



# The 1<sup>st</sup> EU-Korea Women in Science and Technology Forum

## Future of Science & Technology, and Inclusion of Women

Tuesday, 29 November 2022 / 14:00–17:00  
Korea Science and Technology Center

Organisers



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“The forum will be live streamed via official YouTube channel of “The Korean Federation of Science and Technology Societies”

As in many other areas, women remain underrepresented in scientific and technical fields. The EU and the Republic of Korea, with its longstanding commitment to promote gender equality, has made efforts toward gender-balanced S&T across disciplines, but more work needs to be done to ensure that women researchers benefit from equal opportunities and treatment. The forum aims to exchange views on the current state of play both in the EU and South Korea, and to discuss ways to encourage more women to work in the field of science and technology.

Time	Programme	Speakers	Remarks
14:00–14:40	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>		Moderated by <b>Prof. Meeyoung Cha</b> (Associate Professor, School of Computing, KAIST)
	Opening Remarks	H.E. Maria Castillo-Fernandez, EU Ambassador to the Republic of Korea	
	Welcoming Remarks	Dr. Woo Il Lee, President of KOFST	
	Congratulatory Remarks	H.E. Jongho Lee, Minister for Science and ICT	
	Welcome Message	H.E. Mariya Gabriel, European Commissioner for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education and Youth	
	Keynote Speech	Dr. Pascal Metivier, Executive Vice President, Science & Technology Director for Solvay Group	
14:40–15:40	<b>Thematic Presentation The current state of play and policies to empower women in S&amp;T</b>		
	The Republic of Korea	Infographics video on Statistics on Women in S&T Dr. Myongsook Oh, President of KOFWST	
	The European Union	Ms. Signe Ratso, Acting Director-General, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission Prof. Paola Bovolenta, Head of the Development and Differentiation Department at the Center for Molecular Biology Severo Ochoa, CSIC-UAM, Madrid, Spain	
15:40–15:50	<b>Break</b>		
15:50–17:00	<b>Panel Discussion Ways to promote inclusion of women in S&amp;T</b>		Moderated by <b>Mr Peter Wijnhuizen</b> (Senior Officer for Innovation, Technology & Science at the Netherlands Embassy)
		Ms. Anett Schwarz, Scientific Affairs Counsellor, German Embassy Seoul Dr. Seungeun Lee, Director, Solvay Research & Innovation Center in Korea Dr. Eun-Jung Choi, Director, Space Risk Research Division, Korea Astronomy and Space Science Institute Ms. Leekyung Kim, Senior Vice President, Human Resources Team, LG Corp. Ms. Ryouhno Eun, Graduate Student in Nano Science and Technology Sciences, Sungkyunkwan University Mr. Dong Hyeok Choi, President of KAIST Graduate Student Association (GSA)	
17:00	<b>Closing</b>		

## Morning Satellite Event for the Future Leaders!

Encouraging participation of women in Science and Technology : challenges for the young generations

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<b>PART 1 PRESENTATION SESSION</b>				
10:00–10:05	<b>Introductory remarks</b>	Mr. Christophe Besse, Minister Counsellor, EU Delegation to the Republic of Korea Mr. Myung Sun Jang, President of the Korean Institute for Gender Equality Promotion and Education	Moderated by <b>Prof. Haelim Cho</b> (Department of International Studies of the Ewha Womans University)	
10:05–10:10	<b>Introduction of programme and speakers</b>			
10:10–11:00	<b>Experience sharing by Korean and European Mentors</b>	Dr. Barbara De Micheli, Head of the Social Justice Unit in Fondazione Giacomo Brodolini Ms. Jinkyung Bae, Co-representative of the Korean Women's Workers' Association Prof. Urszula Stachewicz, AGH University of Science and Technology in Krakow, Poland Prof. ChiHye Chung, Dept. of Biological Sciences, Konkuk University Prof. Teun Teun Kim, Department of Physics, University of Ulsan, Horizon2020 MSCA participants		
<b>PART 2 MODERATED DISCUSSIONS SESSION</b>				
11:05–11:20	<b>Video of sidewalk interviews at a Korean campus by YouTuber</b>			
11:20–12:00	<b>Panel Discussion (5 Mentors + 2 students)</b>			
12:00–12:10	<b>Q&amp;A</b>			
12:10–12:25	<b>Sharing Information: EU ERASMUS+ and Horizon Europe MSCA</b>			
12:25–12:30	<b>Wrap up</b>			

## REGISTRATION

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