

The Paris Declaration as a tool to promote gender equality

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equality and the empowerment of women

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Alignment



What does the PD Offer?

- A commitment to joint gender analysis/gender impact assessment (Paragraph 42)
- Opportunity to show where/how we can add value to implementing the Paris Declaration – thus engaging other players
- Encouragement towards coordinated support for gender equality and women's empowerment institutions and capacity

Next Steps

- Preparing for roundtable at Ghana HLF3? Or other forum? And beyond
- Skilling gender specialists/advocates in the new aid architecture – joint work with macro-economists & technocrats?
- Review influencing strategies and alliances – ‘CCI or functional necessity’?
- Gather evidence and demonstrate value-added
- Anticipate, re-strategise, keep going ...