



# Our Revolution: Liberating Life

Women Weaving the Future – II. International Conference

5-6 November 2022, Berlin/Germany

***To all women, dear friends,***

The past few years have once again shown us the importance of resistance and struggle against the systems that impose exploitation, misery, and death on us. As we have seen during the Covid-19 pandemic, with the help of the state, the patriarchal and capitalist system deepens its methods to deprive women, peoples, workers, farmers, and laborers of their right to live. Today, everywhere, we are confronted with war, occupation, violence, with feminicide, genocide, and ecocide.

Although capitalist patriarchy claims that ‘there is no alternative’ to this world of exploitation and injustice, this system is losing its legitimacy. To overcome its latest crisis, the system continuously re-employs its fundamental pillars of fascism, nationalism, religionism, scientism, sexism, and feudalism, which leads to a state of war against society, women, and environment. Yet, we, those who struggle, know there are millions of us in every corner of the world, determined to build a different, more just world.

We know there are paths beyond the ones that are presented to us as alternatives. As the revolution in Rojava/North and East Syria has shown us for the past decade - it is possible to struggle and build a different political and societal system, based on women’s autonomy in all spheres of life. The struggles of our sisters from places like Afghanistan, Iran, Sudan, the Philippines, Brazil, and the US show us that this century has the potential of being the century of women’s and peoples’ freedom. It can be the era of carrying our struggles from the local to the universal.

Now it is time to weave our future together through common struggle!

***Dear Friends,***

Since our first conference in 2018, we have been weaving the future to create World Democratic Women’s Confederation. Our claim is big, but wherever we touched base, we have seen that this claim can become reality. We have also seen that we can master a long road only through continuous organization. We must continue to share experiences and prepare for the patriarchal system’s new attacks on our bodies, freedoms, and minds. We must create paths, methods and perspectives that can match the conditions, qualities and needs of our age. Against the constant attacks of the patriarchal system, we must weave a durable network of resistance and become active subjects of the most urgent struggles of our age.

At our second conference, we want to pave the way for this road. From the content to the agenda, from the technicalities to the participants, we wanted to see all of the preparations for our second conference to happen in the spirit of women’s collectivism and solidarity.

In this spirit, we look forward to seeing you at our network’s second international conference: “Our Revolution: Liberating Life”.

## Main sessions of the conference:

### **World War III and Smashing the Armor of Immunity of the State and the Dominant-Male**

- o State Violence Over Society and Women: Its Whip, the Dominant-Male
- o Ecocide: Dismantling Domination, Dispossession, Oppression
- o Making Invisible Labor Visible

### **Workshops**

### **Becoming – The Desired Life Will Come Not Through Miracles But Through Revolution**

- o Overcoming the Fragmentation Created By Patriarchal Mentality: Class, Nationalism, Religionism
- o Feminism – The Rebellion Of The Oldest Colony And What Lies Beyond It
- o Sociology of Freedom And Jineoloji

### **Our Vision: Building Free Life**

- o How To Live, What To Do, Where To Start?
- o Organize!
- o Defend Life: No To War, Yes To Self-Defense

### **Finding Our Way**

- o Jin, Jiyan, Azadi – Why A Supranational Women's Organization? What Is The Proposal For World Democratic Women's Confederalism?

## Technical Information

**Date:** 5 – 6 November 2022. Registration for entry begins on 4th November at 5pm.

**Location:** Berlin Institute of Technology, Straße des 17. Juni 135, 10623 Berlin, Germany

**Simultaneous Translation:** Kurdish, English, German, Turkish, Arabic, Italian, Spanish and French

**Registration:** Email [registration@womenweavingfuture.org](mailto:registration@womenweavingfuture.org) by 10th October with your name, organization and where you will be travelling from.

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