

INVITATION: FIRST INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON GLOBAL HEALTH AND GENDER

Saturday, April 10, 2010

jointly organized by the Vienna NGO Committee on the Status of Women, CoNGO – The Conference of NGOs in
Consultative Relationship with the UN and ÖGGSM

8.30 am registration and morning coffee
9.15 am Opening ceremony:
Video message by Barbara Prammer, President of the Austrian Parliament and Greetings by Gabriele Heinisch-Hosek, Austrian Federal Minister for Women and Civil Service
Andrea Fraunschiel, Mayor of the city of Eisenstadt
Jeanette Strametz-Juranek, 1st President of the ÖGGSM
Representative of the Ministry of Health (invited)
Liberato C. Bautista, President of CoNGO

10.15 am – 1.00 pm **Session I: GENDER IN ECONOMY AND EDUCATION**
Chair: Ilona Graenitz, CoNGO Vice President Vienna;
Co-Chair: Jeanette Strametz-Juranek MD, 1st President of the ÖGGSM

Alan Leather, NGO Forum for Health, Geneva; Susan Leather
- Gender influences on the access to health care
Saralyn Mark MD, senior medical advisor, NASA HQ
- Impact of education on health care
Dietmar K. Schuster, Austrian Federal Economic Chamber (WKÖ)
- Personalized medicine: opportunities and chances for companies
Marion Boeker, Consultant on Human Rights and Gender Issues
- Financial barriers to health care –
gender budgeting for better and gender specific health care

1.00 – 02.00 pm

lunch

2.15 pm – 03.45 pm

**Session II: INFLUENCE OF EXTERNAL FACTORS
ON GENDER AND HEALTH**

Chair: Eva-Maria Kodek-Werba, Zonta International
Co-Chair: Michael Eisenmenger MD, 2nd President of the ÖGGSM

Sue Mbaya, World Vision International
- How can NGOs contribute to gender sensitive health care
Philipp Hohenblum, Umweltbundesamt (Environment Agency Austria)
- Environmental factors on health care
Ritu M. Gil MD, Defence R&D Canada-Toronto
**- Sexual harassment among women in the
Canadian Forces Combat Arms**

3.45 pm – 4.15 pm

coffee break

4.15 pm – 05.45 pm

Session III: CONCLUSIONS AND CLOSING

Chair: Hava Bugajer MD, Women international Zionist Organisation;
Co-Chair: Alan Leather, NGO Forum for Health, Geneva

Binta Ahmed MD, International Atomic Energy Agency
- Personal experience as a female medical officer in UN service
Regina Rapp-Engels MD, President of „Bund der Ärztinnen“
- Influence of work-life balance on health
Ilona Graenitz, CoNGO Vice President Vienna
- Conclusions
Jeanette Strametz-Juranek MD, ÖGGSM
- Closing remarks

Evening: social programme – wine and cheese reception, Concert by „Lyra“, sponsored by the city of Wiener Neudorf; Conference language: English; conference fee: Euro 30.- per person

For further information please refer to: www.gendermedizin.at



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