Estadísticas para la igualdad: condición para el progreso y el desarrollo sostenible
Statistics for Equality: condition for progress and sustainable development

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Discrimination against women and girls affects the progress of countries. The development agenda at the global level calls to eliminate gender gaps, as well as to modify the structural factors that sustain inequalities. In this process gender statistics will fulfill a fundamental role in making visible these aforementioned gaps and orientating the design of public policies which impact them.

This side event aims to share the advances made by the Latin-American region regarding the generation of indicators and statistics with gender perspective, as an essential requirement to make visible and reduce inequalities, especially gender inequalities, in order to achieve sustainable and inclusive development.

Programme

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- Lucía Scuro, Social Affairs Officer at the Division for Gender Affairs of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC).
- Luiza Carvalho, Regional Director of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women)
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El evento contará con interpretación español/inglés