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Chiraz Arbi has been working for more than 5 years now as a Program Officer in the parliamentary and governance program with NDI (National Democratic Institute for International Affairs) in Tunis, Tunisia.

She has been in charge of the parliamentary internship program in the first democratic elected parliament post 2011 revolution in Tunisia. Over 70 Young students and recent graduates had benefited so far from the only program that gives youth and especially young women a first-hand experience to assist parliamentary caucuses and parliamentary institutional departments.

She is a consultant and a co-trainer who provides technical assistance to individual MPs and parliamentary caucus in order to strengthen their legislative, representative and government oversight roles.

She organized in partnership with the 2011 parliament, the first National Dialogue on Constitution between MPs and constituents that is considered the most advanced in the Arab world.

She has been working as Programs Development Consultant with the Swedish Institute in Alexandria in collaboration with Ahmed Tlili Foundation for Democratic Culture with a special focus on the programs related to the reconciliation between religious discourse and democratic values.

She is accredited as international elections observer for legislative and presidential elections in 10 countries in MENA region (Middle East and North Africa).

Ms Arbi Holds a Master degree in Political Science, Diplomacy and International Relations.