Conclusive Meeting of Innovation for Women and Economic Development Project

September 7th-8th, 2016
Regent Taipei, Chinese Taipei

I. **Host**: Department of Gender Equality, Chinese Taipei
II. **Co Host**: Workforce Development Agency, Ministry of Labor, Chinese Taipei
III. **Organizer**: Foundation for Women’s Rights Promotion and Development

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<td><strong>Introduction of VIP, Co-organizers, Sponsors and Partners</strong>&lt;br&gt;Co-Host: Mr. Meng-Liang Tsai, Deputy Director General of Workforce Development Agency, Ministry of Labor/APEC HRDWG CBN Coordinator&lt;br&gt;Sponsors &amp; Partners: Business and Professional Women Taiwan, National Council of Women of Taiwan, Pan-Pacific &amp; South-East Asia Women's Association Taiwan, Womany Inc.&lt;br&gt;VIP &amp; Speakers</td>
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<td><strong>Opening Plenary Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;Introductory Remarks by Kin W. Moy, Director of American Institute in Taiwan/ the United States&lt;br&gt;<strong>Keynote</strong>&lt;br&gt;Melanne Verveer, Executive Director of Georgetown Institute for Women, Peace and Security/ the United States&lt;br&gt;Nora K. Terrado, Undersecretary of Department of Trade and Industry, Head of the Philippines delegation/ the Philippines&lt;br&gt;Jaclyn Yu-ling TSAI, Founder, Lee, Tsai &amp; Partners Attorneys-at-Law/ Chinese Taipei</td>
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### Conversation Keynote
**Building Bridges, Breaking Barriers**
Moderator: Wench Yu, Asia Pacific Head of Corporate Engagement, Goldman Sachs/ the United States
- Joanne Lenweaver, Director of WISE Women's Business Center/ the United States
- Lorna Wright, Associate Professor of International Business and Organization Studies, York University/ Canada
- Patrice Braun, Adjunct Professor, Federation University Australia/ Australia
- Lynn Gray, Executive Director of Southern Nature Ltd./ Chile
  (Represented by Olga Pizarro Stiepovic, Professor of Del Desarrollo University)

### 12:00–13:30
**Luncheon**

**Panel - Investing in Women's Economic Empowerment through ICTs**
Moderator: Hope Ong, Commissioner of Gender Equality Committee/ Chinese Taipei
- Deborah Yen, Director, Corporate Affairs Group, North Asia and ANZ, Asia Pacific Region, Intel Corporation/ Chinese Taipei
- Nina Kao, Executive, Marketing, Communication and Citizenship, IBM Taiwan/ Chinese Taipei
- Anne Yang, Principal PM Manager, Windows and Device Group, Microsoft Taiwan/ Chinese Taipei
- Wei Shuan Chang, Founder and CEO, Womany Inc./ Chinese Taipei

### 14:50–15:20
**Coffee Break**

**Panel - The Best Practice of Multi-year Project: Innovation for Women and Economic Development**
Moderator: Ching-Cheng Chang, Research Fellow, Sinica Academia/ Chinese Taipei
- Hsiao Mei Lin, Co-Founder of HEX Inc./ Chinese Taipei
- Olga Pizarro Stiepovic, Professor of Del Desarrollo University/ Chile
- Rosario M. Gruet, Vice president of Computer Professionals, Inc./ the Philippines

### Closing Remarks
- Pham Ngoc Tien, Director General of Gender Equality Department of the Ministry of Labour, Invalids and Social Affairs/ Viet Nam
- Pi Shia Huang, Project Overseer, Department of Gender Equality/ Chinese Taipei
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| 09:00–10:00 | ● Registration and Transportation  
● Introduction of APEC HRDWG CBN  
● Discussion and Exchange |
| 10:00–10:30 | **Welcome Message & Remarks**  
- Mr. Meng-Liang Tsai, Deputy Director General of Workforce Development Agency, Ministry of Labor/ APEC HRDWG-CBN Coordinator  
- Ms. Hsiao-Yun Yang, Senior Executive Officer of Department of Gender Equality/ Chinese Taipei  
- Ms. Yu-Chen Ting, Director of Taoyuan-Hsinchu-Miaoli Regional Branch, Workforce Development Agency, Ministry of Labor/ Chinese Taipei |
| 10:30–12:00 | **Facilitating Quality Growth through Upskilling: Female Empowerment**  
- Briefing of THM Regional Branch of Workforce Development Agency: “One-Stop” service for employment services, vocational trainings, skills certification, and business start-up assistance.  
- Site Visit: Vocational training programs |
| 12:00–14:00 | Luncheon – APEC HRDWG CBN & PPWE |
| 14:00–16:00 | **Showcase**  
- Briefing: Successful Female Entrepreneur & Industry-Academia-Training Collaboration  
- Site Visit / Discussion / Group Photo |