

## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2025

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The Beijing Conference, a landmark event held in Beijing, China, from September 1995, was focused on the empowerment and the advancement of women worldwide.

The memorable event which was convened by the United Nations was for the advancement of key global policy document on gender equality. At this conference, governments from around the world agreed on a plan, more so, to comprehensively reach a global legal equality, known as the Beijing Platform for Action. Some scholars assert that, the Platform for Action is the most progressive blueprint for advancing women's right from 1995 to 2025.

The Conference was gracefully represented by 189 governments, UN agencies, intergovernmental organizations and also from across the world activists and organizations. This event evoked women artists all around



Tansu Ciller (1995)





## Conclusion

The past three decades have seen significant progress in women's rights and gender equality. Many countries, including Ghana, have implemented policies to address gender based violence and to protect women rights. Again, girls enrollment in school has significantly risen, with many countries achieving gender parity in education, however, despite these achievements, many challenges remain. As the global community comes together to review progress and renew commitments, it is essential to recognize the progress made and the work still to be done to achieve a more equitable and just world for all.