



ABORTION ACCESS IN CONFLICT



The Global Gag Rule

On January 20th, 2017, Trump is set to re-instate the Global Gag Rule. See GJC's infographic explaining the differences between the Helms Amendment and the Global Gag Rule and what this means for women raped in war.

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Defending Abortion Access

In early December, GJC staff traveled to Brussels to meet with EU decision-makers to raise awareness of the new anti-abortion restrictions likely to be put in place by the Trump-Pence Administration.

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Trump on Torture

"With Trump Presidency, A Coming Collision With Global Standards on Torture, Abortion Rights" - GJC Legal Director Akila Radhakrishnan published an op-ed in *Rewire* on Trump's proposed policies and the ways they violate international law.

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In Other News

GJC partner, Nadia Murad, was held captive by ISIS and is now an internationally known human rights activist was awarded the Sakharov Prize of Freedom of Thought by the European Parliament. She has called on the EU to recognize and prosecute ISIS's genocide. [Read More](#)

GJC's UN and EU Director, Stephanie Johanssen, wrote a Letter to the Editor of the *New York Times* calling on the United States to honor the legacy of the Nuremberg trials and join the International Criminal Court. [Read More](#)

GJC Staff Attorney, Grant Shubin, wrote a piece, "Torture in Plain Sight," exploring how many countries have national laws, including on marital rape, domestic violence, and abortion that violate women's human rights. [Read More](#)

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