**Women in Conflict 1325 Fellowship Programme, Edinburgh, UK**

**27th November to 5th December 2022**

**Application Information and Form**

**Overview**

 The Women in Conflict 1325 Fellowship is based around the principles of UN Security Council Resolution 1325 which *“reaffirms the role of women in the prevention and resolution of conflict, peace negotiations, peace-building, peacekeeping, humanitarian response and in post-conflict reconstruction, and stresses the importance of their equal participation in all efforts for the promotion of peace and security”.*

The Fellowship Programme aims to:

* provide a platform enabling the sharing of experiences in relation to UNSCR1325 and the global Women, Peace, and Security agenda; women’s roles in peace building and conflict resolution; and gender equality;
* facilitate peer to peer learning providing a safe space for Fellows to learn from each other through sharing experiences, ideas and challenges faced in their different contexts;
* explore the equal and meaningful participation of women in peace processes, peace building, and more widely in society, including identifying challenges and entry points;
* facilitate a network of women engaged in an on-going learning and experience-sharing process, building a sustainable and evolving alumnae community;
* provide guidance on topics including: mediation; conflict analysis, political transitional justice; constitution building; gender equality; policy advocacy; and self-care strategies, among others.

**Programme Format**

The programme will take place in Edinburgh, Scotland from 27th November to 4th December 2022 (including travel days) and will involve a programme of workshop-style sessions.

The Fellowship Programme is fully funded, including travel, accommodation, and visa application costs.

Simultaneous Arabic-English interpretation will be provided, and all materials provided will be available in English/Arabic.

The programme is open to women working to promote gender equality and/or in peacebuilding and relevant/adjacent fields.

**How to Apply:**

Please send the documents listed below to fellowship@beyondbordersscotland.com

* a completed application form
* an up-to-date CV or a professional biography
* a copy of your passport

If you have any questions, or would like any further information, please email Programme Manager, Esme Markham, emarkham@beyondbordersscotland.com

**APPLICATION FORM**

Thank you for your interest in the Women in Conflict 1325 Fellowship Programme. Please answer **ALL** of the questions below. Please note that due to the volume of applications that we receive we are unable to accept incomplete applications.

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| **Name** |  |
| **Contact Details** |  |
| **Nationality/Country** (please indicate where you will be travelling from if different from your nationality) |  |
| **Current Position & Organisation** |  |

1. Please explain why you are interested in applying for the Women in Conflict 1325 Fellowship Programme:
2. What experience/knowledge will you bring to the Programme?
3. How do you hope to use the experience/knowledge gained throughout the Programme in your future work?
4. Are you available to travel to Edinburgh, UK from 27th November – 4th December?
5. Do you need to apply for a visa to travel to the United Kingdom?
6. This programme will be held in English/Arabic, what language would you prefer to communication in?