



FAIR WATER: A Right of All A Human Rights and Gender Perspective

Washington DC, June 13, 2019

Former Residence of the Ambassadors of Spain
2801 16th Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20009

9.00 **Registration and coffee**

9:25 **Conference Introduction**

9:30 **Welcome remarks**

H.E. Santiago Cabanas, *Ambassador of Spain to the United States*

H.E. Stavros Lambrinidis, *Ambassador of the European Union to the United States*

10:00 **Keynote speaker:**

Ana Peláez, *Member of CEDAW TBC*

10:30 **Panel 1: The US perspective .**

Dr. Gregory Pierce

Associate Director of Research, Luskin Center for Innovation and Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Urban Planning, University of California, Los Angeles

The Human Right to Water in the U.S.: lessons from California

Sherry Goodman

Senior Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center, Former Deputy Undersecretary of Defense (Environmental Security)

Dr. Sri Vedachalam

Director of the Safe Drinking Water Research and Policy Program, Northeast-Midwest Institute.

Representative from WWF

11:45 **Coffee Break**

12:00 **Panel 2: Exploring the linkages between SDGs 6 "Water" and SDG 5 "Gender equality"**

Speaker from Bolivia

Carlos Garriga

Project Manager, We are Water Foundation

Sean Snyder

Public Partnerships Manager, UNICEF – Washington, D.C.

13:30 **Buffet Lunch**