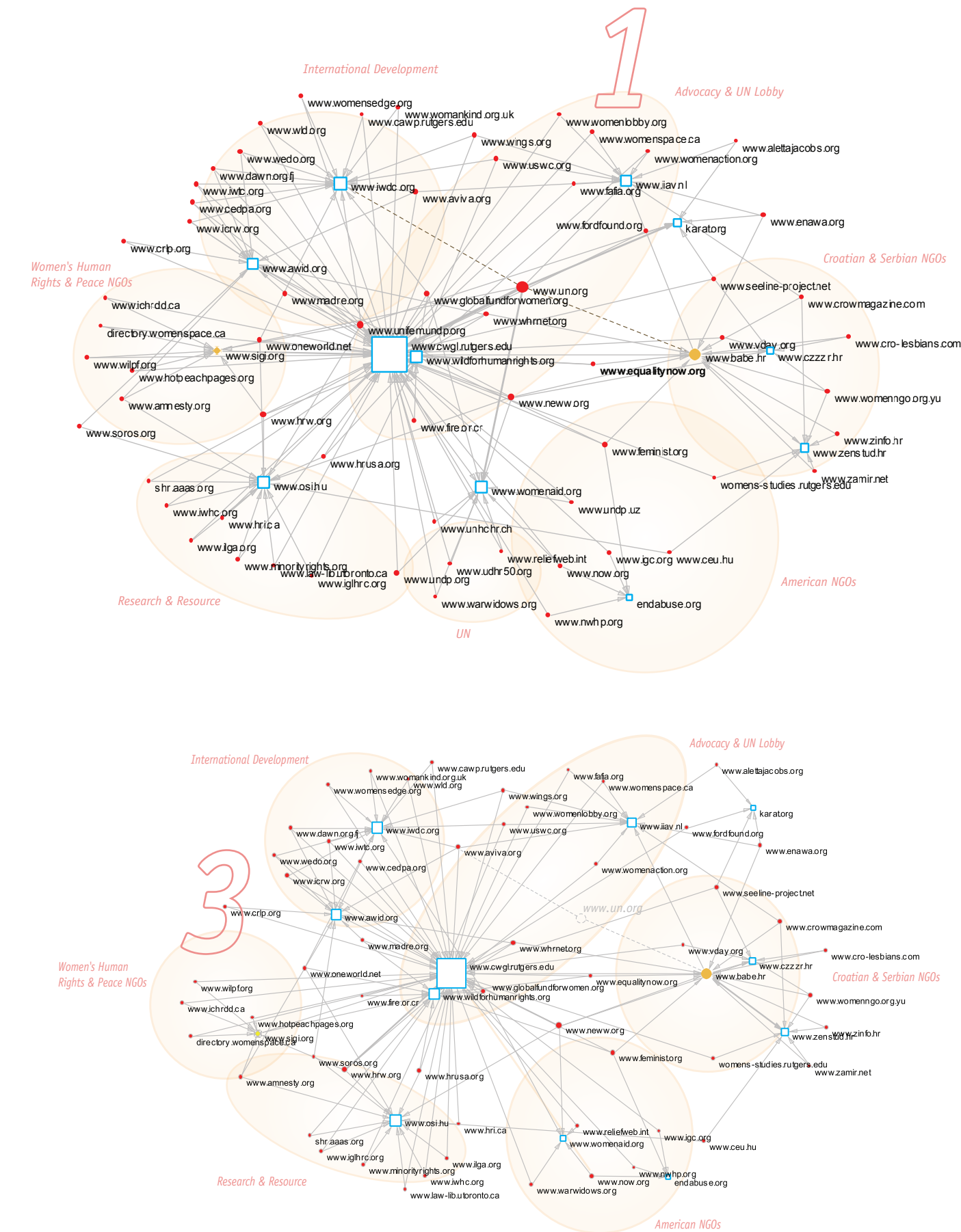


NGO Authenticity in the Gender Violence Issue Space

Which women's networks dealing with violence thrive without linkages with inter-governmental organisations (IGOs) and grant-making foundations (donors)?

Which networks and organisations survive the departure of IGOs and donors?



The discussion of the Gender Violence network concerns the following clusters:

1. International Development (Sustainability, Population)
2. Advocacy (Lobby groups via UN Systems)
3. Croatian & Serbian NGOs
4. American NGOs (National Women's History, End Family Abuse, NOW)
5. Research/Resource (Scholarly, Education, Academic Associations)
6. Women's Human Rights & Peace NGOs (Sisterhood is International, Democracy Development)
7. the UN (UNHCR, Universal Decade for Human Rights, UNDP)

Networks without grant-making foundations (donors)

1. Without OSI, there is no longer a connection between Research/Resource, Women's Human Rights & Peace, and Development.
2. There are no significant changes without the Ford Foundation or the Global Fund for Women.
3. Without grants the research/resource cluster comes apart, and depends more on the Center for Women's Global Leadership.
4. The Development, Peace & Human Rights, and Research clusters loosen when donors leave; the divide between the three groups disappears.
5. Without donors the Croatia/Yugoslavia NGOs still remain tied in network terms.
6. Without donors the number of clusters remain the same.

Networks without inter-governmental organisations (IGOs)

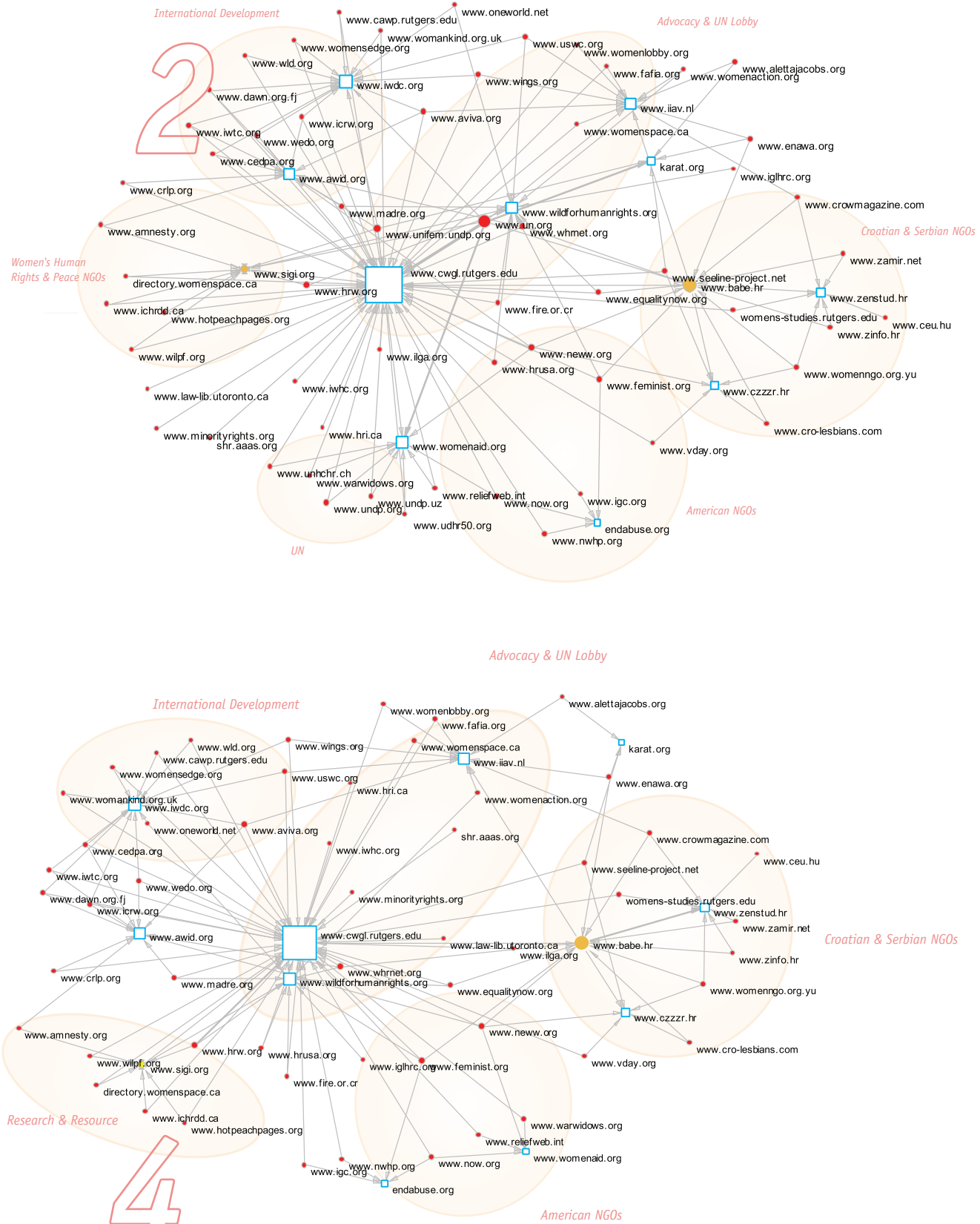
1. Without IGOs the number & size of clusters are reduced.
2. Without IGOs the Development, Peace & Human Rights, and Research clusters become more divided and secluded.
3. Without the UN systems the Croatia/Yugoslavia NGO cluster no longer has a direct link to the development cluster.

Networks without inter-governmental organisations (IGOs) & grant-making foundations (donors)

1. The Resource/Research and American action organizations clusters regroup or realign themselves to other groups.
2. The Women's Human Rights and Peace cluster no longer exists.
3. There is no significant change to key actors in the Development, Advocacy, and Croatian/Yugoslavian NGO groups. (The networks still exist, since issues of violence are common among the three groups.)

Conclusions: Authentic actors?

1. A significant organizational type is one that does not shift or loosen its cluster when donors and inter-governmental organizations are removed. Therefore B.a.B.e. (the Croatian group) would like to cooperate with those groups that would not shift their violence agenda once donors and inter-governmental organizations are removed.
2. The clusters for future cooperation on gender-based violence are Development, Advocacy, and Croatia & Yugoslavia clusters.
3. There is little prospect for future cooperation with clusters that have dissolved (Human Rights & Peace organizations, and Resource and Research), when changes to IGOs and donors are made.
4. Therefore, issues of violence are maintained by the Development, Advocacy, and Croatia & Yugoslavia NGOs clusters.



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