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Second International Conference of the Trans-Atlantic Research Group, in association
with the Echeruo Centre for Public Policy, 17 Otamiri Street, Owerri, Imo State, Nigeria

Venue: Alvan Ikoku College of Education, Owerri, Nigeria
Date: July 28-30, 2006

The Second TARG conference aims to bring together scholars and policy makers interested
in exploring historical, policy, and development phenomena and their intersection with
gender using the methods of the social sciences. Individual papers or panels are invited
from academics, independent scholars, and postgraduate students. We encourage
submissions on a wide range of themes relating gender to globalization, democratization,
and state transformation in Africa and the African diaspora. Papers should have some
historical context and content. Proposals are welcome but not limited to the following
areas:

- Gender and Social Transformation
- Transformation of Gender Roles
- Gender and Language in Africa
- Gender & Economic Transformation
- Gender, Crime, Law, and Justice
- Gender, War and Peace-making
- Trans-Atlantic Encounters & Transformation
- Migration\Displacement Experience
- Children and Migration Experience
- Globalization of Poverty
- Trans-Atlantic Relations
- Policy Implications of Gender and Globalization

All interested persons and groups are welcome. Those who wish to make presentations at
the conference should submit 300-word long abstracts of their presentations. Please send
abstracts by November 10, 2005 by email to the conference coordinators:

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