



#ausUPR

Australia's Human Rights Score Card

Your invitation to a human rights engagement workshop and consultation on Australia's Universal Periodic Review (Perth)

A UPR consultation to share information and insights on the UPR process, discuss key human rights issues and develop collective strategies ahead of Australia's upcoming UPR ...

Australia's upcoming review by the UN Human Rights Council provides an important opportunity for Australian NGOs to encourage and influence the Australian Government to improve the protection and promotion of human rights and fulfil its international obligations.

Consultation participants will share insights and learnings from Australia's first UPR, discuss progress on the implementation of recommendations from the previous review and discuss key issues, opportunities and strategies for the upcoming UPR in 2015.

...and a workshop session on engaging with international human rights in Australian advocacy

Prior to the workshop the Equality Rights Alliance will provide an introduction to the international human rights framework (with an emphasis on the rights of women) and identify methods of using international rights in a domestic setting.

...as well as an update from the National Women's Alliances

Date: Thursday 22 January 2015
Time: 10:00am – 11:30am – National Women's Alliances update followed by morning tea
11:30am – 1:30pm International Human Rights Engagement Workshop
1:30pm – 2:30pm – Lunch
2:00pm – 4:00pm – UPR consultation
Venue: The Vault Room, Ground Floor, 45 St Georges Terrace, Perth
RSVP: RSVP by COB Wednesday 14 January to Alyssa Shaw at era.admin@ywca.org.au and please include any dietary requirements

Please contact Alyssa Shaw at era.admin@ywca.org.au in relation to any access requirements.

This workshop is presented by the National Women's Alliances and the Equality Rights Alliance with assistance from the National Association of Community Legal Centres, The Human Rights Law Centre and Kingsford legal Centre.

For more information about the UPR and workshops in other cities/towns please see:
http://www.naclc.org.au/cb_pages/International%20Engagment.php