Sharing Session on “Women and IP”

Closing the Gender Gap in Intellectual Property (IP)
Exploring multi-stakeholder initiatives

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Second Session
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PROGRAM

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12.30 – 12.35 (C.E.T.)  **Opening Remarks by:**
Ms. Lisa Jorgenson, Deputy Director General, Patents and Technology Sector, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva

12.35 – 13.30  **Sharing Session: Exploring Multi-stakeholder Initiatives that Encourage Women to Participate in, and Contribute to, the Innovation Ecosystem**
Speakers: Ms. Sara Callegari, Gender and Diversity Specialist, Human Resources Management Department, WIPO
Ms. Caitlin Kraft-Buchman, CEO/Founder, Women at the Table, Geneva
Ms. Holly Fechner, Partner, Covington & Burling LLP, Invent Together Coalition, Washington D.C.

13.30 – 13.55  **Discussion, Questions and Answers (Q&A)**
All participants are invited to contribute to the discussion

13.55 – 14.00  **Wrap-up and Closing**
Mr. Irfan Baloch, Director, Development Agenda Coordination Division, Regional and National Development Sector, WIPO

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