The EQUAL-IST Webinar Series:
"Towards the implementation of Gender Equality Plans"
Second Webinar of the series on:
"Attracting and motivating girls toward STEM and ICT studies and professions"
16th January 2018
13.00-14.30 CET

Webinar's Agenda

13:00 Welcome & Introduction to webinar series and the topic of the day, Maria Sangiuliano, Università Ca' Foscari Department of Computer Sciences- EQUAL-IST Project.

Title: Gender Equality Plans for Information Sciences and Technology Research Institutions
Topic: GERI-4-2015 Support to research organisations to implement gender equality plans
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13.05 The ITforSHE and LeanInSTEM campaigns and programs in Poland, Bianka Siwinska, Perspektywy Educational Foundation

Perspektywy is an NGO working initiator of public campaign "Girls to Technical Schools" and Start-up Academy for female students of technical and exact sciences studies, as well as projects: "Lean in STEM", "IT for SHE", "Girls Learn!" and "New technologies for girls" scholarships (in cooperation with Intel) and partner of the program "Study in Poland" with the Conference of Polish Academic Rectors.

13.20 Q&A Session

13.30 The Girl Project Ada increases the number of girls in STEM in Norway, Line Berg, NTNU (NO)

This presentation will provide insights on a Project designed and run by the University which has proven to raise the % of enrolled girls in STEM courses along the years leveraging on different 'on campus' and 'hands on' experiences offered to girls and collaboration with industry players.

13.45 Q&A Session

13.55 The DigiVita, Mentoring Circles and projects with Secondary Schools in the Netherlands, Ester van Schaik, VHTO (NL)

VHTO is the National Organization promoting gender equality in STEM in the Netherlands and have tested several methodologies in this field with a comprehensive approach targeting girls, parents, teachers and in strict collaboration with national authorities in the education sector.

these guidelines can be applied to ICT-IST research organizations will also be shared.

14.10 Q&A Session

14.20 - Wrap up and closing the webinar, Maria Sangiuliano (UNIVE)

Our Invited Keynote Speakers

Bianka Siwinska

Bianka Siwinska studied at Warsaw University, Humboldt Univeristät in Berlin and Columbia University in New York City. She conducted research in NIFU STEP in Oslo and has authored several books and research reports. She is a journalist Scientist and the executive director of Educational Foundation "Perspektywy." She is also initiator of public campaign "Girls to Technical Schools" and Start-up Academy for female students of technical and exact sciences studies, as well as projects: "Lean in STEM", "IT for SHE", "Girls Learn!", and "New technologies for girls" scholarships.

Line Berg

Line holds an MBA from EAE in Spain and a Bachelor in International Business from Griffith University, Australia. She has lived and worked in Australia, Argentina, Korea and Spain and now works as the project manager of the Girl Project Ada at the Norwegian University of Science and Technology with recruiting more females to the ICT studies. NTNU Film Working for more girls in STEM
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oA8IuCsbuEU

Ester Van Schaick

Ester has been working as Policy Officer at VHTO, national expert organization on women in STEM in the Netherlands, since 2009. She is responsible for evaluation, research, analyzing quantitative data and coordinating European projects. She is also coordinator of the European Association for Women in Science, Engineering and Technology (WiTEC) - the NetherlandsGuidelines how to connect to the Second Webinar of the EQUAL-IST Webinar Series will be share with you Soon!

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Tuesday, Jan 16, 2018 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM CET