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Gender-Responsive Social Protection Policies and Universal Basic Income

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Overview

1. What is UBI and how is it Gender-sensitive?

2. Universal Social Protection a UN Global Priority - expansion

3. UBI/Universal is not a Panacea — serves as entry point but not a replacement for other critical government programmes or interventions
Features of a UBI

- Universal
- Individual
- Human Right
- Basic Income
- Unconditional
There is far more to the idea of universal basic income than just money.
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Basic Income Earth Network (BIEN)

UBI Pilot Programs around the world

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"We should preserve the space for big bold ideas like universal basic income, universal family care and portable benefits."

-Ai-Jen Poo on the Basic Income Podcast

I think there's a pretty good chance we'll end up with a universal basic income, or something like that due to automation. I'm not sure what else one would do. I think that's what would happen. People have time to do other things, and more complex things, more interesting things, certainly more leisure time.

Elon Musk, Founder and CEO of Tesla and SpaceX

I think one of the biggest challenges to society is the way work will likely disappear in the next 50 years... we need to start talking about a universal basic income.

Ta-Nehisi Coates
Author, National Correspondent for the Atlantic

Basic Income is there when things suddenly get tough... no having to stand in line or beg for help.

Anne Cartledge
FORMER SOCIAL SECURITY ADVISOR

This is one of my main reasons for supporting a Universal Basic Income. Social security is used to stigmatise & control recipients, & it's both counterproductive & nasty.

Dr Crisy Clark, Legal Academic & Writer

I believe in a future where an existence without poverty is not a privilege but a right we all deserve.

Rutger Bregman
Historian & Author "Utopia for Realists"
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BASIC INCOME is not LEFT or RIGHT. It’s FORWARD.