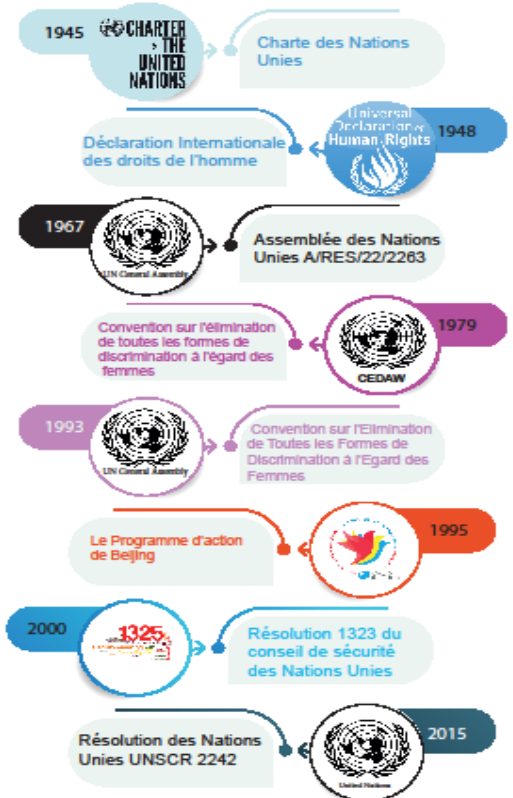


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Gender Week Report 5 March 2020 *By Gender Circle*



Le cercle GENRE GIZ Algérie organise une journée témoignage sous la thématique « Coopératives féminines face aux défis du milieu rural », le 05 mars 2020 de 09h00 à 11h30 au niveau de la salle du RDC du bâtiment 1



On the occasion of Gender Week, GIZ Algeria organized on Thursday, March 5, 2020 an event under the theme "Women's cooperatives facing the challenges of the rural environment".

The session has been moderated by Ms Meriam Abdessemed, gender focal point and technical advisor, as well as and by Miss Soumeya Haouchine, national gender focal point at GIZ Algeria.

The welcome speech was given by Ms. Schieber who took this opportunity and emphasized the importance of constantly working on gender issues and reiterated her commitment to support the activities of gender circle .





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As a warm up for all the participant on the gender topic, Ms Meriem Abdessemed initiated a debate on the social place of women in rural areas, and how they can be an important element in the economic development in their region.

In the second part of the day an exhibition and sale of cooperative’s product (vegetable oils, essential oils and other natural products) was organized on this occasion.

