



Women's International League for Peace and Freedom

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Acknowledges that in the aftermath of World War II, intellectual and diplomatic leaders from around the world founded the United Nations Economic, Social and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) and gave the Organisation the mandate of building the defences of peace in the minds of men and women. It is not enough, they argued, to base peace on economic and political agreements but it must be founded upon the intellectual and moral solidarity of humanity;

Calls upon the United States of America to rejoin UNESCO and take up its place in the community of nations contributing to a Culture of Peace.

Calls upon the US Section of WILPF to campaign and lobby their government to rejoin UNESCO.

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