

KU-WEE HUB Stakeholders' Webinar

Women's Participation in Management and Leadership in the Public Sector in Kenya: Closing the Gender Gap

Date and Time: 15th October 2021 9.00 - 11.10 am East Africa Time

Women are largely underrepresented in management and leadership, a situation that leads to gender inequalities in the workplace and wage gaps. In Kenya, women face a myriad of barriers which include but not limited to historical, economic, and social-cultural factors in their quest to participate in management and leadership. This Webinar brings together government officials, advocates, researchers, programme implementers, and non-government actors to share how policies governing gender have been implemented, barriers to women's participation and ways in which these can be addressed, and discuss advocacy, policy, and programme recommendations that can enhance women's placement, participation and advancement in management and leadership positions in the public sector for economic empowerment.

Featuring speakers:

Prof. Collette Akoth Suda, PhD, FKNAS, CBS, Principal Secretary, State Department for Gender and Social Development, Ministry of Public Service and Gender

Lady Justice Jacqueline A. Mogeni MBS, Advocate of the High Court of Kenya and a Human Rights Specialist

Mrs. Mary Mwiti, Ag, Chief Executive Officer and Director Corporate Affairs, Council of Governors

Dr. Joyce Wanjiku Ngugi, Deputy Governor, Kiambu County

Dr. Philemon Kiprono, Head, Research & Policy Analysis, Public Service Commission

Ms. Tabitha Nyambura Wairima, Senior Programme Officer -Gender and Women Division, National Gender Equity Commission (NGEC)

Chryspin Afifu, Gender and WEE Specialist for International Center for Research on Women (ICRW) Africa

Dr. Isabella Musyoka-Kamere, Senior lecturer, Department of Education Foundations. Kenyatta University

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