Record Nr. UNINA9910463288503321 **Titolo** Responsibility to protect and women, peace and security: aligning the protection agendas / / edited by Sara E. Davies [and three others] Pubbl/distr/stampa Leiden:,: Martinus Nijhoff Publishers,, 2013 **ISBN** 90-04-25769-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (210 p.) Altri autori (Persone) DaviesSara Ellen Disciplina 341.4/8 Soggetti Responsibility to protect (International law) Women and peace Sex crimes (International law) Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto The responsibility to protect: integrating gender perspectives into policies and practices / Eli Stamnes -- Translating UNSCR 1325 into practice: lessons learned and obstacles ahead / Katrina Lee-Koo --WPS and R2P: theorising responsibility and protection / Lucy Hall and Laura J. Shepherd -- Responsibility to protect or prevent? victims and perpetrators of sexual violence crimes in armed conflicts / Inger Skjelsbak -- Gender-sensitive protection and the responsibility to prevent: lessons from Chad / John Karlsrud and Randi Solhiell --Implementing UN Security Council Resolution 1325: putting the responsibility to protect into practice / Sahana Dharmapuri -- Beyond 'cultural constraint' : gender, security, and participation in the Pacific Islands / Nicole George -- The obstacles of aligning women peace and security and the responsibility to protect in UN practice / Melina Lito. In Responsibility to Protect and Women, Peace and Security: Aligning Sommario/riassunto the Protection Agendas, editors Davies, Nwokora, Stamnes and Teitt address the intersections of the Responsibility to Protect (R2P) principle and the Women, Peace, and Security (WPS) agenda. Widespread or systematic sexual or gender-based violence is a war crime, a crime

against humanity and an act of genocide, all of which are clearly addressed in the R2P principle. The protection of those at risk of

widespread sexual violence is therefore not only relative to the Women, Peace and Security (WPS) agenda, but a fundamental sovereign obligation for all states as part of their commitment to R2P. Contributions from policy-makers and academics consider both the merits and the utility of aligning the protection agendas of R2P and WPS. Ultimately, a number of actionable recommendations are made concerning a unification of the agendas to best support the global empowerment of women and prevention of mass atrocities.