



INDIANA  
**COMMISSION**  
*for* women



**At the Crossroads of Equality and Justice**  
**National Association of Commissions for Women**  
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# Final Report *Summary*

### By the Numbers

#### *Registrations*

- 189 total registrations
- 35 Indiana high school girls
- 32 Global Women's Leadership Institute international students

#### *Evaluations*

- 95% Excellent or above average overall approval rating
- 100% Excellent or above average approval rating for breakout sessions

#### *Top Five Breakout Sessions by ranking*

- Leadership Development
- Engaging Girls in STEM, one princess at a time
- Reputation Safety (*Girls Forum*)
- Designing a Legislative Day
- Rethink. Regain. Recharge: Get Back Your Authentic Self

### What did you like most?

*...Meeting with women from around the country, and learning about what they are doing. I learned about some things we could be doing in my organization.*

*...Mix of substantive issue-oriented workshops/topics with policy and practical help for commissions.*

*...I was impressed with the idea of having a "Girls Summit" during the Conference. I was an observer and really liked what I saw & heard. I've taken this idea to my Commission for consideration.*

*...The Speakers were all great and knew exactly what we are up against as women.*

*...I very much enjoyed the variety of speakers and the focus on empowerment, education and celebrating women.*