

Tackling Violence: Securing Quality Education for Women and Girls

High-level Panel Discussion

Organised by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children
In collaboration with the Permanent Mission of Slovenia

On the occasion of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW)

*1 March 2011, 1:15 – 2: 30 p.m.
United Nations, Conference room 5, NLB*

PROGRAMME

1.15 – 1.25 Opening statements

- ❖ Mr. Ivan Šimonović, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights
- ❖ Ms. Dragoljuba Benčina, State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Slovenia

1.25 – 2.05 Panel discussion

Moderator: Ms. Marta Santos Pais, Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children

Panellists:

- ❖ Ms. Rashida Manjoo, Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences
- ❖ Mr. Kishore Singh, Special Rapporteur on the right to education
- ❖ Ms. Maud de Boer-Buquicchio, Deputy Secretary-General of the Council of Europe
- ❖ Ms. Sharon Elliott, International Programme Manager, Stop Violence Against Girls in School, ActionAid International

2.05 – 2.25 Questions and answers with the audience