

# Gender Equality and Human Rights

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## Overview

Gender equality is not only a basic human right, but its achievement has immense socio-economic consequences. Empowering women stimulates developing economies, triggering productivity and growth. Yet gender inequalities remain deeply rooted in every society. Women lack access to decent work and face occupational segregation and gender wage gaps. They are too often denied access to basic education and health care. Women in all parts of the world suffer violence and discrimination. They are under-represented in political and economic decision-making processes. Women are also under-represented, misrepresented and stereotyped in Media. Gender equality, focused on human rights, is both a development goal on its own and a crucial component for achieving sustainable development. It determines one of the governing principles of the 2030 Agenda for Development – the concept of 'leaving no one behind'. Over many decades, the United Nations has made significant progress in advancing gender equality, including through landmark agreements such as the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW). So it is very essential and need of the hour to sensitize the researchers, academicians, research scholars on gender equality and human rights. So this workshop aims at leaving no one behind in realizing gender equality and human rights.

<b>Modules</b>	<b>Genesis of Human rights and the gender equality dimensions of human rights : October 17–October 21</b> <b>Number of participants for the course will be limited to fifty.</b>
<b>You Should Attend If...</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ You are Research associates, students at all levels (MA/MPHIL/PhD) or Faculty from reputed academic from Universities, Institutes, Colleges, Government organizations.</li><li>▪ You are Members of civil society, NGOs and Women's organizations, Student Institutions , civil society , political institutions and technical institutions</li><li>▪ You are interested in Human rights and Gender equality</li></ul>
<b>Fees</b>	The participation fees for taking the course is as follows: <b>Participants from abroad : US \$500</b> <b>Students (UG/PG) : ₹ 1000.00</b> <b>Faculty Members/Research Scholars : ₹ 1500.00</b> <b>Industry : ₹ 2000.00</b> The above fee include all instructional materials, computer use for tutorials and assignments, 24 hr free internet facility. The participants will be provided with accommodation on payment basis.

## The Faculty



**Prof. Rozena Maartis** is a Humanities Faculty in the School of Social Science, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa. She is the Former Director of the Centre for Critical Research on Race and Identity (CCRRI) at the University of Kwa Zulu Natal, Durban, South Africa. Rozena Maart is also a Mercator Fellow for the Contradiction Studies Programme at the University of Bremen in Germany. Maart took her Masters' degree in 1988 at the University of York in the UK, and her PhD in 1996 at the Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies at the University of Birmingham, UK. Her work examines the intersections between and among Political Philosophy, Black Consciousness, Derridean deconstruction and psychoanalysis, all of which address questions of race, gender, sexuality, coloniality and identity. In 2016, she received the William R. Jones lifetime achievement award from Philosophy Born of Struggle and in January 2021 the Caribbean Philosophical Association awarded her the Nicolás Cristóbal Guillén Batista Lifetime Achievement Award for her contribution to literature and Philosophy.



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