

Subject: WILPF International Programme 2018-2021 – New round of consultation

Dear WILPF members,

We are currently in the middle of the drafting process for the International Programme 2018-2021, which WILPF members will adopt this year at the Triennial International Congress.

What has happened so far?

The process for the next International Programme 2018-2021 began in 2017 when Sections were asked by ExCom to submit the answers to a questionnaire aimed at learning more about their work and ensure the development of a visionary and coordinated International Programme. The answers to the questionnaire were collated, analysed and summarised in the report [WILPF Sections Speak](#).

In July 2017, the ExCom met in Geneva to discuss the framework and content for the International Programme and finalised the open call for members to join the drafting group.

On 7 November 2017, we organised a webinar with Sections and members in order to have a collective brainstorming on the content of our next International Programme. The discussion then continued during the IB meeting on 27 November 2017. Thank you for the many among you who attended the webinars.

The draft framework was circulated for feedback and over an eight-week period (November – December 2017), we received input, edits and comments from 22 Sections/members (17 via the provided survey link) as well as from WILPF's environmental working group. The feedback provided was very concrete with text suggestions and alternatives to strengthen the framework.

The feedback received will soon be uploaded on myWILPF and made available for consultation.

This feedback was further consolidated into a third draft reviewed and edited by ExCom in March 2018.

What are the next steps?

Step 1: Provide written feedback on draft 3 of WILPF International Programme 2018-2021

We are now sharing a revised draft framework for consultation; the document can be found attached to this email (option A) or it can be accessed online (option B) at this link: <https://bit.ly/2pzMaXW>

- A. Instructions for offline input: read the document, add your input, corrections and edits in track-changes and send the document to membership@wilpf.org
- B. Instructions for online input: read the document, add your input, corrections and edits online using track-changes. Your suggestions will automatically be saved online.

While reviewing the draft please use this opportunity to discuss what actions will be taken and prioritised by your own Section. While doing so, think also about *how*, *when*, and *with what means* you will mobilise action.

The deadline for submitting your feedback is 30 April 2018.

Step 2: Online open discussion with members on 17 April

We are organising a new online discussion on GoToWebinar. The webinar will take place two weeks before the deadline to submit your feedback. This will be the opportunity to engage together on the text of the draft International Programme and also get your questions answered.

Join us online on Tue, Apr 17, 2018 at 1:00 PM for a one-hour discussion

Register to attend: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1043159847375904514>

We would like to remind you that the focal points for this process are Joy Onyesoh (dzoious@yahoo.com) and Maria Butler (maria.butler@wilpf.org), so if you have any questions or wish to have a call, feel free to get in touch with them.

The drafting group is formed by: Aisling Swaine (Academic Network) Lisa Carson and Sharna de Lacey (Y-WILPF and WILPF Australia), Philomena Zamani (WILPF Nigeria), Joy Onyesoh (Excom), Maria Butler (Staff).

We look forward to continuing this journey with you and we hope you will join us for the webinar on 17 April.

Warm regards,

WILPF International Secretariat