



International Association  
of Women Judges



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## INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE GIRL

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*Girls' education is a powerful tool for the development of economies and societies, and a fundamental human right with intergenerational benefits.*

Hon. Susana Medina  
President of the IAWJ

On December 19, 2011, the United Nations General Assembly adopted Resolution 66/170 to declare 11 October as the International Day of the Girl Child, to recognize girls' rights and the unique challenges girls face around the world.

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