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Interview Summary.

0:00 mins:

Professor Liz Kelly's experience of working in the women's voluntary and community sector to improve women's structural position in the UK. Liz is Director of the Child and Women Abuse Unit at London Metropolitan University.

Women's liberation meeting at the Adam & Eve pub, Norwich. Norwich Women's Liberation Group. Establishing a women's refuge in Norwich. Working at the refuge.

8:18 mins:

First Conference of Refuges 1975. Politicisation of the Norwich group.

14:09 mins:

Bea Campbell. Black feminism and black feminists, eg Marai Larasi.

18:25 mins:

Leadership, a fraught issue for radical feminists. Feminist leadership as 'we' not 'I'. Personally accountability.

26:26 mins:

Leadership as inclusive. Using power wisely. Creating space for alternative discourses. Reaching consensus.

33:28 mins:

Shifting agendas. Creating new political spaces for women. Women's sector as Liz's lifeblood.

40:30 mins:

Violence against women and girls as the overarching issue. Building a women's movement of different interests. The continuum of violence as a concept. Creation of End Violence Against Women (EVAW) coalition. Nurturing next generations of feminists.

50:25 mins:

Changing gender norms. Development of a violence against women and girls' sector. Persistence of gender inequality. Women finding a public voice. Women in sport. Tanni Grey Thompson.

59:29 mins:

Global rise of anti-feminist movements. Women uprising collectively and globally. Women's sector as the architect of Liz's life.