



## SIMPHIWE MANHICA

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Simphiwe is a young upcoming feminist and Activist who believes in fighting for the rights of adolescent girls and young women in advocating for a meaningful engagement, making inclusion for them in decision-making platforms and engagement.



Simphiwe holding a motivational session with the young girls in school at national Indaba on (how to use your voice to speak truth and power, advocacy 101). Partners from ROH, HOOP, ENYC, SWAGAA, SNYP+, and many more.

Simphiwe in the last quarter has been at the forefront of championing the key issues of AGYW in our diversity. Some of these key engagements which she was part of include doing a speech during the launch of the HE 4 SHE campaign under the UN Women at one of the rural districts in Swaziland. Over 100 people attended the session where the main agenda was empowering young girls in taking leadership.

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Just recently on the 11th of October, Simphiwe had the opportunity to attend the commemoration of the International Day of the Girl Child, championing priorities of women and girls in the HIV response in Tanzania under UNWomen and being the only candidate representing her country, she had the opportunity to share what goes on in her country e.g. priorities, challenges, and achievements with other young leaders. The outcome of the meeting was to give the platform to young people to come up with innovative ideas to break the patriarchy.