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Dowry violence and Pakistan

The Express Tribune (Dec 30, 2018)

Dowry violence is one of the many manifestations of patriarchal culture that is comfortably integrated in our routine lives. Different structures in development practice and governance as well as the society at large have cleverly assigned social sanction and legal ... [Read More](#)

Pakistan owes Benazir Bhutto a lot

The Arab News (Dec 26, 2018)

Perhaps Pakistan was not ready for Benazir Bhutto when she became her father's political heir. After all, how many countries, even today, would be ready for a highly-educated, left-leaning, staunch democrat who understood the importance of constitutional survival ... [Read More](#)

Women as variables in economy of Pakistan

The Pakistan Today (Dec 25, 2018)

Recently, it has been observed that 22.3pc of women in Pakistan are employed in various organizations while the rest are focusing on morning shows and domestic matters. Not to mention that domestic household is of no importance but in a country like ... [Read More](#)

Gender equality can help raise country's GDP by 60%

The Express Tribune (Dec 24, 2018)

NORTHAMPTON: Statistics from the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) are quite revealing, which state that closing the gender gap in workforce could add a staggering \$28 trillion to the global gross domestic product (GDP) ... [Read More](#)

Govt focusing on Socio-economic empowerment of women

The Express Tribune (Dec 22, 2018)

RAWALPINDI: The government is bringing reforms and had taken key initiatives to provide conducive environment for investment in the country, said Adviser to Prime Minister on Commerce, Textile, and Industries Abdul Razzak Dawood ... [Read More](#)

Wage growth and gender pay gap in Pakistan

The Express Tribune (Dec 22, 2018)

The PTI-led government has completed its first 100 days in power. It is organising special programmes and making tall claims for its achievements. Opposition parties, on the other hand, are denouncing these claims and criticising the government for its failure to ... [Read More](#)

Pakistan lags behind in women's rights, says PTI Leader

The News (Dec 21, 2018)

PESHAWAR: Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) provincial leader Meraj Humayun on Thursday said that Pakistan has failed to protect women's rights ... [Read More](#)

Pakistan among worst performers on gender equality: WEF

The Pakistan Observer (Dec 19, 2018)

ISLAMABAD: Pakistan is the second worst country in the world in terms of gender parity, ranking 148 out of 149 countries in the 'Global Gender Gap Index 2018' report released by the World Economic Forum (WEF) on Tuesday. According to the report, four Muslim ... [Read More](#)

150 digital labs at countrywide Women Empowerment Centres on cards

The Pakistan Observer (Dec 19, 2018)

Islamabad: Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunications is in process of establishing 150 digital labs at Women Empowerment Centers across the country under a programme launched to enable them contribute in socio-economic ... [Read More](#)

Women-Pakistan's real strength

The Express Tribune (Dec 17, 2018)

Pakistan's women make up 48.8% of its total population. Imagine a force of over 100 million, who if rightly supported, can drive the future of the country. Imagine a 100 million putting their energy together to overcome challenges. Imagine a 100 million just focusing on ... [Read More](#)

Empowering women to lead Pakistan

Women's Agenda (Dec 17, 2018)

Neetan Teejo belongs to the lower-caste Kohli tribe from Sindh, Pakistan. Like most Kohli people – who are marginalised from the rest of society – Neetan is a landless peasant (or Hari), living and working on the estate of a wealthy landlord. She and her extended family of ... [Read More](#)

Where women stand in Pakistan's economy

Daily Times (Dec 17, 2018)

Talking about the world we live in, humans are taking things into another dimension. We have shifted ourselves from the era of not so friendly products and technologies to an ambiance where humans hardly have to play any role to work instead the technology helps them ... [Read More](#)

Are women in Pakistan really empowered?

Daily Times (Dec 16, 2018)

Pakistan is determined to work towards achieving the targets set for gender equality and empowerment of women by the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Women comprise approximately half of the total population of Pakistan. Most women live in rural ... [Read More](#)

'Women in Elections 2018' report launched

The News (Dec 14, 2018)

Islamabad: The National Commission on the Status of Women (NCSW) has recommended the Parliament to amend Political Parties Act to enhance women's participation in political party decision making by increasing their representation up to 33 per cent in all ... [Read More](#)

Participation of women in democratic process urged

The Dawn (Dec 11, 2018)

MINGORA: The students of Government Postgraduate Girls College Saidu Sharif Swat here on Monday said that women must take equal part in the democratic process to put the country on the track of development. They were speaking in a speech competition ... [Read More](#)

Report on online harassment: Female politicians more likely to face objectifying comments online

The Express Tribune (Dec 09, 2018)

Trolls are a reality of the modern internet world, especially on social media. This is amplified for politicians and others in the public sphere — especially if you are a woman. One senior politician, who had only hours ago faced a maelstrom of abuse and trolling, shared her ... [Read More](#)

Society's mindset needs to be changed to combat harassment: Marazi

The Dawn (Dec 08, 2018)

ISLAMABAD: Other than implementing laws, there is a need to change the society's mindset to combat harassment, Human Rights Minister Dr Shireen Mazari said on Friday. "Our ministry is working on creating awareness about the laws, especially for people who are ... [Read More](#)

Women inheritance rights: rhetoric or resurgence

Daily Times (Dec 07, 2018)

Despite being high on the agendas of two large political parties i.e. PPP and PMLN, and deemed cornerstone of PM Imran Khan's struggle for equality and justice in Pakistan, women inheritance rights in Naya Pakistan are yet to be realized ... [Read More](#)