

Regional Event on “Women: Innovating for a Better World”

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March 8, 2022

1. Session 1: Women in Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Speakers:

- Dr. Neelika Malavige, Head of the Department of Immunology and Molecular Medicine, University of Sri Jayewardenepura (Sri Lanka)
- Ms. Mohana Priya S., Founder and Proprietor, Kapala Helmets (Coimbatore, India)
- Dr. Prativa Pandey, Founder and CEO, Catalyst Technology Pvt Ltd. (Kathmandu, Nepal)

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2. Session 2: Building Networks and Capacity: Networking outcomes and entrepreneurial benefits

Speakers:

- Ms. Leena Pische Thomas, Director, Global Business Inroads (Bengaluru, India)
- Ms. Yendi Amalia, CEO, Wordsmith Group, and Founder, WeMean Business (Jakarta, Indonesia) Ms. Lisa Fatimailetaelelemoemoea'ana Vaai, Creative Director, Eveni Carruthers, Apia, Samoa
- Ms. Esther Bates, Senior Project Management Officer, Global Green Growth Institute.

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3. Sessions 3, 4, and Closing Remarks:

- **Session 3: PCT: Closing the gender gap in STEM workforce**

Speakers:

- **Session 4: Best Practices from the region**

Speakers:

- Ms. Lolibeth Ramit-Medrano, Director, Bureau of Patents, Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines
- Ms. Deepa Liyanage, Secretary, State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Training, Research and Innovation (Sri Lanka)

- **Closing Remarks: Women Innovators in Networked Communities: connecting and mobilizing women for positive change**

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