



# CENTER FOR WOMEN'S GLOBAL LEADERSHIP

16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE  
16 DÍAS DE ACTIVISMO CONTRA LA VIOLENCIA DE GÉNERO  
16 JOURS D'ACTIVISME CONTRE LA VIOLENCE DE GENRE  
25 NOV - 10 DEC <http://16dayscwgl.rutgers.edu>



## Our Mission & Vision

The Center for Women's Global Leadership (CWGL) envisions a world in which all people are equal and gender equality is realized by the achievement of human rights for all. CWGL strengthens and facilitates women's leadership for human rights and social justice worldwide.

## Our Program Objectives

The Center supports women's leadership by working to:

- Advance economic and social rights from a feminist perspective;
- Promote an end to gender-based violence and highlight links with militarism;
- Build strong coalitions and deepen capacities around those urgent issues that are critical to the global women's movement.

We develop feminist analyses together with women leaders, and:

- Organize and disseminate cutting edge feminist research in the area of human rights to broaden and deepen the capacity of women leaders and social justice organizations to analyze, comment on, and create alternatives to policies shaping the lives of women and girls;
- Build the capacities of women's and social justice organizations to better facilitate policy and structural changes across countries, cultures, religions and generations; and
- Work closely with feminist leaders to mobilize their organizations and partners to influence policies at the international and national levels.

### Did You Know?

16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence is an international campaign coordinated by CWGL. Since 1991, the Campaign has been in direct communication with 5,167 organizations in 187 countries in every region of the world.



CWGL has been a central player in demanding respect for the rights of all women. As one of the first organizations with the specific goal of developing multi-cultural, feminist leadership for advocacy around women's human rights globally, the Center has been a catalyst, convener and leader in the evolution of the global women's movement.

At this critical moment in the 21st century, women across the world are engaged in advocacy to realize their rights and live to their full potential. As part of this movement, CWGL is working to create a safer world and to magnify the links between economic policy and human rights.

### Read the CWGL 2011-2012 Annual Report:

[http://www.cwgl.rutgers.edu/component/docman/doc\\_download/525-cwgl-annual-report-2011-12](http://www.cwgl.rutgers.edu/component/docman/doc_download/525-cwgl-annual-report-2011-12)

### Read the CWGL Tumblr Blog:

<http://cwgl.tumblr.com/>

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## Promoting an End to Gender-Based Violence

### The Security Project : “What Does Security Mean to You?”

Often when we hear about security, it's in terms of the State: military, police, private armies or other “security sector” agents. This project aims to document the ways in which human security is defined by civil society. Responses will be used to analyze the ways in which state spending reflects the expressed priorities of civil society.

### Want to Participate?

- **Security Project webpage:** <http://www.cwgl.rutgers.edu/program-areas/gender-based-violence/security-project>
- **Twitter:** use the hashtag **#mysecurity** at the end of your messages so everyone knows what you're saying!

### 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence Campaign

16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence is a global advocacy campaign, coordinated by CWGL, which highlights linkages between violence against women, militarism and human rights. The Campaign is an organizing tool used by individuals and organizations worldwide to advocate for, and promote actions and policies to, end gender-based violence. Since 1991, over 5,167 organizations in 187 countries have participated in the Campaign.

### Connect with the 16 Days Campaign

- **16 Days Campaign website:** <http://16dayscwgl.rutgers.edu>
- **Email:** [16days@cwgl.rutgers.edu](mailto:16days@cwgl.rutgers.edu)
- **Facebook:** <http://www.facebook.com/16DaysCampaign>
- **Flickr:** <http://www.flickr.com/photos/16dayscampaign>
- **Join the 16 Days Listserv:** [https://email.rutgers.edu/mailman/listinfo/16days\\_discussion](https://email.rutgers.edu/mailman/listinfo/16days_discussion)
- **Post and search events on the online Campaign Calendar:** <http://16dayscwgl.rutgers.edu/campaign-calendar>
- **Skype:** cwgl\_16days
- **Tumblr:** <http://cwgl.tumblr.com>
- **Twitter:** #16days; @16DaysCampaign; @CWGLRutgers

### Want to Learn More?

- **Visit CWGL's 16 Days Campaign:** <http://16dayscwgl.rutgers.edu/>
- **Visit 16 Days Campaign Resources:** <http://16dayscwgl.rutgers.edu/resources>

## Advancing Economic and Social Rights from a Feminist Perspective

CWGL builds women's and feminist leadership in the area of economic and social rights and develops alternative feminist approaches for the realization of economic and social rights for all. CWGL facilitates inquiries into and deconstructs practical and theoretical understandings of the ways in which macroeconomic policies affect women, households, communities, nation-states and the global economy.

### Want to Learn More?

- **ESR Program:** <http://cwgl.rutgers.edu/program-areas/economic-a-social-rights>
- **ESR Publications:** <http://www.cwgl.rutgers.edu/resources/publications/economic-a-social-rights>

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