

Tuesday 4 September
11.00- 13.00
Committee Room 2A
House of Lords
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WRI:Child widows and young widows

Chair: Baroness Anelay

Speakers:

Caroline Ford, CEO Consortium for Street Children

Matt Jackson, Director, UK Office, UNFPA

Zarin Hainsworth OBE - Chair WRI

Heather Ibrahim-Leathers, CFA - President, Global Fund for Widows

Lucy Jenkins - NAWO YWA

Ella Nielsen - NAWO YWA

Bella Brown - NAWO YWA

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Widowhood in all its forms has huge implications for women and children the world over. One area that is rarely discussed is child widows. The increase in child marriage has led to an increase in child and young widows.

This interactive panel of experts, activists and young women, will highlight the challenges, share best practice & possible solutions. There will be time for discussions and a section to glean top key actions for dissemination and implementation.



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