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Closing the Gender Gap: Global Perspectives on Women in the Boardroom

Thursday September 16, 2010

Kenney Auditorium
Johns Hopkins University / School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS)
1740 Massachusetts Ave, NW Washington DC

RSVP at http://transatlantic.sais-jhu.edu/events/2010/gender_conf.htm

8:00 - 9:00 Registration and Continental breakfast

9:00 - 9:15 Welcoming Remarks

- Dr. Jessica Einhorn, Dean of SAIS
- Susan Ness, Senior Fellow, SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations and Conference Chair

9:15 - 9:30 Keynote Address

Commissioner Luis Aguilar, Securities and Exchange Commission,
Introduced by Susan Ness

9:30 - 10:30 “Early 21st Century: A Look at the Global Gender Gap in the Boardroom”

Moderator: Dr. Daniel Hamilton, Director, SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations

- Irene Natividad, President, Corporate Women Directors International
- Scott Stokes, Deputy Research Director, Governance Metrics Int'l
- Marijo Bos, Co-President, EuropeanPWN
- Jim Kristie, Editor, Directors and Boards

10:30 - 10:45 Break

10:45 - 11:05 Keynote Address

Ambassador Renée Jones-Bos, Kingdom of the Netherlands,
Introduced by Dr. Daniel Hamilton

11:05 - 12:45 “GeoGender Studies: Where is Progress Being Made -- and How?”

Moderator: Ambassador Kurt Volker, Senior Fellow & Managing Director,
SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations

Australia (by video): Jillian Segal, Director of ASX Limited and the National Australia Bank; with Eric Mayne, former Chairman of the ASX Corporate Governance Council

- **Norway & Scandinavia:** Marit Hoel, PhD, CEO, Center for Corporate Diversity
- **France:** Senator Joelle Garriaud-Maylam, sponsor of legislation pending in the French Senate on women on French company boards
- **Spain:** Celia de Anca, Professor of Management IE
- **UK:** Susan Vinnicombe, Prof., Director, International Centre for Women Leaders, Cranfield University
- **Egypt and Middle East:** Neveen El Tahri, Chairperson & Managing Director, Delta Holding for Financial Investments

12:45 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 14:30 “What's the R.O.I. of W.O.B.? (*Women On Boards)”

Moderator: Lissa Broome, Professor, UNC School of Law

- Morten Huse, Professor of Organisation and Management, BI Norwegian School of Management
- Lissa Broome, Professor, University of North Carolina School of Law
- Meesha Rosa, Director, Corporate Board Services, Catalyst
- Diana Billimoria, Professor of Organizational Behavior, Case Western Reserve

14:30 - 14:40 Break

14:40 – 15:00 Keynote Address

Jane Shaw, Board Chair, Intel Corporation,

Introduced by Tara Giunta, partner, Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP

15:00 - 16:00 “Modeling Class: Strategies that Work”

Moderator: Beverly Behan, founder, Board Advisor, LLC

- Susan Stautberg, President, WomenCorporateDirectors (WCD)
- Barbara Krumsiek, Chair & CEO of The Calvert Group, Ltd.
- Ann Yerger, Executive Director, Council of Institutional Investors
- Sonja Barendregt-Roojers, PWC-Netherlands

16:00 - 17:00 Reception hosted by the Embassy of Norway: next to Kenney Auditorium, with remarks by **Ambassador Wegger Strommen**

Partnering Organizations:

Corporate Women Directors International

EPWN - European Professional Women's Network

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