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> MARCH 20-23, 2017 UNTED NATIONS, NEW YORK



Arrival to JFK airport in New York



After Getting UN Passes



The UVU Delegation at ECOSOC Chamber



The UIMF members at CSW61 at the UN Headquarters



The UVU Delegation at CSW61 at the UN Headquarters



The UIMF Members at CSW61 Exhibition



The UIMF Members in the hall of the UN General Assembly



The UIMF Members at the podium of the UN General Assembly

# MEETINGS AT THE PERMANENT MISSIONS TO THE UNITED NATIONS



The UIMF Members With Mrs. Guamaral Altangerel, DCM of Mongolia to the UN



The Utah Delegation with Mrs. Guamaral Altangerel, DCM of Mongolia to the UN



The Utah Delegation with Mrs. Elisabeta David, DCM of Romania to the UN



The Utah Delegation with PR of Hungary to the UN, Ambassador Katalin Bogyay



The Utah Delegation with PR of Kyrgyzstan to the UN, Ambassador Mirgul Moldoisaeva

# PARTICIPATION AT THE SIDE EVENTS UNDER CSW61

### CSW 61 event on "Family Capital: The Engine for Development"

Tuesday, March 21 from 1:15 to 2:45 The Nigerian Mission, 828 Second Ave, New York, NY

Sponsored by The Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the UN in collaboration with Sustainable Families Group, Universal Peace Federation, International Organization for the Family, and United Families International

#### Concept:

UN General Assembly Resolution (A/RES/67/142) reminds us that, "The SDG targets, especially those related to the reduction of poverty, education of children, and gender equality, are difficult to attain unless the strategies to achieve them focus on the family..." The presentations will explore family-focused strategies for achieving the SDGs. Whether in conflict and vulnerability or stability and peace, family capital is the engine for women's development in the changing world.

#### Program:

Mr. Akinremi Bolaji, "Opening Remarks" Minister, Second Committee, Permanent Mission of Nigeria,

### Marcia Barlow, MPA, "Family Capital, an Introduction"

Marcia Barlow is Vice President of International Programs for United Families International author of UFIs series: Guide to Family Issues and directs the development and updating of the UN Negotiating Guide. She holds a Master's Degree from Harvard University (Kennedy School of Government). Marcia and her husband, Greg, have three children and six grandchildren.

### Timothy M. Rarick, PhD, "Fatherhood: Key for Women's and Girl's Economic Empowerment"

Dr. Rarick is a professor of Marriage, Family and Child Development at BYU-Idaho, specializing in Parenting and Family Advocacy & Policy. He currently serves on the Advisory Board for United Families International. He earned graduate degrees in Marriage, Family and Human Development from Kansas State University. Tim and his wife, Jodi, have four children.

### Mariah Fralick, "Families Helping Families: The Changing World of Work for Refugee Mothers."

Mariah Fralick spent her youth living internationally, and later studied principles of economic and cultural integration. She founded the Interfaith Music Association, facilitated middle-school leadership classes, served as Vice-Chair of a local school board, and fostered refugee families in their resettlement process. Currently she is President of the Sustainable Family's Group. Mariah is married to Gordon Fralick. They have four children. Mariah will also moderate

### Lynn R. Walsh, MSW, MDiv "Family Bonds Empower and Protect Women and Children"

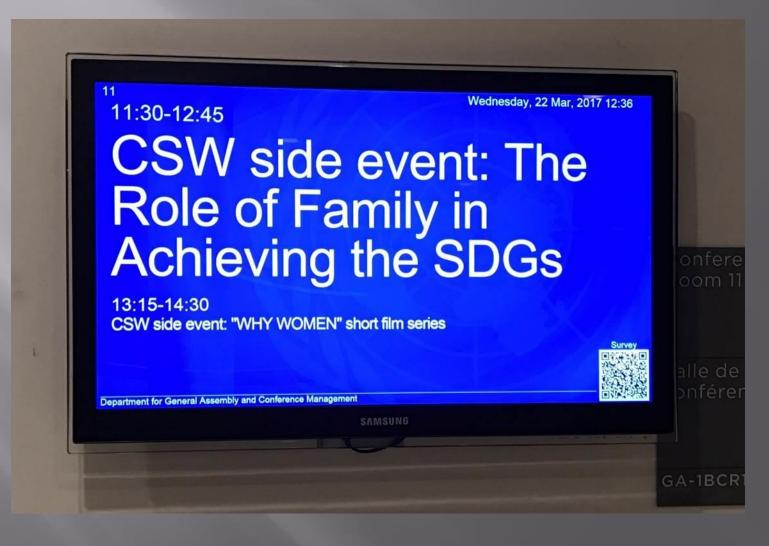
Lynn Walsh teaches sociology at the University of Bridgeport, with an emphasis on family, gender and relationship education. Lynn serves as the Co-chair of the United Nations NGO Committee on the Family, New York. She is the Director of the Office of the Family, Universal Peace Federation (UPFI). She and her husband, Dr. Thomas Walsh, President of UPFI, have two sons and one grand-daughter.



The Utah Delegation at a side event at the Nigerian Mission to the UN



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### for Women, Children and Men

### March 22, Wednesday from 11:30 to 12:45, CR11

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### Speakers:

Zeinab W Hussein Principal Secretary, State Department of Gender Affairs, Ministry of Public Service, Youth and Gender Affairs.

Jane Kiragu Advisor to the First Lady of Kenya, "Beyond Zero". reduction of maternal mortality project

Lynn Walsh

"Family Bonds are

#### Tim Rarick

"Father-Daughter Relationships. The Key to Economic Empowerment"

Farm Productivity"

### Robert Roylance "Eradicating Women's Poverty: Doubling Family

Empowering" Taj Harnad Moderator, Universal Peace

Federation

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The UIMF members present information to the Moderator of the side event sponsored by the Kenyan Mission to the UN



The UVU Delegation with the DCM of Kenya to the UN after a side event

# PARTICIPATION AT THE NGOS INFORMAL MEETING



The meeting of CSW61 NGOs to discuss the final document of the event

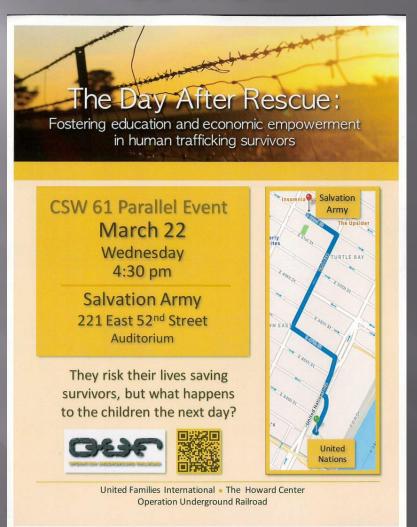


The UVU Delegation during the informal meeting of NGOs at CSW61



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# PARTICIPATION AT THE PARALLEL EVENT UNDER CSW61





A parallel event hosted by NGO Operation Underground Railroad during CSW61



Regan Warner asks a question during the parallel event hosted by NGO Operation Underground Railroad



Munkhbat Batmunkh after a parallel event with panelists from NGO Operation Underground Railroad



Regan Warner with organizers of the parallel event