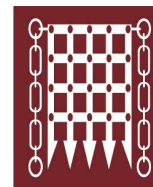


**Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar:  
Closing the gender gap in infrastructure - developing the talent pool, career progression and representation in leadership**

*Timing: Morning, Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019*

*Venue: Royal Over-Seas League, Over-Seas House, Park Place, St James's Street, London SW1A 1LR*

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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Rt Hon the Baroness Garden of Frognal**, Vice-Chair, Women and Work All-Party Parliamentary Group
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Priorities for attracting female students into STEM courses**  
**Yvonne Baker**, Chief Executive, STEM Learning  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 10.20 **Developing a diverse talent pool: education, skills development and addressing barriers to entry**  
**Peter Finegold**, Head of Education and Skills, Institution of Mechanical Engineers  
**Sarah Fenton**, Strategic Partnership Director, Midlands & North, CITB  
**Glayne Price**, Director, LHC Design  
**Dr Laura Fogg-Rogers**, Senior Research Fellow and Athena Swan Co-Lead, Department of Engineering Design and Mathematics, University of the West of England  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.20 - 10.25 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Rt Hon the Baroness Garden of Frognal**, Vice-Chair, Women and Work All-Party Parliamentary Group
- 10.25 - 10.55 Coffee
- 10.55 - 11.00 **Chair's opening remarks**  
Chair to be announced
- 11.00 - 11.45 **Priorities for developing career progression, reducing the pay gap and transforming workplace culture**  
**Manon Bradley**, Development Director, Major Projects Association  
**Elizabeth Dunn**, Partner, Burges Salmon  
**Richard Chapman-Harris**, Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Manager, Mott MacDonald  
**Mara-Tafadzwa Makoni**, Senior Consultant, Operations and Safety Group, Intelligent Transport Services, WSP  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.45 - 11.55 **Case study: improving gender balance and developing a returnship programme**  
**Rachel Tomkins**, Head of Business Excellence, Tideway
- 11.55 - 12.05 **Case study: increasing diversity in major infrastructure projects**  
**Sophie Hartfield Lewis**, Head of Consents UK and Strategic Environment Team, Ørsted and Chair, Women in Ørsted Group
- 12.05 - 12.15 **'Reflections on the representation of women in the infrastructure sector'**  
**Philip Graham**, Chief Executive, National Infrastructure Commission
- 12.15 - 12.25 **Developing gender parity in leadership roles and the boardroom**  
**Vanessa Howlison**, Chief Financial Officer, Highways England
- 12.25 - 12.55 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum closing remarks**  
Chair to be announced  
**Michael Ryan**, Deputy Editor, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum