



Breaking Barriers, Inspiring Change

International Women's Day 2024

Agenda 7th - 8th MARCH 2024

Time:

London: 3pm - 6pm GMT Seattle/ Vancouver: 7am - 10am PST Denver/ Edmonton: 8am - 11am MST New York/ Toronto: 10am - 1pm EST Dubai (GST): 7pm - 10pm GST



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Dr. Hala El Miniawi

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Guest Speakers

















Dr. Eng. Abdullah Al Saihati

Honorary President of London Intercultural Center

Inspiring Leadership

Featuring keynote speakers who have made significant impacts in their respective fields. Panel discussions on effective leadership styles, mentorship, and pathways for women to ascend leadership roles. Highlighting leadership skills essential for navigating today's complex world.

Innovating for Equality

Spotlight innovations that contribute to gender equality. Discussing the role of technology in advancing women's rights and opportunities. Showcasing startups and projects led by women entrepreneurs driving change.

Health and Well-being

Addressing challenges women face in healthcare access, mental health, and overall well-being. Discussing preventive measures, support systems, and advancements in women's healthcare. Promoting holistic approaches to fostering a healthier and happier female population.

Global Collaboration

Emphasising the importance of international cooperation in addressing global gender disparities. Showcasing cross-cultural initiatives fostering collaboration and understanding. Discussing the role of diplomacy, policy-making, and advocacy in achieving global gender equality.

Youth Empowerment

Engaging the younger generation in discussions about their role in shaping a gender-inclusive future. Highlighting educational initiatives, mentorship programs, and opportunities for youth involvement.

Encouraging dialogue between generations to bridge the gap and create a supportive environment.

Artistic Expressions

Celebrating the contributions of women in the arts - literature, music, visual arts, and more. Exploring how art can be a powerful tool for advocacy and storytelling. Showcasing performances and exhibitions that amplify women's voices and creativity. EmpowerHer 2024 will be a dynamic and inclusive virtual space, bringing together diverse perspectives to inspire, educate, and ignite positive change for women globally.

Agenda

GMT	Day 1 Thursday 7th March 2024
3:00 - 3:10 PM GMT	Opening Speech <i>Dr.Eng.Abdullah Al Saihati</i> "Welcoming Remarks: Embracing Empowerment"
3:10 - 3:25 PM GMT	Opening Keynote Address <i>Prof. Dr. Ingrid Vasiliu-Feltes</i> "Deep Tech Diplomacy: Women Empowering Change for UN SDGs and Enhancing Multicultural Collaboration"

Round Table Panel Discussion

Panelists

"Personal Narratives of Triumph: Stories of Resilience and Growth"

"How have personal narratives shaped resilience, and what lessons can be drawn from them?"

3:25 - 3:40 PM GMT	<i>Malin Neale</i> "Approach Change as An Opportunity"
3:40 - 3:55 PM GMT	Nancy Heslin "Does your version of the story have to be right?"
3:55 - 4:15 PM GMT	Natalie Boudou "Breaking barriers: Dispelling the myths and stereotypes around women and their emotions at work"
4:15 - 4:30 PM GMT	Janet Elizabeth "Leading with Purpose - Strategies for Inclusive Leadership"

Lightning Talks

Theme: "Inclusive Leadership in Focus – Pioneering Change & Empowerment"

"Effective leadership is not just about guiding others towards success; it's about creating a space where women empowerment, inclusion, and innovation thrive."

4:30 - 4:45 PM GMT	Dr. Maya Shahsavari "Breaking Barriers: Leadership Lessons from the Field"
4:45 - 5:00 PM GMT	Gov. Supha Xayprasith-Mays "Inclusion in Innovation: Empowering Diverse Voices"
5:00 - 5:15 PM GMT	Fiona Banister "Catalyzing Solutions For Sustainable Leadership"
5:15 - 5:30 PM GMT	Nicki Williams "Fostering empowerment through mentorship"
5:30 - 5:45 PM GMT	Dr. Cornelia Kawann "Energetic Leadership, strategies for inclusive leadership"
5:45 - 6:00 PM GMT	Celeny DA SILVA "The Power of Advocacy: Amplifying Voices for Change"
6:00 - 6:15 PM GMT	Simone W. Johnson Smith "Finding Belonging: The Immigrant Experience"

6:15 - 6:30	Eugina Jordan
PM GM	" Laws Of Success"
6:30 - 6:45 PM GM	Indira Bunic Closing Keynote Address "Envisioning The Equity Horizon and Why It Matters?"

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GMT	Day 2 Friday 8th March 2024
3:00 - 3:15 PM GMT	Opening Keynote Doug Bruhnke "Global and Unstoppable"
Featured Speaker	
3:15 - 3:30 PM GMT	Dr. Nahla Kazim "Crafting Fertility Care in the Land of opportunities"
Round Table Discussion	
Topic: Driving Equity and Inclusion	
3:30 - 3:45 PM GMT	Luiza Dreasher "Navigating the path for equality and inclusion for women"

	Gavin McCormack "The strides of
PM GMT	women are the leads of humanity"

Lightning Talks:

4:00 - 4:15 PM GMT	Hajar El Haddaoui "Why our future depends on cross-boundary collaboration with Al"
4:15 - 4:30 PM GMT	Shevon Harris-Holyfield "Global Collaboration for Change: Uniting Efforts for Gender Equity"
4:30 - 4:45 PM GMT	Alice Bromage "Balancing the Scales: Strategies for Gender Equality and Equity.
4:45 - 5:00 PM GMT	Christina Bieloowsk "Tech Data Empowering Innovation" The essential role of female voices in languange model based technology
5:00 - 5:15 PM GMT	Vanya Goel "Art as Advocacy: Inspiring Change Through Creativity"
5:15 - 5:30 PM GMT	Briege Leahy Hon "Empowering Action: Turning Inspiration into Impact"
5:30 - 5:45 PM GMT	Bella Irons "A Future With A Compassionate Technology"
5:45 - 6:00 PM GMT	Sylvia Arotin "Youth Empowerment: Cultivating the Leaders of Tomorrow"
6:00 - 6:15 PM GMT	Lady Lina Kay "The Role Of Media in Women Empowerment"
6:15 - 6:30 PM GMT	Dr. Erise May M.Dinga "Youth Empowerment : A Step Towards A Better Future"
6:30 - 6:45 PM GMT	Closing Keynote Indira Bunic "A Call For Action"

Speakers



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Supha Xayprasith-Mays



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