

Workshop Schedule

A Virtual Workshop on Vulnerability Theory and Public Procurement February 12, 2021

9:00 A.M. EST TO 9:20 A.M. EST – INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

9:20 A.M. TO 9:35 A.M. VULNERABILITY THEORY AND STATE RESPONSIBILITY (MARTHA FINEMAN)

9:35 A.M. TO 10:05 A.M. – FIRST PANEL

- *The Case for Gender-Responsive Procurement in Botswana*, [Emmanuel Bolthale](#) (University of Botswana)
- *Policy Perspectives on engendering Public Procurement in Africa: The Case of Rwanda and South Africa*, [Angelita Kithatu-Kiwেকে](#) (University of the Witwatersrand) & [Shika Vyas-Doorgapersad](#) (University of Johannesburg)
- *Growth Pattern in Women-Owned Construction Companies as Evidence of Vulnerability*, [Abimbola Windapo](#) (University of Cape Town)

10:05 A.M. - 10:35 A.M. DISCUSSION

10:35 A.M. – 10:45 A.M. BREAK

10:45 A.M. - 11:25 A.M. – SECOND PANEL

- *Law and Public Procurement in Kenya*, [Atieno Mboya](#) (Emory University School of Law)
- *Gender-Responsiveness of Public Procurement and Tendering Policies in Kenya*, [Gedion Oyango](#) (University of Nairobi) & [Marygorety A. Otieno](#) (University of Nairobi)
- *Gender Justice in Public International Organizations*, [Emilie Combaz](#) (Independent Researcher)
- *The Paradox of Equity in Public Procurement Policies: A Vulnerability Analysis of Jordan*, [Wa'ed Alshoubaki](#) (University of Jordan)

11:25 A.M. - 11:55 A.M. DISCUSSION

11:55-12:30 FOLLOW UP COMMENTARY



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