The contributions of the extraordinary women of the Women’s Institute on Leadership and Disability (WILD) not only improve the lives of women and girls with disabilities in their home countries, they also play a critical role in combating discrimination, promoting inclusion, and defending human rights the world over.”

- Hillary Rodham Clinton
67th U.S. Secretary of State
WILD women embrace the motto

**LOUD, PROUD & PASSIONATE**

Today’s WILD Network

WILD women are change agents in their communities. They are addressing critical issues, such as civil and human rights advocacy, reproductive health, education, literacy, economic empowerment, HIV/AIDS and gender-based violence.

WILD women are starting their own organizations and businesses, serving as consultants and advisors to international organizations, drafting policy and legislation, and running for political offices.

WILD women participate in MIUSA’s alumni network for continued exchange of opportunities, information and ideas.

**SINCE 1997**

**MORE THAN 200** women with disabilities in **80** countries have participated in the WILD program

**THE POWER OF DIVERSITY**

WILD participants represent diverse backgrounds and fields of expertise, but they are all united by their passion and dedication to improving the lives of women and girls with disabilities.

WILD brings together women with different disabilities — women who are blind, women who use wheelchairs, women who are deaf, women who have psychosocial disabilities, learning disabilities and others. For many, it is the first time they have had the chance to feel the power of being surrounded by like-minded activists with different types of disabilities.

To accommodate a more diverse group, WILD is also delivered in multiple languages, including English, Spanish, French, Arabic, Russian and Sign Language.