



**7 April 2022**  
17:15 CET to 18:55 CET

Online Side Event

Languages:  
English, Spanish  
and Russian

#RFSD2022

# ONE FEMICIDE WATCH IN EVERY COUNTRY TO END THE SHADOW PANDEMIC

The event is expected to raise awareness, improve knowledge and public recognition of the magnitude of femicide with a perspective of calling on states to collect and analyze annual and comparable data to inform prevention and response to violence against women and girls.

The side event will inform about ongoing UN efforts in support of UNECE member states to pursue efforts to address the gap in the availability of data to develop normative frameworks and service provision.

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## AGENDA

<b>Moderator:</b> Michele Ribotta, UN Women representative in Albania	
17:05 – 17:15	<b>Technical check-up</b>
17:15 – 17:25	<b>WELCOME REMARKS BY</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN Women representative</li> <li>Spanish Ministry of Equality</li> </ul>
17:25 – 17:30	<b>GUEST SPEAKER</b>
	<b>Kerem Bürsin</b> , actor, the first advocate for HeForShe Turkey, UN Women's solidarity movement to advance gender equality through involving men and boys (TBC)
17:30 – 17:40	<b>KEYNOTE SPEECH</b>
	<b>Ms. Reem Alsalem</b> , United Nations Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences <i>Why we need Femicide Watches?</i>
17:40 – 18:40	<b>PANEL DISCUSSION</b>
	<p><b>Ms. Victoria Rosell</b>, Government Delegate against gender-based violence, Spanish Ministry of Equality <i>The Spanish model "State Observatory on all forms of violence against women. Improving resources, financing and statistics on femicide – what can we learn from it?"</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Ekaterine Skhiladze</b>, Deputy Public Defender Office, Georgia <i>From start to success – establishing Femicide Prevention Watch in Georgia</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Alejandra Mora Mora</b>, Executive Secretary, Inter-American Commission of Women <i>Inter-American Model Law on the Prevention, Punishment and Eradication of the Gender-Related Killing of Women and Girls (Femicide/Feminicide).</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Kosana Beker</b>, Program Director, Women's Association FemPlatz <i>Femicide Watches Initiative in Western Balkans countries, state of affairs from a CSO perspective</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Larisa Ilibezova</b>, Chair, Public Fund "Center for democratic processes' studies" <i>Measuring violence against women through statistics on crimes – experience of Kyrgyzstan</i></p> <p><b>Ms. Myrna Dawson</b>, Professor and Director, Centre for the Study of Social and Legal Responses to Violence, Director, Canadian Femicide Observatory for Justice and Accountability <i>Create and mobilize knowledge for effective violence prevention through research to inform policy making and monitoring beyond administrative data collection</i></p>
18:40 – 18:55	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>