Sharing Session on “Women and IP”

Closing the Gender Gap in Intellectual Property (IP)
Looking at Good Practices

organized by the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

Third Session
Virtual meeting (hosted on Zoom), October 12, 2021

Program

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Tuesday, October 12, 2021

12.30 – 12.35 Opening

Ms. Binying Wang, Deputy Director General, Brands and Designs Sector, WIPO

12.35 – 13.20 Sharing session: Exploring gender inclusive policies and good practices that foster participation and contribution by women to the IP ecosystem

Moderator: Ms. Aurora Diaz-Rato Revuelta, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Spain to the United Nations Office at Geneva

Speakers: Ms. Anel Valencia Carmona, Deputy Director General for Support Services, Mexican Institute of Industrial Property (IMPI)

Ms. Thuraya Saud Al-Alawi, Head of Intellectual Property Section, Innovation & Technology Transfer Center, Sultan Qaboos University, Oman

Ms. Mubiru Lilian Nantume, Founder, Managing Director, Grooming a Successful Woman with Intellectual Mind (GSWIM), Uganda

Ms. Andrea Brewster, Lead Executive Officer, IP Inclusive, United Kingdom

13.20 – 14.20 Discussion Panel and Q&A session

All participants are invited to contribute to the discussion

14.20 – 14.30 Wrap-up and Closing

Mr. Irfan Baloch, Director, Development Agenda Coordination Division, WIPO

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