

## GENDER AND WATER ALLIANCE AT FULL FORCE DURING THE 2008 WORLD WATER WEEK IN STOCKHOLM

1. Seminar: Conflicts over Water and Water to Solve Conflicts

This Seminar draws on critical insights from Saferworld and GWA members with contributions from Uganda,

India, Sudan, and Nigeria.

Date: Sunday 17 August 9.00 - 12.00

**Location:** Room K23

Convenors: Saferworld, UK and the Gender and Water Alliance (GWA), The Netherlands

Chair: Dr. Sara Ahmed, Chair GWA, India

Co-chair: Hesta Groenewald, Conflict Prevention Adviser, Saferworld, UK

Programme: - Lessons on Conflict-Sensitive Water Delivery in Kasese and Arua, Uganda, by Capson Sausi,

Saferworld and/or Didas Muhumuza, CECORE, Uganda

- Peace building by improved access to water and sanitation for women and men in Gujarat after

communal riots, by Nafisa Barot, UTTHAN, India.

- Relevance of Conflict-Sensitive Approach to Water Provision at Local Level, by Lamu O. Omalla,

Kasese, Uganda.

- Gender, water and sanitation in displaced people's camps in Darfur, by Ragaa A.Alzain, Sudan Academy

of Sciences, Khartoum, Sudan.

- Drama and awareness raising to solve conflicts between different groups of users of sanitation and water

facilities in Borno State, by Aisha Hamza, RWSS, Maiduguri, Nigeria.

2. Seminar: The Global Corruption Report 2008: A Call to Action

Date: Sunday 17 August 13.30 - 17.00

Location: Room T6

Convenors: Water Integrity Network (WIN) and Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI)

GWA Executive Director, Ms. Joke Muylwijk, will be moderating a group and

participate in the panel.

3. LET'S MEET! GWA Members Meeting

Date: Monday 18 August. 19.00 - 21.00

**Location:** To be announced at the GWA stand and Exhibition.

Informal meeting in which we all inform each other about current activities and

developments.

Interested members-to-be are welcome too!

4. DO COME and VISIT our GWA Stand and Exhibition from Sunday to Friday

Stand nr: EH03:11 at the entrance hall of 'Stockholmsmässan', opposite the Information Desk

5. Chair GWA Lead Rapporteur

The GWA chair, Dr. Sara Ahmed, will be Lead Rapporteur for the sessions on Natural Resource Management in the World Water Week for SIWI and report at the WWW

2008 Synthesis Plenary on Friday 22 August

6. GWA will present two new books on Gender and Water related issues

- Gender and Natural Resource Management. Livelihoods, Mobility and Interventions. Edited by Bernadette P. Resurreccion and Rebecca Elmhirst.

IDRC/Earthscan, London - Sterling USA, 2008

- Water First: Issues and Challenges for Nations and Communities in South Asia. Edited by Kuntala Lahiri-Dutt and Robert Wasson. Sage, New Delhi, August 2008

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