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# GENDER AND POLICY FORUM

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SPRING 2022 AGENDA



**BUILDING BRIDGES BETWEEN  
POLICY AND SCHOLARSHIP**

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The Gender and Policy Forum has three goals:

- to stimulate the cross-fertilization of ideas between Latin American policy makers and academic researchers on gender-related issues, so that shared, interdisciplinary expertise advances work across both sectors.
- to create an expanded professional network for scholars and policy makers across Latin America;
- to help cultivate leadership strategies for Latin American gender scholars who aspire to greater influence or authority through the application of their research and for Latin American policy makers who aspire to greater effectiveness.

## SPRING 2022 PROGRAM

### SESSION 1

#### **Women and Development: Empowering Individuals, Building Communities**

February 11, 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

### SESSION 2

#### **Equality and Civil Society after COVID-19**

March 4th 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

### SESSION 3

#### **Achieving Equality through Law and Advocacy**

April 8th 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

### SESSION 4

#### **Protecting Women Migrants in the 21st Century**

May 6th 2022 – 2pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

### SESSION 5

#### **Shattering the Glass Ceiling in Academia, Science, and Beyond**

May 20th 2022 – 11am to 12.30pm (ET)

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## SESSION 1

### Women and Development: Empowering Individuals, Building Communities

February 11, 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

This panel will analyze real-world interventions seeking to resolve: (1) the problem of inequality of time for women, especially for those who do critical care work in our societies; (2) movement in urban spaces not necessarily designed with all genders in mind. The discussion will focus on innovative directions in emerging economies of care, especially in urban settings.

**Moderator:** Amneris Chaparro, CIEG-UNAM

**Scholars:**

Luz Galindo, UNAM

Yazmín Pérez Haro, Secretaría de las Mujeres de la Ciudad de México

**Policy makers:**

Marta Clara Ferreyra Beltrán, Instituto Nacional de las Mujeres

Yolanda Kakabadse, World Wildlife Fund

## SESSION 2

### Equality and Civil Society after COVID-19

March 4th 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

This discussion will consider both the history and current moment of gender-based politics and political organizing. The panel will examine a conceptually driven analysis of shifting models of feminist organizing in Latin America. Following the historical overview, it will focus on three critical gender-sensitive policy areas and will discuss the extent to which existing policies, practices, and paradigms in Latin America are well-suited to prevent reversals in women's rights and ensure a just economic recovery.

**Moderator:** Gisela Zaremborg, FLACSO Mexico

**Scholars**

Elisabeth Friedman, University of San Francisco

Constanza Tabbush, UN Women

**Policy makers:**

Celia Giay

Verónica Siman, UNFPA



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## SESSION 3

### Achieving Equality through Law and Advocacy

April 8th 2022 – 2 pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

Juridical approaches, public policies, and programs directed towards adolescent pregnancy have focused mostly on sexual and reproductive rights, leaving other questions about health, housing, and safety at the margins of policy and law. This discussion will feature explore the challenges and opportunities of achieving equality through law and civil society organizing. Moderator: Gisela Zaremborg, FLACSO Mexico

#### Scholars:

Karen Castillo, UNAM

Rita Astrid Muciño Corro, UNAM

#### Policy makers:

Honorable Minister Maria Claudia Bucchianeri Pinheiro, The Superior Electoral Court of Brazil

Julia Peredo, YPFB Chaco

Carla Carrizo, Congress of Argentina

## SESSION 4

### Protecting Women Migrants in the 21st Century

May 6th 2022 – 2pm to 3.30 pm (ET)

Migration in conditions of duress or force is particularly dangerous for women. Panelists will consider the causes and consequences of women's migration as well as situations of extreme violence that women may experience when seeking to cross borders. The discussion will focus on how governments can protect migrating women.

Moderator: Moira Fradinger, Yale

#### Scholars

Maria Susana Rosales Perez, El Colegio de México

Alicia Girón, UNAM

#### Policy makers:

Lorena Aguilar, former Vice President of Costa Rica

Teresa Inchaustegui, UNAM

## SESSION 5

### Shattering the Glass Ceiling in Academia, Science, and Beyond

May 20th 2022 – 11am to 12.30pm (ET)

This panel will focus on the barriers that women in academia and particularly in the sciences face in seeking to be heard and have their ideas considered. This session will discuss how the seniority and salary gap between men and women can be closed while also delving into critical policy issues, including gender discrimination, gender violence, the difference in salary between men and women, career advancement, and more.

Moderator: Claudia Vallengia, Yale

#### Scholars:

Guadalupe Yapud Ibadango, University of Ottawa

UN Women Argentina researchers (Elisabeth Golerons, Veronica Bacarat, Delfina Garcia Hamilton)

UTEPSA researchers (Ernesto Federico Viscarra, Mary Cruz de Urioste and Mariana Santa Cruz Terrazas)

#### Policy makers:

Javiera Gazmuri, CEP

Maria-Noel Vaeza, UN Women

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