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## "Rohingya Youth Association fully support Gender Equality in Rohingya communities"

One of the principal missions of RYA is to eliminate gender discrimination within Rohingya communties and promote equality, respect and equal opportunities for women and girls.

RYA recognize the value and standing of women and girls in their own right as well as their value for society as a whole.

The guiding principles of RYA are equality, inclusiveness and openness to progressive ideas and ideals. RYA seeks to ensure the new generation of Rohingyas - boys and girls, men and women - stand against discrimination and oppression of Rohingya girls and women.

RYA members, both men and women, strive to learn and adopt the values of gender equality.

Finally, RYA believes gender equality in daily life, education, work and community can and will empower - not weaken - our societies.

Khin Maung Founder and executive director

## On behalf of the Central Executive Committee of the RYA

Rohingya Youth Association (RYA) is an inclusive network founded and run by Rohingya in the camps of Bangladesh. We believe that Rohingya youth must play a central role in changing our societies for the better. As such, we are committed to promoting education for Rohingya youth and developing social awareness campaigns. Our principle mission is to work together with other young Rohingya men and women to promote equal opportunities and fight against discrimination particularly in the area of education and literacy.

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