

25th WAVE CONFERENCE

October 16 – 17, 2023

Madrid, Spain



Institutional violence and its impact on women's human rights across Europe



WOMEN AGAINST VIOLENCE EUROPE
Feminist Network Promoting Human Rights of Women and Children

FUNDACIÓN



Sunday, 15th of October 2023

19:00 – 22:00 **Welcome Drink**
Venue: Bocanegra, C. del Marqués de Casa Riera, 1, 28014 Madrid

Monday, 16th of October 2023 (public day)

8:30 – 9:30 Registration
Venue: **Colegio Oficial de Arquitectos de Madrid**, C/ de Hortaleza, 63, 28004 Madrid, Spain

9:30 – 9:45 WELCOME REMARKS

Marcella Pirrone	<i>WAVE President</i>
Stephanie Futter-Orel	<i>WAVE Executive Manager</i>
Helena Soletto	<i>Fundación para la Convivencia Aspacia Board Member</i>

9:45 – 10:00 OPENING

Ángela Rodríguez Martínez	<i>Secretary of State, Ministry of Equality, Spain</i>
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10:00 – 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 12:30 Institutional violence and violence against women: progress and challenges from a feminist perspective

Reem Alsalem	<i>United Nations Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women its causes and consequences</i>
Biljana Brankovic	<i>International Council of Europe Consultant, Member of GREVIO (2015–2023)</i>
María Marcela Lagarde y de los Ríos	<i>Feminist Mexican anthropologist, academic and politician (▶ Video recording)</i>
Ana Peláez Nerváez	<i>CEDAW Committee (▶ Video recording)</i>
Moderator: Marcella Pirrone	<i>WAVE President</i>

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

14:30 – 16:30 Institutional violence and its impact on diverse groups of women and their children

Susana Chiariotti	<i>Argentine lawyer and women’s rights activist (📺 online)</i>
Lucy Polo	<i>Red de Mujeres Latinoamericanas y del Caribe en España</i>
TBA	<i>Representative of Madres Protectoras organisation</i>
Virginia Gil Portolés	<i>Director Fundación para la Convivencia Aspacia</i>
Moderator: Priscila Cabrera	<i>Strategic Development Coordinator, Fundación para la Convivencia Aspacia</i>

17:00 WAVE Conference photo with all participants

17:15 WAVE Advocacy Action (EU draft Directive on Violence Against Women and Domestic Violence)

Closing of the first day



Tuesday, 17th of October 2023 (WAVE Members’ day)

8:00 – 9:00 Registration

9:00 – 9:15 **WELCOME**

9:30 – 11:30 **WAVE WORKSHOPS (4 simultaneously)**

WORKSHOP 1 Institutional violence as an instrumental perpetrator of violence against women and girls: feminist strategies to combat it

Facilitators:

Teresa Carrillo

Asociación de Psicología y Psicoterapia Feminista, Spain

Marina Oliva Seguro

Helia, Spain

**Karishma Wadhvani
Chatlani**

Federación de Asociaciones de Mujeres Arena y Laurisilva, Spain

WORKSHOP 2 Tackling institutional violence in the context of mixed migration flows in Italy: towards a feminist methodology from the borders to anti-violence centres

Facilitators:

Claudia Pivadori

Irina Lenzi

D.i.R.E Donne in rette contro la violenza, Italy

Rebecca Germano

WORKSHOP 3 Violence against older women: multi-agency response to institutional violence

Facilitators:

Alicja Switon

AÖF, Austria

Maria Rösslhumer

WORKSHOP 4 Risk-led models; A risk to survivors

Facilitators:

Becky Jones

Scottish Women’s Aid, United Kingdom

Sarah Davidge

Women’s Aid Federation England, United Kingdom

11:30 – 12:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 14:00 **WAVE WORKSHOPS (4 simultaneously)**

WORKSHOP 1 Institutional violence against migrant women survivors of gender-based violence: progress, challenges and proposals for action

Facilitators:

Lucy Polo

Por ti Mujer, Spain

Priscila Cabrera

Fundación Aspacía, Spain

WORKSHOP 2 Tackling institutional violence performed by the justice system in child custody proceedings

Facilitators:

Shazia Choudhry

University of Oxford, UK

Elena Biaggioni

D.i.R.e Donne in rette contro la violenza, Italy

Lara Dimitrijevic

Network Forum Malta, Malta

Kristina Kulic

Autonomous Women’s House Zagreb, Croatia





WORKSHOP 3	Institutional violence in the absence of rule of law: Examples from Hungary and Türkiye
Facilitators: Elif Ege	<i>Mor Çatı Women's Shelter Foundation, Türkiye</i>
Fanni Dés	<i>NANE - Women's rights organisation, Hungary</i>
WORKSHOP 4	Unveiling institutionalized violence: An intersectional lens on law enforcement and its impact on women
Facilitator: Maria Vardanyan	<i>Sexual Assault Crisis Center, Armenia</i>
14:00 – 15:30	Lunch break
15:30 – 17:00	WAVE PLENARY DISCUSSION
	Presentations of WAVE workshops’ main outcomes
	Discharge of previous WAVE Board & Welcome of newly elected WAVE Board (30 mins)
	Intra-network open space (30 mins)
20:00	WAVE PARTY
	Venue: Bocanegra, C. del Marqués de Casa Riera, 1, 28014 Madrid



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