

ACCESSIBILITY CONFERENCES



**Meredith
APPLEGATE**

**September 11, 2026
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

Online (Zoom)

Understanding inclusion throughout the electoral cycle, from the pre-election period to the campaign and election day, to the post-election processes

Meredith Applegate has 15 years of experience in electoral assistance and democracy programs in Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America, and Africa. She has worked with election management bodies, civil society organizations, and government institutions to promote inclusive electoral processes, civic engagement, and gender equality.

Throughout her career, she has supported the political participation of marginalized communities, including women, persons with disabilities, indigenous peoples, and youth, publishing numerous works on various topics — from gender equality in elections to inclusive electoral technology for persons with disabilities.

She holds a master's degree in Gender, Development and Globalisation from the London School of Economics and a bachelor's degree in International Studies and English Literature from Northwestern University.

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