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# FIGHTING FOR THE RIGHT TO CONTRIBUTE



Conference of  
States Parties to the  
Convention on the  
**Rights of  
Persons with  
Disabilities**



LE GOUVERNEMENT  
DU GRAND-DUCHÉ DE LUXEMBOURG

*How Persons with Cerebral Palsy Overcome Barriers to  
Participation and Contribute to Social Development*

*Meet four thought-leaders living with cerebral palsy*



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**CONFERENCE ROOM 11  
UNITED NATIONS HQ, NYC**



**JUNE 10, 2025**



**10:15-11:15 AM (EDT)**



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**International  
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*The Global Voice for People with Cerebral Palsy*

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