

# PROGRAM Difference Day 2021



## 2ND MAY

Location: **Aula Q A "Roger Van Geen"**

Hosts: [Annelies Beck](#) (Journalist @VRT) & Annick Capelle (Journalist @RTBF)

14:30 Welcome by Vice-Rector Internationalisation of VUB; Romain Meeusen & Advisor to Vice Rector IR Anne Weyembergh; Kristin Bartik

### Brunet

Facts & Figures animation by Live Magazine: [Julie](#)

Live Magazine: [Olga Kravets](#) & [Delphine Minoui](#)

15:05 Trailer 'Draw for Change'

15:15 Women Journalists behind the News

- [Rachita Taneja](#), founder of Sanitary Panels
- [Alia Ibrahim](#) Co-Founder [Daraj.com](#)
- [Hanna Liubakova](#) freelance journalist and researcher from Belarus
- Interviewer: [Margo Smit](#) (Ombudsman for Dutch Public Broadcasters)

16:10 Women Journalist on the Front Line

- [Waad Al-Kateab](#) producer of the film: For Sama, laureate of the [Foundation P&V Citizenship Award](#)
- [Julie Majerczak](#) Head of Brussels office @RSF
- [Tatev Hovhannisyan](#) Eurasia Assistant Editor at openDemocracy's Tracking the Backlash project
- Interviewer: [Loubna Khalkhali \(Journalist @VRT\)](#)

17:30 Closing & Q&A

### DURING THE DAY :

- Student Speakers' Corner recorded sessions
- 24 Media Points of View around World

Music by : Lou & Les Garçons

## 3RD MAY

Locations: **BOZAR - Salle Henri Le Boeuf**

Host: [Annelies Beck](#) (VRT) & [Karl Van den Broeck](#) (Coordinator @BOZAR AGORA)

19:00 Welcome by Vice-Rector Internationalisation of VUB; Romain Meeusen & Rector of ULB; Annemie Schaus

Facts & Figures animation by Live Magazine

19:15 **GREAT WOMEN BRINGING BIG STORIES**

Award ceremony of:

- Doctor Honoris Causa: Ms S. Alexievich, investigative journalist, essayist, and oral historian.
- Difference Day Honorary Title: Zhang Zhan, Citizen Journalist

Interviewer: [Jan Balliauw \(Journalist @VRT\)](#)

20:10 Closing speech

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