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has	has the potential to positively impact equitable, inclusive and sustainable growth for countries of																	
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expression of agency, positively impacting their position in their family and community.																		

However, as stressed in the recent report of the UN Secretary-General "In Safety and Dignity: Addressing Large Movements of Refugees and Migrants", women face high risks of sexual and gender-



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1:15-1:25 Opening remarks (10 min)

Lakshmi Puri, UN Assistant Secretary-General and Deputy Executive Director, UN Women

1:25-1:55 Panel discussion **(30 min)**

Moderator: Parvati Nair, Director, Institute on Globalization, Culture and Mobility, United Nations University (GMG Chair 2017)

Tarik Sssou, Head of Division of Cooperation and Studies, Ministry in Charge of Moroccans Living Abroad and Migration Affairs, Morocco (GFMD Co-Chair 2017-2018)

Meg Jones, Chief, Economic Empowerment, UN Women

Brian Grogan, Senior Adviser to the UN Special Adviser on Follow-up to Summit for Refugees and Migrants

Michele Klein Solomon, Senior Policy Adviser to the Director General, International Organization for Migration (IOM)

Eva Richter, NGO Committee on Migration

1:55-2:30 Interactive discussion – Q/A (35 min)

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