We Need to Talk

LEADERSHIP SUMMIT 2020
Monday
July 13

9:00 AM EDT
Virtual event platform opens for all participants

10:00 – 10:50 AM EDT
Inspire Sessions (Youth Attendees only)

11:00 AM EDT
Opening Plenary:
The Movement for Gender Equality (All Attendees)

Welcome and Introduction
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Michelle Obama, Former First Lady of the United States

Girl Talk: Writing Black Women In – Even If It’s Not Popular
Gabrielle, Girl Up Club Leader

Pull Up or Shut Up
Dee Poku, Founder, WIE Network and Black Women Raise
Trisha Shetty, Founder, SheSays
Viviana Santiago, Gender and Advocacy Manager, Plan International Brazil
Winter, Girl Up Club Leader

The Future Is Queer
Jodie Patterson, Chair, Human Rights Campaign Foundation Board
Jessamyn Stanley, Founder of The Underbelly, Body Positivity Advocate, Author
Rebecca, Girl Up Club Leader
Trisha, Girl Up Club Leader

All My Friends Are Allies
Brea Baker, Director of Programs, Inspire Justice
Mohammed Farshori, Director of Community Engagement, AT&T
Wade Davis, Girl Up Champion, Former NFL Player and Corporate Inclusion Advisor and Educator
Liz Plank, Award-Winning Journalist, Author and the Creator and Host, Heart Homework

#GirlsLead20
Telling (Her)story
Christine Platt, Managing Director, Antiracist Research & Policy Center at American University
Dr. Mireya Loza, Assistant Professor, New York University
Dr. Nina Ansary, Global Champion for Innovation, UN Women and Visiting Fellow at the London School of Economics Centre for Women, Peace & Security
Salomé, Girl Up Club Leader

Leader of Self Training
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

Girls With Dreams Become Women With Vision
Dr. Tererai Trent, Author, Speaker, Scholar and Humanitarian
Tanushah, Girl Up Leader

#WeSeeEqual
Tara Hogan Charles, Senior Director, P&G Government Affairs

A Special Message from
Chloe x Halle, Musical Artists

This is (Not) a Man’s World
Melissa Kilby, Executive Director, Girl Up
Aya, Girl Up Club Leader
Laura-Julia, Girl Up Club Leader

Performance
MILCK, Singer, Songwriter, and Creator, #ICANTKEEPQUIET Movement

Closing Remarks
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

12:45 PM EDT Break

1:00 – 2:00 PM EDT
Partner & Investor Collective (Partner Attendees only)

1:00 – 2:00 PM EDT
Six Concurrent Expert-led Workshops (Youth Attendees only)

1. Brag Better: How to Find and Use Your Voice, for Yourself and Others
2. Building Your Personal Brand: The power of authenticity in life and the workplace
3. Be Your Boldest You!
5. Empowerment Self-Defense: Your Voice is Powerful!

2:00 – 2:50 PM EDT
Inspire Sessions (Youth Attendees only)

8:00 PM EDT
Plenary: Building the Future (All Attendees)

Welcome and Introduction
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees
**We Need to Talk: We Are the Solution**
Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Executive Director, UN Women

**The Future Is Now**
Yu Liang, Founder, Stand By Her
Naomi Wadler, Anti-Gun Violence Activist
Vanessa Nakate, Climate Justice Activist
Edna Chavez, Anti-Gun Violence Activist
Ivonne, Girl Up Club Leader

**Girl Talk: COVID-19 from a Gender Perspective**
Leslie, Girl Up Club Leader

**Mental Health is Public Health**
Gabriella Wright, Co-Founder, Never Alone Initiative
Dr. Leyla Hussein OBE, Founder, The Dahlia Project
Maya Enista Smith, Executive Director, Born This Way Foundation
Angela, Girl Up Club Leader

**Leader of Self Training**
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

**(Still) No Planet B**
Autumn Peltier, Canadian Water Activist, Wikwemikong First Nation
Helena Gualinga, Indigenous Environmental and Human Rights Activist
Xiye Bastida, Indigenous Climate Activist, Otomi-Toltec Nation
Elizabeth Cousens, President and CEO, UN Foundation

**I-Lead**
Jameela Jamil, Actor, Activist, and Founder, I Weigh
Jailene, Girl Up Club Leader

**We Need to Talk: A Special Message from**
Brittany Packnett, Activist, Educator & Writer
Alliyah, Girl Up Club Leader
Chanice, Girl Up Club Leader

**We Need to Talk: Peace Building, One Woman at a Time**
Nadia Murad, 2018 Nobel Peace Prize Laureate, UN Goodwill Ambassador, Founder and President, Nadia’s Initiative

**Performance**
Bebe Rexha, Musical Artist

**Closing Remarks**
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

9:20 PM EDT Break

9:30 – 10:30 PM EDT

**Six Concurrent Expert-led Workshops (Youth Attendees only)**
1. Equity On and Off the Field
2. NetWerk® Networking & Dance Fitness Experience!
3. How Girl Up Can Prepare YOU for College Admissions
4. Women In Action at Booz Allen Consulting
PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Tuesday

July 14

10:00 – 10:50 AM EDT

Inspire Sessions (Youth Attendees only)

11:00 AM EDT

Plenary: Women in Leadership (All Attendees)

Welcome and Introduction
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Sheryl Sandberg, COO, Facebook

We Need to Talk
Priyanka Chopra Jonas, UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador and Girl Up Champion

Girl Talk: #GirlBoss: Awakening the Leader Inside You
Khushi, Girl Up Club Leader

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Hillary Clinton, Former U.S. Secretary of State

Special Announcement with WWE
Sonya Deville, WWE Superstar

I’m Not Bossy, I’m The Boss
Céline Talabaza, CEO, Noble Panacea
Claudia Chan, Creator of S.H.E. Summit & the How We Rise “Whole-Life Leadership” Program
Michelle King, Author of The Fix: Overcome the Invisible Barriers That Are Holding Women Back At Work
Miki Woodard, Head of Good Robot, Bad Robot Productions
Shania, Girl Up Club Leader

Women Are Leaders, Period.
Cecile Richards, Co-Founder, Supermajority
Lola, Girl Up Club Leader
Maria-Julia, Girl Up Club Leader
Full STEAM Ahead
Kathryn Karol, Vice President, Global Government and Corporate Affairs, Caterpillar, Inc.
Annie, Girl Up Club Leader

Leader of Peers Training
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Meghan Markle, The Duchess of Sussex

Performance
Agnes Nunes, Musical Artist

Closing Remarks
Salomé and Mofiyin, Emcees

12:30 PM EDT Break

1:00 – 2:00 PM EDT

Six Concurrent Girl Up Club Leader-led Workshops (Youth Attendees only)
1. Advocacy & Community Building
2. Crafting an Impactful Social Media Presence
3. Fundraising 101
4. How to Start a Girl Up Club 101
5. Uniting Clubs for a Stronger Force 101
6. The Art of Art: Sending a Message Through Your Work

2:00 – 2:50 PM EDT

Inspire Sessions (Youth Attendees only)

8:00 PM EDT

Closing Plenary: Taking Action with Girl Up (All Attendees)

Welcome and Introduction
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

Advice for a #GirlDad
Storm Reid, Actress, Producer, Co-Founder of Bamazing

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Yara Shahidi, Actress, Producer and Change Agent

Girl Up’s Commitment to Ending Violence
Anu Jain, Girl Up Investor and Advisory Board Member
Kylie Schuyler, PhD, Founder, Global Girls G.L.O.W
Lisa Napper, Girl Up Associate

Tribute to Magui, Girl Up Club Leader

Combatting Gender-Based Violence
Anindya Restuviani, Co-Director, Hollaback!
Jakarta and Program Director, Jakarta Feminist Association
Dr. Kakenya Ntaiya, Founder, Kakenya’s Dream
Majo Aldana, Country Manager, Girl Rising Guatemala
Sanya Seth, Programme Analyst, Intergovernmental Processes, & Women, Peace and Security, UN Women India
Vanessa, Girl Up Club Leader
Girl Talk: Inspiring the Next Generation of Women in STEM
Rhea, Girl Up Club Leader

Class in Session: The Importance of Education for Refugees
Kat Graham, Actress, Humanitarian, and High Profile Supporter, UNHCR, the UN Refugee Agency
Mary Maker Malou, Activist, Refugee Girls’ Education

Clubs and Campus Recognition
Melissa Kilby, Executive Director, Girl Up
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

The Importance of Male Allyship in the Fight for Gender Equality
Paul “Triple H” Levesque, Executive Vice President, Global Talent Strategy & Development, WWE
Rocío Ortega, Associate, Girl Up

Interactive Leadership Activity with
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

Athletes & Activism
Maria Toorpakai Wazir, President and Founder, Maria Toorpakai Foundation
Natasha Chang, Race Car Driver and Guinness World Record Holder
Simone Johnson, WWE Superstar
Laura, Girl Up Club Leader

We Need to Talk: A Special Message from
Abby Wambach, Olympian, Author, Activist

This is Our Movement
Priyanka Jain, Teen Advisor Alumna
Rocío Ortega, Associate, Girl Up and Teen Advisor Alumna

TenTalk: Cheers to 10 Years
Monique Coleman, Actress and Girl Up Champion

Performance
IZA, Singer and Songwriter

Closing Remarks
Hayat and Georgia, Emcees

9:20 PM EDT Break
9:30 – 10:30 PM EDT
Six Concurrent Girl Up Club Leader-led Workshops (Youth Attendees only)
1. Using the Girl Up Community
2. Thinking as a Political Leader
3. Fundraising 101: Everything you need to know about fundraising and more!
4. Building Your Own Venture
5. Organizing a Self-Defense Workshop
6. Taking Activism Online
PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Wednesday

July 15

12:00 – 3:00 PM EDT

(Youth Attendees only)

Day of Action – In-depth sessions on the following:

Organizing
Storytelling
Advocacy
Fundraising
STEM for Social Good
Girl Up 101

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