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Ms. Tapes is a dedicated women and human rights activist with extensive development and programming experience with civil society, international organizations, and UN agencies. She is the former chair and board member of the Afghan Women Social Protection Organization (AWSPO), member of CEDAW technical committee of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Deputy Director and Senior Program Manager of the Afghan Women's Network (AWN). Ms. Tapes has designed and led several programs and initiatives that advanced and promoted the WPS agenda, women's role in decision-making, gender equality, governance, access to justice, accountability, transparency, and implementation of national and international frameworks such as UNSCR 1325, CEDAW, SDG goals, BPFA.

Having 10 years of experience in organization expansion, development, management, and policymaking with profound skills in programming, lobby, advocacy, leadership, networking (alliance building), monitoring, research, and capacity building.