Women for Climate Justice

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17:30-19:00 • Barra Arena, Room UN6

Fact: Women bear the brunt of ecological and environmental degradation.

Fact: Despite this alarming reality, women voices, and in particular rural and indigenous women, grassroots and impoverished urban women, are not being heard in the corridors of decision-making venues, and women’s needs are not being fully addressed in the climate change and sustainability debates at all levels.

This session will present how women have elevated their voices within the climate justice debate, featuring the methodology of the women’s tribunal on gender and climate justice.