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for more Gender Equality
& Gender Mainstreaming

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- 08:15 – 09:00** **Registration of participants**
- 09:00 – 09:20** **Welcome and introduction**
- Reijo Kemppinen**, Director General Communication and Information,
General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union
Virginija Langbakk, Director, European Institute for Gender Equality
(EIGE)
- 09:20 – 10:50** **Session 1: The future of gender equality: what are the goals and
challenges for gender mainstreaming?**
- Keynote: **Irena Moozova**, Director for Equality and Union Citizenship,
European Commission
- Panel:
- Evelyn Regner**, Chair of the Women's Rights and Gender Equality
Committee (FEMM), European Parliament
Maria Stratigaki, Researcher, Gender Equality Expert, Politician
Dagmar Schumacher, Director, UN Women Brussels Office
Mara Marinaki, Ambassador, EEAS Principal Advisor on Gender and
Women, Peace and Security
- 10:50 – 11:15** **Tea/coffee break**

11:15 – 13:00

Session 2: Mainstreaming gender in all policy areas: how to effectively integrate gender equality into the post-2020 EU strategy?

Keynote: **Rosa Monteiro**, Secretary of State of Citizenship and Equality, Portugal

Panel:

Katarina Ivanković-Knežević, Director for Social Affairs, European Commission

Alexandra Geese, Member of Committee on Budgets (BUDG), European Parliament

Esther Lynch, Deputy General Secretary, ETUC

Eugenia Migliori, Principal Policy Adviser, CBI

13:00 – 14:15

Lunch break

14:15 – 16:00

Session 3: What is the impact of changing budgets and structures for gender equality?

Keynote: **Barbara Limanowska**, Programme Coordinator - Gender Mainstreaming, European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE)

Panel:

Saila Ruuth, State Secretary to the Minister of Social Affairs and Health, Finland

Ana Sofia Fernandes, Vice-President, European Women's Lobby

Anne Gaspard, Executive Director, Equinet

16:00 – 16:30

Closing remarks

Saila Ruuth, State Secretary to the Minister of Social Affairs and Health, Finland

Maruša Gortnar, Head of Operations, European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE)

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