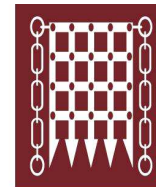


Westminster Employment Forum Keynote Seminar: Women in the workplace: careers advice, the gender pay gap and women in executive management

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 23rd February 2017

Venue: Glaziers Hall, 9 Montague Close, London SE1 9DD



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.15 **Chair's opening remarks**
Flick Drummond MP, Chair, Women and Work All-Party Parliamentary Group and Member, Women and Equalities Select Committee
- 9.15 - 10.00 **Inspiring the next generation: careers advice, apprenticeships and challenging the norm**
Dr Carole Easton, Chief Executive, Young Women's Trust
Peter Finegold, Head of Education and Skills, Institution of Mechanical Engineers
Claire Nix, Careers Consultant and Board Member, Careers Development Institute
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.00 - 10.10 **Women in the workplace - priorities for policy**
Caroline Dinenage MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Women, Equalities and Early Years
- 10.10 - 10.30 **Women as leaders - challenges for increasing the proportion of women in management and senior positions**
Professor Susan Vinnicombe, Professor of Women and Leadership, Cranfield University and Member, Advisory Panel, Hampton-Alexander Review
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 - 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**
Flick Drummond MP, Chair, Women and Work All-Party Parliamentary Group and Member, Women and Equalities Select Committee
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Sarah Champion MP, Shadow Minister for Women and Equalities
- 11.15 - 11.25 **Case studies: women in engineering and manufacturing**
Maria Kokkinou, Vice President, Talent Acquisition, Management & Development, Coca-Cola European Partners
- 11.25 - 11.35 **Case study: exploring the data behind the gender pay gap and lessons that can be learnt**
Lauren Wright, Director, Glassdoor for Employers EMEA
- 11.35 - 11.45 **Case study: supporting women at work - an employer's perspective**
Emma Codd, Managing Partner for Talent, Deloitte
- 11.45 - 12.05 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.05 - 12.55 **Improving gender equality in the workplace - support, workplace discrimination and the potential impact of Brexit**
Marian Bloodworth, Employment Partner, Kemp Little
Professor Julia Rouse, Chair of the Sylvia Pankhurst Gender Research Centre, Manchester Metropolitan University
Sarah Jackson, Chief Executive, Working Families
Chris Parke, Chief Executive Officer, Talking Talent
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Employment Forum closing remarks**
Sarah Champion MP, Shadow Minister for Women and Equalities
Tom Overend, Forum Lead, Westminster Employment Forum

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