


#TimeisNow: UN Namibia promotes gender equality and women's empowerment

March, Namibia: Throughout the month of March and in support of Namibia's efforts, UN Namibia dedicated time to promoting gender equality and women's empowerment, in line with the global call that the #TimeisNow to address and end gender inequalities and disparities as well as to address challenges that leave women behind.

Each year, International Women's Day (IWD) is commemorated on 8 March. Carrying on from the momentum of the national commemoration of IWD, which took place on 8 March in the Mix Settlement under the theme, "From Peace in the Home to Peace in Namibia: Press for Progress", UN Namibia also engaged with its various target audiences through a round table discussion as well as a panel discussion.

To further reach a mass audience, UN Namibia used its digital platforms to build momentum and garner support of the public towards achieving SDG 5 'Gender Equality'.



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"Violence against women (VAW) & girls is one of the most prevalent #humanrights violations" -Sabine Witting, @UnicefNamibia

#Partnerships are key in ensuring that all forms of VAW, including online VAW, are eliminated & that all people can @BeFreeBreakFree from violence.

