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BACKGROUND RESOURCES

OPENING PLENARY – FLOURISH OR WILT: WOMEN’S HUMAN RIGHTS IN AN ERA OF REVOLUTIONARY CHANGE

- Women Dismantling Militarism (Global Fund for Women): <http://www.globalfundforwomen.org/what-we-do/initiatives/militarism>
- Mama Cash’s statement against violence against women human rights defenders in Egypt: <http://www.mamacash.org/page.php?id=2945>
- Website of the Forum for Women’s NGOs in Kyrgyzstan: <http://www.globaljusticecenter.net/projects/kyrgyzstan/Forum-Womens-NGOs.html>
- Website of AdvocAid in Sierra Leone, which includes case studies: <http://www.advocaidsl.com/>
- Website of Engagement Citoyen in Tunisia (English version under construction): <http://www.engagementcitoyen.tn/index.php?id=26>
- Website of New Woman Foundation in Egypt (in Arabic only): <http://nwrcegypt.org/>

A DEBATE ON IMPACT: SINGLE-ISSUE VS. MULTI-ISSUE ORGANIZATIONS

Growing a Movement with the Power to Win: <http://groundswellfund.org/assets/files/GF-stories.pdf>

HACKED, HASSLED AND SILENCED: THE GRANTMAKER’S ROLE IN NAVIGATING INTERNET SECURITY

- Tactical Tech Security in a Box: <http://www.tacticaltech.org/securityinabox>
- Mobile Active ‘s SaferMobile: http://www.mobileactive.org/search/apachesolr_search/safermobile
- Internews resources: <http://www.internews.org/research-publications>

DINNER-DIALOGUE – BEYOND “OCCUPY”: HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE GLOBAL 99%

- A Bottom-Up Approach to Righting Financial Regulation: http://www.escr-net.org/usr_doc/Why_is_a_Human_Rights_Approach_Needed_Dec_2011.pdf
- Lawrence Lessig, Harvard law professor, on money’s role in US politics:
 - His actual ‘lecture’ (his voice over a powerpoint presentation): <http://blip.tv/lessig/republic-lost-my-favorite-version-5697728>
 - Radio interview with Lessig about his book, bringing in Citizen’s United case and Occupy movement: <http://onpoint.wbur.org/2012/01/02/lawrence-lessig-on-money-corruption-and-politics>

SECRECY IN THE GLOBAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM AND ITS IMPACT ON HUMAN RIGHTS

From Tax Justice Network:

- Financial Accountability and Corporate Transparency campaign: http://www.tjn-usa.org/current_campaigns
- http://actionaidusa.org/news/pr/sabmiller_owner_dodges_taxes_in_poor_countries/http://iffdec2011.gfintegrity.org/
- [http://www.tjn-usa.org/storage/documents/FACT Sheet By the Numbers Final0511.pdf](http://www.tjn-usa.org/storage/documents/FACT_Sheet_By_the_Numbers_Final0511.pdf)
- [http://www.tjn-usa.org/storage/documents/FACT Sheet Beneficial Ownership 7-5-11.pdf](http://www.tjn-usa.org/storage/documents/FACT_Sheet_Beneficial_Ownership_7-5-11.pdf)

From Global Witness:

- *Undue Diligence: How banks do business with corrupt regimes:* http://www.globalwitness.org/sites/default/files/pdfs/undue_diligence_lowres_0.pdf
- *Secret Life of a Shopaholic:* http://www.globalwitness.org/sites/default/files/pdfs/gw_obiang_low.pdf

From Global Financial Integrity:

- *Mexico: Illicit Financial Flows, Macroeconomic Imbalances, and the Underground Economy* (<http://mexico.gfintegrity.org/en/>)
- *Illicit Financial Flows from Developing Countries Over the Decade Ending 2009*, December 2011 (<http://iffdec2011.gfintegrity.org/>)
- *Illicit Financial Flows from the Least Developed Countries: 1990-2008*, May 2011 (<http://www.gfintegrity.org/content/view/374/70/>)
- *Transnational Crime In The Developing World*, February 2011 (<http://transcrime.gfintegrity.org/>)
- *The Drivers and Dynamics of Illicit Financial Flows from India: 1948-2008*, November 2010 (<http://india.gfintegrity.org/>)
- *Illicit Financial Flows from Africa: Hidden Resource for Development*, March 2010 (<http://www.gfintegrity.org/content/view/300/75/>)
- *New Haven Declaration On Human Rights and Financial Integrity*, January 2010 (http://www.gfintegrity.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=290&Itemid=125)
- "Financial Integrity Meets Human Rights," opinion article in Huffington Post, January 7, 2010, by Raymond Baker of Global Financial Integrity, Arvind Ganesan of Human Rights Watch, and Yale Professor Thomas Pogge (http://www.huffingtonpost.com/raymond-baker/financial-integrity-meets_b_414740.html)

Stolen Asset Recovery Initiative of the World Bank:

http://www1.worldbank.org/finance/star_site/

DEFENDING RESOURCE RIGHTS: INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FROM BRAZIL, INDIA AND BEYOND

- A video and description about Grassroots International's partnerships model:
<http://grassrootsonline.org/what-we-do/partnerships>
- Evaluating Social Change – A Funder-Movement Dialogue: http://www.for-al.org/english/documents/Evaluating_Social_Change_ForAL.pdf
- Blog - "Breaking Barriers to Human Rights: Occupy Wall Street, Not Palestine":
<http://grassrootsonline.org/news/blog/breaking-barriers-human-rights-occupy-wall-street-not-palestine>
- Social and Environmental Impact of Sugarcane Production in Brazil:
http://www.social.org.br/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=140:social-and-environmental-impacts-of-sugarcane-production-in-brazil&catid=3:destaque
- Defending the Commons, Territories and the Right to Food and Water:
http://www.social.org.br/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=135:iran-briefing-paper-series-no-2&catid=10:english&Itemid=12
- Website of Gravis: www.gravis.org.in

CLOSING PLENARY – ON THE FRONT LINES: PROTECTING HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS IN TIMES OF TRANSITION

- Democratic Change in the Arab Region: State Policy and the Dynamics of Civil Society, April 2011
By the Euro-Mediterranean Foundation of Support to Human Rights Defenders - EMHRF
<http://www.emhrf.org/en/seminar2011.php>
- Steadfast in Protest: Annual Report 2011, October 2011
By the Observatory for the Protection of Human Rights Defenders, joint programme of the FIDH/OMCT: http://www.fidh.org/IMG/pdf/obs_2011_uk-complet.pdf
- Risk and Responsibility: Protecting Human Rights Defenders, June 2011
By Noah Cohen-Cline, Rosalie Nezien, Deji Olukotun and Jessica Wrenn for American Jewish World Service:
http://ajws.org/who_we_are/publications/strategy_papers/0611_risk_and_responsibility.pdf
- Violence against Women Human Rights Defenders in Mesoamerica: Regional Baseline Report 2010 and 2011 update
By JASS, AWID and UDEFEGUA
English (executive summary)
http://www.justassociates.org/documents/mesoamerica/Defensoras_English.pdf
Spanish (full report)
<http://www.justassociates.org/pdf/DefensorasDH-DiagnosticoMesoamericaDocCompleto.pdf>