





-Invitation -NGO Committee on Mental Health

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"Media's Role in Advancing Human Rights, Health, and Well-Being of Women"

The program will examine the many aspects of traditional and newer communication technologies' role in advancing the health, development, human rights, and psycho-social well-being of women and families with examples including South America, Asia, Liberia, New Zealand, and the Philippines.

Tuesday, April 14, 2015 2:00-4:30 PM U.N. Church Center 2nd Floor Conference Room 777 United Nations Plaza, New York City, NY (Cor. E. 44th Street and First Ave.) Please RSVP to mentalhealthngo@optonline.net

WELCOME REMARKS

Georgi Antar, PsyD

Chair, NGO Committee on Mental Health (CMH); Member, Board of Directors CCCUN; Co-Convenor, CMH Media/ICT & Mental Health Working Group

MODERATOR

Elizabeth Carll, PhD

Past Chair NGO Committee on Mental Health (CMH); UN Representative ICW; President, CCCUN; Co-Convenor, CMH Media/ICT & Mental Health Working Group

KEYNOTE

H.E. Mrs. Maria Christina Perceval

Ambassador and Permanent Representative Permanent Mission of Argentina to the United Nations

PARTICIPANTS

Jacob Kumaresan, MD - Invited

Executive Director World Health Organization WHO/UN, New York

Kelly Matheson, JD

Senior Attorney & Program Manager Video as Evidence Program, WITNESS Human Rights Organization

Molly Raskin

Journalist, *PBS News Hour*, Contributor, *Scientific American Mind*Ongoing 4 year coverage of Liberia, media's role in long term psychosocial recovery, including Ebola

Ninotchka Rosca

Journalist, Philippines, Author of 7 books AF3IRM, a transnational women's organization

Deirdre E. Bradley, PhDUse of Mobile Technologies to Benefit Women in Developing Nations Fielding Graduate University, California

GROUP DISCUSSION - AUDIENCE Q & A