

# Global Friday Presents

## Hybrid Parliaments as Gender and Diversity Sensitive Parliaments

October 27

COVID-19 disrupted the traditional operations of parliamentary institutions, with many using technology to facilitate unprecedented institutional transformation by adopting different hybrid models to allow elected members and parliamentary staff to vote and work in-person or remotely during the height of the Pandemic. 'Hybrid parliaments' have the potential to increase the gender and diversity sensitivity of parliamentary institutions by creating more inclusive workplaces where members who identify as women or as belonging to another equity deserving group can more fully participate. In this talk, I'll explore if hybridity should be considered a permanent operational feature of democratic institutions seeking to become more gender and diversity sensitive spaces.



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