

Migrants

Income security

Human Rights

***Flipping the Post-2015
Development Discourse:***

Accountability

**Promoting
Accountability
for Women & Migrant
Human Rights
& Social Protections**

Women

Education

Social Protections

Healthcare

Justice

Thursday, 13 March 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Church Center for the United Nations 777 United Nations Plaza, 2nd floor

The focus of this interactive session is on new Sustainable Development Goals. Too little attention is paid to the powerful actors that intentionally and systematically UNDER-develop communities, regions and nations in both North and South. Social Protections, including healthcare, education and income security are human rights guaranteed in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, yet are denied to millions as resources are redirected towards elites. *They should be at the core of the development agenda.* Lack of these rights is a major reason that women migrate, and yet, when they arrive in new countries, women often are unable to access these services. This interactive session will identify the policies and actors that block the delivery of economic and social human rights and examine strategies to hold state and non-state actors accountable.

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