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My name is Wahida Samad, I born on 15/01/1972 in Kabul Afghanistan.

I had finished school in Kabul and I studied business administration (BBA) in a Private University in Kabul.

I had worked for the United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM) and other UN branches such as World Food Program (WFP), Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) and UN-Habitat for more than nine years. In year 2007 I joint the the Independent Administrative Reform Civil Service Commission(governmental organization) as Director of Finance and Administration.

In 2009 I joint the Office of Administrative Affairs and council of Minister's Secretariat, as Director of International Affairs and later as Director of Social and Cultural Affairs.

Through my professional work with United Nations and Government, I supported women's participation in policy and decision-making, integrating women's views into government programs and supporting women ministers and general directors in their work.

Since September 2013 I am living in Deutschland, during this time I have held presentations on the Afghanistan women's rights and the political/security situation of the country in different cities in Bayern.