



Girl Up 2021 Leadership Summit

Can't Stop Won't Stop – Leading the Way to Social Change

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TUESDAY, JULY 13

7 AM Los Angeles / 9 AM Mexico City
10 AM Washington DC / 11 AM Rio de Janeiro
3 PM London / 5 PM Kampala / 7:30 PM New Delhi
10 PM Beijing / 12 AM Sydney



10:00 AM EDT

Opening Plenary // We Are Who We've Been Waiting For

Less Talk More Action

Melissa Kilby | *Executive Director, Girl Up*

Emcees: Welcome and Intention Setting

Theresa, Nivaraya | *Emcees*

When Girls Rise, We All Rise

Amina J. Mohammed | *Deputy Secretary-General,
United Nations*

Girl Talk: Confidence Gap

Anoushka | *Girl Up Leader*

Mental Health Moment

Sonya Deville | *WWE Superstar*
Lily | *Girl Up Leader*
Sai | *Girl Up Leader*

Resistencia Queer en Latin America

Victor Madrigal-Borloz | *UN Independent Expert on
Protection Against Violence and
Discrimination Based on Sexual
Orientation and Gender Identity*

Bianka Rodríguez | *Director of COMCAVIS TRANS and UNHCR
High Profile Supporter*

Fernanda | *Girl Up Leader*

Advocate to Educate

Nomzamo Mbatha | *Actress and UNHCR Goodwill
Ambassador*

Vitoria | *Girl Up Leader*

Commercial Break

Building Back Better to Improve Sexual Reproductive Health

Diene Keita | *Deputy Executive Director, Programme, UNFPA*
Melissa | *Girl Up Leader*

My Body, My Rights, My Choice

H.E. Ms. Mila Carovska | *Minister of Education and Science
of the Republic of North Macedonia*

Deja Foxx | *Political Digital Strategist*

Tabata Amaral | *Member of the Chamber of Deputies
of Brazil*

Leticia | *Girl Up Leader*

Club Awards – Advocacy & Organizing

Performance

Aranya Johar | *Poet*

More Than Someone's Daughter

Justin Baldoni | *Co-Founder, Wayfarer Studios; Filmmaker
and Author, "Man Enough: Undefined My
Masculinity"*

Richard Lui | *MSNBC/NBC News Anchor*

Shania | *Girl Up Leader*

Commercial Break

Girl Talk: Entrepreneurship

Ishita | *Girl Up Leader*

Commercial Break – P&G

Always #KeepHerPlaying

Jessica McDonald | *World Cup Champion, Mom and Equal
Pay Advocate*

Kavya Kopparapu | *Founder and CEO of the Girls Computing
League, Advocate, Changemaker and
Innovator*

Ashley | *Girl Up Leader*

Interactive Leadership Activity: Self-Leadership

Theresa, Nivaraya | *Emcees*

Commercial Break

Raising the (Legal) Bar on LGBTQ+ Equality

Arundhati Katju | *Advocate*

Menaka Guruswamy | *Senior Advocate,
Supreme Court of India*

Priyanka | *Girl Up Leader*

Champions of Change

Nigel Barker | *Fashion Photographer, TV Personality and
Girl Up Champion*

Kat McNamara | *Actress, Singer, Girl Up Champion*

Monique Coleman | *Actress, Producer, Activist, Host,
and Girl Up Champion*

Melissa Kilby | *Executive Director, Girl Up*

Scholarship Announcement: Storytelling with Lenovo

Teach a Girl, Change the World

Malala Yousafzai | *2014 Nobel Peace Laureate, Co-Founder,
Malala Fund*

Anagaby | *Girl Up Leader*

Break



2:00 PM EDT

Partner & Investor Collective (Partner Attendees)

Leader of Self: Julie Carrier & Sia Nowrojee | Leader of Peers: Girl Up Leaders & Advisory Board | Leader of Change: Tina Tchen & Melissa Kilby

2:00 PM EDT

Eight Expert-Led and Youth-Led Workshops

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Entrepreneurship 101

Join entrepreneur, Sadie Bowler, and her business's advisory board member, Diarra Niang, for a discussion on starting your own business.

Workshop Speakers:

Sadie Bowler, Co-Founder, *Sadie B* | **Diarra Niang**, Advisory Board Member, *SadieB* | **Martine**, Girl Up Leader



EXPERT

Professional Development: Virtual Relationship Building and Networking

Join Gallagher professionals and Girl Up alumni in a discussion about virtual networking and its benefits in any professional setting!

Workshop Speakers:

Kelly Lomas, Gallagher Representative | **Keti Mehta**, Gallagher Representative | **Jana**, Girl Up Leader | **Laura**, Girl Up Alumni | **Tanya**, Girl Up Alumni

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Taking Action to Address Gender-Based Violence

Join us to understand the scope and prevalence of GBV and global advocacy efforts and learn more about Girl Up's GBV Curriculum, which was developed in partnership with Girl Up Advisory Board Member Anu Jain.

Workshop Speakers:

Daniela Ligiero, Executive Director & CEO, *Together for Girls* | **Dhruthi**, Girl Up Leader | **Meena**, Girl Up Leader | **Shriya**, Girl Up Leader



EXPERT

Financial Literacy: The Five Money Musts

Learn from Fidelity experts the Five Money Musts to building a strong economic foundation: budgeting, investing, credit, debt, & retirement.

Workshop Speakers:

Kelly Lannan, Vice President, *Young Investors at Fidelity Investments* | **Marquita Miller**, Investment Consultant, *Fidelity Investments* | **Amelia**, Girl Up Leader | **Michelle**, Girl Up Leader | **Peri**, Girl Up Leader | **Phoebe**, Girl Up Leader | **Trisha**, Girl Up Leader

EXPERT

Filling Your Cup: Mental Health in Activism (With Born This Way Foundation)

This workshop tackles the unique mental health challenges, like burnout, that activists face with our partner, Born This Way Foundation.

Workshop Speakers:

Devi Dang, *Writer and Activist* | **Imadé Nibokun**, *Mental Health Advocate and Nonprofit Founder of Depressed While Black* | **Jennifer Marshall**, *Co-Founder/Executive Director, This Is My Brave Inc* | **Shadille Esteban**, *Born This Way Foundation* | **Zehn Kashyap**, *Poet and Activist* | **Dea**, *Girl Up Balkans Regional Co-Vice President*

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Girl Up 101: Starting & Leading a Girl Up Club

This workshop will focus on teaching attendees on how to start and lead their own Girl Up Club to effect change in their communities.

Workshop Speakers:

Anagaby, *Girl Up Leader* | **Lamya**, *Girl Up Leader*

EXPERT

Advocacy in Education (With Malala Fund)

Join our partner, The Malala Fund, to learn how to successfully advocate for girls' education.

Workshop Speakers:

Mariajose, *Girl Activist* | **Naomi Nyamweya**, *Research Officer, Malala Fund* | **Tess Thomas**, *Editorial Manager & Assembly Editor, Malala Fund* | **Valentine**, *Girl Activist*

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Civic Engagement in a Non-Election Year

Join us in this workshop centered on civic engagement, and learn how to advocate for social causes at any point in the year.

Workshop Speakers:

Anusha, *Girl Up Leader* | **Varija**, *Girl Up Leader*

3:00 PM EDT

Inspire Sessions – Round 1

4:00 PM EDT

Inspire Sessions – Round 2

For youth attendees only, Inspire Sessions are in-depth discussions facilitated by girl leaders.

5:00 PM EDT

1-Hour Networking Session – Round 1

8:30 PM EDT

1-Hour Networking Session – Round 2

One-on-one conversations between any participants using the Networking feature in the event platform.

10:00 PM EDT

Closing Plenary // Igniting your Passion for Social Change

Emcees: Welcome and Intention Setting

Aashna, Angela | *Emcees*

The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Women and Girls

Dr. Soumya Swaminathan | *Chief Scientist,
World Health Organization*

Girl Talk: Fetishization of AAPI Women

Emily | *Girl Up Leader*

Commercial Break

Limit Doesn't Exist: Finding Success in STEM

Gitanjali Rao | *Young Innovator, STEM Promoter*
Liyana | *Girl Up Leader*

Bridge to STEM, Constructing Your Future

Denise Johnson | *Group President, Caterpillar, Inc*

Club Awards – Fundraising & Storytelling

#Goals: Gender Equality on the Field

Batouly Camara | *Founder, Women and Kids Empowerment
(W.A.K.E.)*

Rosalie Fish | *Indigenous Runner for MMIW*
Aditi | *Girl Up Leader*

Allyship Inside the Ring and Out

Mustafa Ali | *WWE Superstar*
Lily | *Girl Up Leader*
Sai | *Girl Up Leader*

Scholarship Announcement: Sports with WWE

Commercial Break

How Youth Activists Are Changing Global Advocacy

Michelle Milford Morse | *Vice President for Girls and Women
Strategy, UN Foundation*

Selin | *Girl Up Leader*
Valeria | *Girl Up Leader*

Girl Talk: Gender-Based Violence

Dani | *Girl Up Leader*

The Stories That Shape Us

Meg DeLoatch | *Showrunner, The Neighborhood (CBS)*
Nora | *Girl Up Leader*

Commercial Break

Interactive Leadership Activity: Self-Leadership

Aashna, Angela | *Emcees*

Respect Your Mother (Earth)

Karina Penha | *Biologist and Climate Justice Activist*

Ridhima Pandey | *Climate Activist*

Vanessa Nakate | *Climate Justice Activist*

Bridget | *Girl Up Leader*

Scholarship Announcement: STEM with Noble Panacea

Commercial Break

Storytelling as a Form of Resistance Against Gender-Based Violence

Busayapa 'Best' Srisompong | *GBV Advocate, Human Rights
Lawyer, Director &
Founder of SHero*

Dr. Lina AbiRafeh | *Executive Director of The Arab Institute
for Women at the Lebanese American
University*

Rebeca | *Girl Up Leader*

Transforming Passion into Policy

Alisa | *Girl Up Leader*

Anita | *Girl Up Leader*

Brinda | *Girl Up Leader*

Carolina | *Girl Up Leader*

Sia Nowrojee | *Senior Director, Global Community, Girl Up*

Performance

Aija Mayrock | *Poet and Bestselling Author*

Break



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7:00 AM EDT

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Women in Leadership: Creativity & The Arts

Explore your ability to use creativity in leading social good in this beginner friendly workshop centered on creativity and the arts.

Workshop Speakers:

Erica Rose Jeffrey, Director & Lead Teacher at Dance for Parkinson's Australia | **Ella**, Girl Up Leader | **Imogen**, Girl Up Leader

EXPERT

United for Climate Justice (With Clean Cooking Alliance)

Learn about the intersection between climate justice and gender equality focussed on clean cooking energy with The Clean Cooking Alliance.

Workshop Speakers:

Alexandria Villaseñor, Climate Activist and Founder Earth Uprising | **Andrea**, Girl Up Leader | **Anobha**, Clean Cooking Alliance | **Gurung**, Nepal Senior Project Manager | **Jescinta Izevbigie**, Gender Manager, Clean Cooking Alliance | **Megan Collins**, Senior Associate- Gender, Demand, Policy, Clean Cooking Alliance | **Srijani**, Girl Up Leader

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Legislative Advocacy for Menstrual Equity

Learn about period poverty's multifaceted consequences and how to lobby for change in your local, national, and global community.

Workshop Speakers:

Aracely, Girl Up Leader | **Keerthana**, Girl Up Leader | **Shira**, Girl Up Leader



EXPERT

Got EQ? Understand & Strengthen Your Emotional Intelligence

Improve your self-awareness, empathy, & social skills, and leverage them to achieve your key goals with our partner, The WealthiHer Network.

Workshop Speakers:

Karishma Navsaria, Relationships Director, The WealthiHer Network | **Nicole Soames**, CEO of Diadem Performance & Best-selling Author | **Daniela Dweck**, Award-Winning Artist and Storyteller | **Jackie**, Girl Up Leader

EXPERT

Sexual & Reproductive Health, Rights, and Justice: Your Body, Your Choice

Learn different ways to raise awareness about SRHRJ in order to reduce stigma and improve conditions for access to information and service, with the Population Foundation of India.

Workshop Speakers:

Mandira Kalra Kalaan, Associate Director Communications, Population Foundation of India | **Mausam Kumari**, Youth Champion, Population Foundation of India, Bihar, India | **Alua Samat**, Girl Up SOAS: Speak Out About Sex | **Manan**, Girl Up Leader | **Sarah**, Girl Up Bergen Tech, New Jersey | **Shweta**, Girl Up Leader

YOUTH

Resist. Reject. Rebuild. Gender & Racial Equity

This gender and racial equity workshop explores intersections of gender and racial inequalities and how to fight them.

Workshop Speakers:

Giordana, Girl Up Leader | **Kaitlyn**, Girl Up Leader | **Mmasechaba**, Girl Up Leader

EXPERT

Owning Your Voice, (With Girls Health Ed)

Learn how to effectively share your stories, make an impact, and strengthen your confidence and voice, with our partner, Girls Health Ed.

Workshop Speakers:

Pavita Singh, Executive Director, Girls Health Ed | **Ankita**, Girls Health Ed | **Lucy**, Girls Health Ed | **Wanjiku**, Girls Health Ed

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Advocacy in the Age of Technology

Learn how to use social media and digital tools to advocate for the social causes you care about.

Workshop Speakers:

Maryam, Girl Up Leader | **Nivaal**, Girl Up Leader

8:00 AM EDT

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Day of Action

Girl Up Changemaker

Speakers:

Leyla Zuleikha Makhmudova, Co-Founder, FemAgora Central Asia | Carla, Girl Up Leader | Galin, Girl Up Leader | Sohani, Girl Up Leader | Riya, Girl Up Leader | Camila, Girl Up Leader | Selin, Girl Up Leader

Fundraising 101

Speakers:

Pooja, Girl Up Leader | Xuan Mai, Girl Up Leader | Audrey, Girl Up Leader | Maeve, Girl Up Leader | Rushil, Girl Up Leader | Chimwemwe, Girl Up Leader

Organizing

Speakers:

Sriya, Girl Up Leader | Denia, Girl Up Leader | Anita, Girl Up Leader | Karissa, Girl Up Leader | Angelina, Girl Up Leader

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STEM for Social Good

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Speakers:

Claudia Anderson | TE Connectivity | Hillarie Flood, Booz Allen Hamilton | Eve Andersson, Google | Denise Johnson, Caterpillar | Bhargavi, Girl Up Leader | Devi, Girl Up Leader | Louise, Girl Up Leader

Sports for a Purpose

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Speakers:

Bianca Bel Air, WWE Superstar | Sam Rappaport, NFL | Kim Turner Senior, Fair Play for Girls in Sports, Staff Attorney & Project Director at Legal Aid at Work | Michelle, Girl Up Leader | Melissa, Girl Up Leader | Shikha, Girl Up Leader | Yashika, Girl Up Leader

Professional Development

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Speakers:

Charlotte Hayes Deloitte, Girl Up Advisory Board Member | Shelmina Abji, Former IBM Vice President, Girl Up Advisory Board Member | LaVerne H. Council, Founder Emerald One, Girl Up Advisory Board Member | Mary Alice, Malone Souliers | Jackie, Girl Up Alumni | Amanda, Girl Up Alumni | Jenan, Girl Up Alumni | Emma, Girl Up Alumni | Tatenda, Girl Up Alumni | Emily, Girl Up Alumni | Linh Hoia, Girl Up Alumni



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