovan government.
- Bringing together Kosovan and Bosnian women with Ukrainian women to discuss rape, domestic abuse and moving social norms.
- Forgotten conflicts e.g. Sudan

- Event with ICAN on WPS and election
- Doha negotiation
- Women in diplomacy
- NATO Secretary General
- WPS Focal points
- UK negotiator with Taliban
- WCLAC visiting the UK