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Subject: **It is my Given Right, to live life on my own terms**

Date: Tuesday, March 13, 2018

Venue: Conference Room A; UNHQ

Time: 3:00 PM – 4:15 PM

Moderator:



Mrs. Sally (Salwa) Kader is President and founder of the **International Federation for Peace and Sustainable Development** created 16 years ago in October 2001. IFPSD is represented on 5 continents and in 17 countries. Mrs. Kader is a Philanthropist, world renowned advocate for peace, promotes cultural diversity, works on protection of cultural heritage, protection of indigenous women, Youth Leadership interfaith dialogue, children's rights, human rights, women empowerment, and the elimination of human trafficking. Centered on president Kader's mission of building bridges across people and communities to connect continents for Peace through her organization

Speakers:



Ambassador Jorge Skinner-Klee, Permanent Representative of Guatemala to the United Nations, Prior to his latest appointment at the United Nations, Mr. Skinner-Klee served as Guatemala's Ambassador to Belgium and Luxembourg, and Chief of Mission to the European Union from 2012. Between 2008 and 2012, he was the country's Permanent Representative to the Organization of American States. Having joined the Guatemala Foreign Service in 1985, Mr. Skinner-Klee has held several other positions, including Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs in 2004. He also served as Ambassador to Honduras from 2003 to 2004, Belize from 2000 to 2003, Canada from 1998 to 2000, and Germany from 1993 to 1998. Previously, he was the Legal Counsellor at the Embassy of Guatemala to the United States in 1987, while

serving concurrently as Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations. Mr. Skinner-Klee holds a licentiate degree in juridical and social sciences from Rafael Landivar University in Guatemala, a master's degree in international law from Columbia University in New York, and a diploma in international relations from Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies in Washington, D.C





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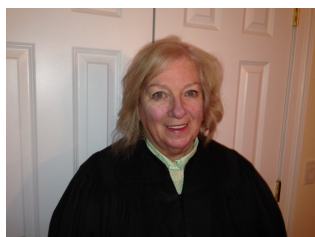
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Ms. Fatima Shafi, Born in Pakistan, Fatima Shafi spent her childhood growing up in the city of Islamabad.

Fatima earned a degree in electrical engineering and became an Officer in the Pakistan Air force where she served, for five years, as an engineering officer on F-16, Mirage and F-7 weapon Systems. She is the first woman in the history of Pakistan and Pakistan Air Force to serve as an engineering officer in a fighter squadron. Her history making assignment include, launching fighter jets on combat missions and running a fighter jet flight line, supervising over two hundred enlisted men of different technical traders; She is also the first woman for

Pakistani Air Force Officer to fly in an F-16 and attend airborne school. However, after attending 3 weeks of rigorous training at the Para school she did not make the jumps required to earn her para-wings. Today, thanks to the road paved by Fatima, women in Pakistan Air Force are allowed to complete the entire program and earn their Para-wings. In 2008, Fatima immigrated to the United States to become a pilot. Today she is a Commercial Pilot for a major US Airline. She wants to spread the message, that its okay to step out of your fears, it's ok to step out of your home, get educated and have a career; It's okay to have a dream; It's okay to break free.



Hon Judge Elizabeth Lamb received her BA degree in English from the College of Mount Saint Vincent and JD law degree from Saint John's University she began her career as speech writer for Commissioner Bess Myerson at the New York city Department of consumer affairs. She then served as press secretary for governor Hugh L Carey Subsequently she was legal Counsel for the New York State division of criminal Justice services and senior Economic counsel for the Saint Regis Paper Company Judge Lamb was immigration law consultant for Catholic charities NYC She served as a United States

Immigration judge from 1995 until January 2018



Dr. iur. Farida Valiullina was born in Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan. She graduated with honours from Kazan Federal (Volga Region) University, Department of International and European law, in 2011. She received her PhD in International Law from Humboldt University Berlin in 2017. Her research interests embrace international public law, human rights law, gender equality and access to justice.

In 2012 she was granted DAAD Research Scholarship for Doctoral Candidates and Young Scientists to conduct scientific investigations at Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International law (Heidelberg, Germany), Hamburg University, Europa-Institute of Saarland University (Saarbrücken, Germany) and the European Court of Human Rights (Strasbourg, France). In 2013 she was appointed as a head of the delegation of the European Law Students Association to the 22nd session of

the UN Human Rights Council in Geneva. In 2014 she represented the Federation of Associations for the Defence and the Promotion of Human Rights at the 58th session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women.

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