

## Gender-Based Violence in Academia: Raising Awareness and Exploring Good Practices

Gender-based violence remains a significant challenge in higher education and research institutions, affecting the safety, wellbeing, and professional development of students, researchers, and staff. This talk will examine how institutions can foster safer and more inclusive academic environments by developing effective policies, strengthening institutional responses, and promoting a culture of prevention and accountability. Drawing on experiences from the GenderSAFE project, the session will present practical approaches and examples of good practices that support the prevention of gender-based violence and the implementation of sustainable institutional change across academia.



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