

11th International Helvi Sipilä Seminar
WOMEN AT THE HEART OF PEACE AND SECURITY

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Conference Room 11, General Assembly Building (GA), UN Headquarters, N.Y.

PROGRAM

OPENING REMARKS

Kai Sauer

Ambassador of the Permanent Mission of Finland to the UN

SPEAKERS

Päivi Kannisto (Finland)

Chief of the Peace and Security Unit of UN Women, N.Y.

"Women in Peace Processes – Why and How?"

Jolie Massay Duye (D.R. Congo)

Coordinator of International Relations, Association Congolaise des Femmes Diplômées
des Universités

"Women at the Heart of Peace and Security in D.R. Congo"

Andrea Michelle Gradiz Diaz (Honduras)

Vice President, World YWCA

*"Women's Empowerment amongst Citizen and Political Security Challenges and armed
conflicts"*

CHAIR OF THE SEMINAR

Eva Biaudet

Member of Parliament

President, the National Council of Women of Finland