CSW61 SIDE EVENT

The Permanent Missions of Australia, Canada and New Zealand to the United Nations in partnership with NSW Council of Social Service cordially invite you to

National Action on Indigenous Women’s Economic Empowerment

Wednesday 15 March 2017, 1:15pm - 2:30pm
Conference Room 7

Chair
Senator the Hon. Michaelia Cash, Minister for Women, Australia

Remarks
Ms Tracy Howe, CEO, NSW Council of Social Service

Panellists
Ms Jeanie Dendys, Minister for Yukon Territory, Canada
Ms Helen Potiki, Director of Policy, New Zealand’s Ministry for Women
Ms Keira Jenkins, Gamilaroi woman (north-western NSW), nominated member of Seven Sisters Aboriginal Women’s Advisory Panel and Young Women’s Advisory Panel
Ms Leann Wilson, Bidjara and Kara/Kara women (central and central-west QLD), Executive Director, Regional Economic Solutions

This event will be a panel discussion on the empowerment of Indigenous women. Presentations will showcase best practice in international efforts to close gender gaps and empower Indigenous women. The discussion will draw on the panel of Indigenous women’s experience and expertise to build innovative, disruptive, cross-sectoral solutions for change.

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