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## PUBLICATIONS BY SVRI AND PARTNERS

[Transforming harmful gender norms in Solomon Islands: A study of the Oxfam Safe Families Program.](#) Homan S, Honda T, Leung L, Fulu E, Fisher J. The Equality Institute, Monash University, Oxfam Australia. 2019: This report outlines the findings from a qualitative study and process evaluation to assess the implementation of Oxfam's Safe Families program in Solomon Islands. The study sought to understand the processes of shifting harmful social norms that drive family and sexual violence in Solomon Islands.

## SVRI MEMBER REQUESTS

**Looking for data on reported cases of rape/sexual coercion in different countries:** Here in the UK we are interested in whether the huge increase in reporting of rape and sexual assault that we have witnessed is echoed elsewhere. You could help us if you have data for reported rape/sexual coercion cases over the last 5 years. It would be amazing if you also had comparative prevalence estimates which includes unreported cases. For more information and contributions, please email Liz Kelly [l.kelly@londonmet.ac.uk](mailto:l.kelly@londonmet.ac.uk)

## JOURNAL ARTICLES

Please note, to obtain a full copy of a journal article you may write to the author given as the contact person by the respective publishing house to request a copy.

[Violence against children and intimate partner violence against women: overlap and common contributing factors among caregiver-adolescent dyads.](#) Carlson C, Namy S, Pala A.N, Wainberg M.L, Michau L, Nakuti J, Knight L, Allen E, Ikenberg C, Naker D, Devries K. BMC Public Health. ePub, 2020: This study investigates the overlap and contributing factors of intimate partner violence against women and violence against children using a sample of adolescents and their caregivers in Uganda. (Source: BMC Public Health).

[Improving measurement of child abuse and neglect: A systematic review and analysis of national prevalence studies.](#) Mathews B, Pacella R, Dunne M.P, Simunovic M, Marston C. PLoS One. ePub, 2020: This study aimed to systematically review the most comprehensive national studies of the prevalence of child maltreatment, and critically appraise their methodologies to help inform the design of future studies. (Source: PLoS One).

[Future directions in intimate partner violence research: an intersectionality framework for analyzing women's processes of leaving abusive relationships.](#) Barrios V.R, Khaw L.B.L, Bermea A, Hardesty J.L. J Interpers Violence. ePub, 2020: This article aims to develop a theoretical understanding grounded in intersectionality of the decision-making process involved in leaving an abusive partner. (Source: NCBI).

[Psychological interventions for common mental disorders in women experiencing intimate partner violence in low-income and middle-income countries: a systematic review and meta-analysis.](#) Keynejad R.C, Hanlon C, Howard L.M. Lancet Psychiatry. 7(2), 173-190, 2020: This study investigates whether exposure to intimate partner violence reduces intervention effectiveness of psychological interventions for women with common mental disorders in low and middle income countries. (Source: Science Direct).

[Economic costs of violence against women in Mozambique.](#) Tchamo S, Mucambe M, José G, Manuel B, Mataveia G. J Interpers Violence. ePub, 2020: This study provides an estimated cost associated with violence against women (VAW) and produces data that will help in the design of strategies for the reduction or elimination of VAW. (Source: NCBI).

[Toward an ecological understanding of intimate partner sexual violence.](#) Tarzia L. Journal of Interpersonal Violence. ePub, 2020: This article aims to explore the ecological factors that may be associated with intimate partner sexual violence at the individual, relationship, community, and societal levels. (Source: University of Melbourne).



## BLOGS

[Comprehensive Sexuality Education to prevent intimate partner violence among adolescents and youth.](#) Mariana Cruz Marueta, Ivon Silva Márquez, Génesis Luigi. 30 January 2020: In this blog, the authors discuss Comprehensive Sexuality Education activities that were delivered by Mexfam aiming to provide adolescents and youth with the opportunity to share their stories, deconstruct myths, and learn to identify and prevent different forms of violence.

## ONLINE RESOURCES

[Gender-based violence and environment linkages: the violence of inequality.](#) Castañeda Carney I, Sabater L, Owren C, Boyer A.E, Wen J. IUCN Global Programme on Governance and Rights (GPGR). 2020: This analysis reveals the complex and interlinking nature of gender based violence across three main contexts: access to and control of natural resources; environmental pressure and threats; and environmental action to defend and conserve ecosystems and resources. (Source: IUCN).

[The pilot of program P-ECD in Lebanon: Evaluation results and lessons learned. Promundo-US and ABAAD. 2019](#): This brief provides a description of Program P-Early Childhood Development (ECD): a program designed to promote active, involved parenting; as well as key evaluation findings, implementation challenges, lessons learned, and considerations for future adaptations. (Source: Promundo-US).

[Intimate partner violence and asylum in the Americas: Canada, Chile, Mexico, Peru. UN High Commissioner for Refugees. 2019](#): This report examines the challenges affecting survivors of intimate partner violence in the Americas who need to access refugee protection. Specifically, the research analyzes the legal and practical challenges related to the application, interview, and adjudication stages of the asylum process in four countries. (Source: Washington University in St. Louis).

[Beyond access: toolkit for integrating gender-based violence prevention and response into education projects. United States Agency for International Development. 2015](#): This toolkit provides guidance and resources for USAID technical and program officers working on education to increase understanding of gender based violence (GBV) in the education context and strengthen integration of a GBV response into projects and activities. (Source: GBV CoP).

[Doorways: Student training manual on school-related gender-based violence prevention and response. U.S. Agency for International Development. 2009](#): The Doorways training program manual was developed with the input of many individuals committed to creating a program that can be easily implemented and adapted across the world to prevent and respond to gender-based violence in schools. (Source: GBV CoP).

## RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES & GRANTS

[Call for Papers](#): Sexual Violence – International Perspectives and Recommendations for Research, Practice, and Policy. Deadline: 1 February 2020.

[Call for Forum Activities](#): 14th AWID International Forum. Deadline: 14 February 2020.

[Call for Applications](#): Elrha's Journey to Scale – Funding for Scaling Humanitarian Innovation. Deadline: 14 February 2020.

[Call For Proposals](#): Women's Voice And Leadership – Multi-year Funding for Caribbean Women's Rights and LGBTIQ Organizations. Deadline: 14 February 2020.

[Call for Applications](#): IWMF Scholarships for Journalistic Specialization in Gender and Sexual Diversity Approach – El Salvador. Deadline: 1 March 2020.

[Special Call for Papers](#): Journal of Human Trafficking, Enslavement and Conflict Related Sexual Violence – 'Sexual Terrorism': The Nexus Between Terrorism, Human Trafficking and Conflict-Related Sexual Violence. Deadline: 6 March 2020.

[Call for Applications](#): U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice – Research and Evaluation on Violence Against Women Program. Deadline: 13 April 2020.

[Call for Papers](#): Journal of Human Trafficking, Enslavement and Conflict Related Sexual Violence – Nexus Between Human Trafficking, Enslavement and Conflict-Related Sexual Violence or on one or More of these Crimes Individually. Deadline: 1 May 2020.



### EVENTS

- [Webinar: 'COMBAT'ing violence against women – A success story from rural Ghana, 11 February 2020, 4:30-6pm EAT](#): In this webinar, Dorcas Coker-Appiah and Adolphina Addo-Lartey, will co-present the COMBAT programme that successfully shifted knowledge, attitudes and behaviours with respect to gender roles and relations and violence against women and girls in rural Ghana. Register [online](#).
- [International Conference of Forensic Nursing Science and Practice, 23-26 September 2020, California, USA](#): The International Conference on Forensic Nursing Science and Practice is an opportunity for forensic nursing clinicians, researchers and partners to exchange knowledge and discuss new approaches to practice. Be part of this important conversation and submit an abstract today! For more information, [ONLINE](#) submissions are being accepted until 12 February 2020.



### VACANCIES

- [Gender Equality Advisor](#), Save the Children Canada, Toronto, Canada – Closing date: 9 February 2020.
- [Women and Families GBV Service Manager and Specialist Worker](#), Claudia Jones Organisation, London, UK – Closing date: 14 February 2020.
- [Sexual Violence Technical Advisor](#), No Means No Worldwide, Africa or in the United State – Closing date: 15 February 2020.
- [Program Advisor – Girls First Fund \(Nepal\)](#), Geneva Global, Kathmandu, Nepal – Closing date: 29 February 2020.
- [Senior Monitoring Evaluation and Learning Officer](#), FRIDA | The Young Feminist Fund, Closing date: Flexible.



## NEWS

[Threats to the environment are interlinked with gender-based violence across multiple contexts](#), IUCN News, 28 January 2020.

[Study urges national review of support services for male survivors of sexual violence](#), Medical Xpress, 27 January 2020.

[When judges don't know the meaning of rape, there is little hope of justice](#), The Guardian, 25 January 2020.

[Why assault victims stay in touch with attackers, in light of Weinstein defense](#), ABC News, 23 January 2020.

### **Sexual violence is a global issue that requires coordinated evidence-based responses**

The Sexual Violence Research Initiative (SVRI) aims to increase awareness and promote research on sexual violence and its linkages to other forms of violence to influence policy and practice, particularly in low and middle income countries. To learn more about the SVRI visit our website [www.svri.org](http://www.svri.org) or contact us at [svri@svri.org](mailto:svri@svri.org)

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