

WORKING IN REPRESSIVE CONTEXTS

TOOLBOX

ANOTHER WORLD IS NOT ONLY POSSIBLE, SHE IS ON HER WAY. ON A QUIET DAY, I CAN HEAR HER BREATHING

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I. WHAT DOES RISING UP LOOK LIKE IN REPRESSIVE CONTEXTS?

SOURCE

* REPORT	"Feminism At The Frontline: Addressing Women's Multidimensional Insecurity In Yemen And Libya" WILPF 2017. The following report is an overview of the work WILPF's partners has been doing on the ground in Libya and Yemen with respect to WPS. It highlights various women's experiences and give the floor to Yemeni and Libyan women to voice their concerns on security, challenges and peace building processes.	Link
* ARTICLE	"Visionary and creative resistance": meet the women challenging extractivism – and patriarchy" By Inna Michaeli and Semanur Karaman, AWID, May 2017 Environmental degradation is deliberate, violent and patriarchal. From Turkey to Guatemala, women are on the frontlines of resistance.	Link
* VIDEO	Interview with Maria Mustika , JASS Southeast Asia A JASS Southeast Asia activist discusses her organizing work as an LGBT activist in Indonesia, and why being a part of the JASS community is so important to her.	Link
* ARTICLE	"11 Things to Know About Women Human Rights Defenders" Women Human Rights DefendHER, Presented by Global Fund for Women, JASS , and MADRE .	Link
* REPORT	"From Survivors To Defenders: Women Confronting Violence In Mexico, Honduras And Guatemala" , JASS (Just Associates) and Nobel Women's Initiative In January 2012, the Nobel Women's Initiative and JASS (Just Associates) organized a 10-day fact-finding mission to these countries led by Nobel Peace Prize Laureates Jody Williams and Rigoberta Menchu Tum to review the situation of violence against women.	Link
* INTERVIEW	"On Challenging Sex & Sexuality In The Church" Interview with Veronica Banda, Malawi, JASS Southern Africa In June, 2016, JASS Southern Africa (SNA) and partners held a Feminist Movement Building School with 30 women as part of an ongoing organizing effort—under the Our Bodies, Our Lives (OBOL) campaign—to strengthen women's capacity, leadership and voice in the fight for access to quality medicine and healthcare for all HIV-positive people in Malawi. OBOL was initiated by women living with HIV (WLHIV) in 2012, building on the training and accompaniment supported by JASS since 2007. During the school, JASS' Winnet Shamuyarira spoke to Veronica Banda, a female pastor from Lilongwe who is among the women activists involved in the OBOL campaign.	Link
* ARTICLE	"Filipino Women Confront The Latest Government Crackdown" By Rosanna Langara, JASS Southeast Asia, April 2018.	Link
* ARTICLE	"Meet Kakay Tolentino" JASS Southeast Asia, March 2018 Throughout March 2018, JASS celebrated women who have dedicated their lives to fighting for equality, justice, and peace through the #PressForProgress campaign, sharing their stories, resources, and interviews from activists representing diverse movements around the world.	Link
* BLOG	"4 Pride Stories Deeper than Rainbow Colored Vodka" By Olivia Trabysh, Urgent Action Fund - Feminisms, Justice, And Urgent Action: Voices From The UAF Community	Link
* ARTICLE	"Unstitching extremism" Original Article By Rana Allam, Women Living Under Muslim Laws, March 2018	Link
* JOURNAL	"Special issue on Gender and Fundamentalisms" Feminist Dissent, Issue 2 , Summer 2017 Co-edited by Nadje Al-Ali and Nira Yuval-Davis., Department of English and Comparative Literary Studies, University of Warwick, taken from the Women Living Under Muslim Laws website.	Link
* WEBSITE	Women Human Rights Defenders International Coalition.	Link
* WEBSITE	Mesoamerican Women Human Rights Defenders Initiative.	Link
* WEBPAGE	Women Crossing the Line , JASS.	Link

II. TOOLS AND STRATEGIES USED BY SISTERS WORKING IN REPRESSIVE CONTEXTS

* MANUAL	Integrated Security: The Manual , Jane Barry, Kvinna till Kvinna, 2011. We have created the concept of integrated security workshops for women human rights activists. Integrated security covers all aspects of an activist work and life, from health and personal networks to secure spaces.	Link
* TOOLKIT	ICTs For Feminist Movement Building Activist Toolkit , JASS.	Link
* WEBSITE	Level Up. It provides a series of contents that allows us to understand how to give workshops and training on security and privacy oriented to varied audiences. It is also maintained by an international community of trainers in digital security issues.	Link
* TOOLKIT	"Looking for women activists" (in Spanish), Dones Tech. This manual delves into the feminist theories of technologies and also addresses tactical uses of technologies. It was developed in 2011 and in some aspects it has been outdated but it continues to include interesting contents for cyberfeminist stories	Link
* ARTICLE	"Here comes a guide to help every woman take charge of her online safety" Aliya, Proud volunteer for Chayn Labs. Published on Medium, Jan 30, 2017	Link
* INFOGRAPHICS	Holistic Protection for Women Human Rights Defenders, AWID, December 2014 This set of infographics share key components of holistic protection for women human rights defenders (WHRDs). Download and share these graphics and help bring attention to the need to provide holistic protection for WHRDs.	Link
* PUBLICATION	MCH3 POWER: Concepts for Revisioning Power for Justice, Equality and Peace. By Valerie Miller, Lisa VeneKlasen, Molly Reilly, Cindy Clark Making Change Happen is a series of short publications about the strategies and ideas shaping social justice work produced by Just Associates in collaboration with various partners. Each publication takes on a different theme.	Link
* GUIDE	How To Follow Up On UN Human Rights Recommendations: A Practical Guide For Civil Society , OHCHR, December 2013 Follow-up activities aimed at ensuring that recommendations and decisions by human rights mechanisms and bodies are implemented so as to improve respect, protection and fulfilment of all human rights for all. UN human rights mechanisms and bodies seek to improve the realization of human rights in all countries of the world.	Link
* TOOLKIT	Gender-Sensitive Media: A Voluntary Code of Ethics , UKs – A research, resource and publication center on women and media. The purpose of this Code of Ethics is to help individual journalists, media persons, management and owners of media houses to promote gender justice in their organizational policies as well as in their professions to become better at their work, by accepting and applying an established understanding of the expected universal gender-sensitive standards, attitudes and behaviour.	Link
* WEBSITE	Front Line Defenders.	Link
* WEBSITE	Tactical Technology Collective.	Link
* WEBSITE	Twitter , "Safety on Twitter" page.	Link