

# 2015 Gender Summit Asia-Pacific

**Better Science & Technology for Creative Economy:**  
 Enhancing Societal Impact through Gendered  
 Innovations in Research, Development and Business



**26-28 August 2015, Korea [Plaza Hotel, Seoul]**

## Objectives

- The Gender Summit 6 – Asia Pacific will promote evidence-based, concerted and integrated actions by all participating stakeholders in STEMM on gendered innovation.
- The summit aims to introduce compelling research evidence on the benefits of addressing gender issues in science and technology to improve the quality of research and innovation. It is designed to connect all relevant stakeholders in order to develop strategies for discussion and technological collaboration on gender diversity, and to open opportunities for new markets for scientific research and innovation.

## Plenary Sessions

1. Pursuing Excellence in Research through Gendered Innovations
2. Developing Policies to Promote Gender Based Research and Innovations
3. Developing Policies and Partnerships to Improve Gender Diversity in STEMM
4. Building Public Aspirations for Socioeconomic Improvement through Gender Based technologies
5. Developing leadership Capacity for Gendered Innovations through Scientific Networks

Convenors



Center for Women in  
 Science, Engineering and Technology



National Research Foundation  
 of Korea



Korea Institute of S&T  
 Evaluation and Planning

In Association with



Ministry of Science, ICT and  
 Future Planning



European Commission



Partners



The Japan Science and Technology  
 Agency



Portia Ltd, UK



Korea Federation of Women's  
 Science & Technology Associations

# Gender Summit AP Highlights

## Keynote Speakers

- Choi Yang Hee, Minister Science, ICT and Future Planning, Korea
- Geri Richmond, Presidential Chair in Science, USA

## Plenary Speakers

- Fahima Aziz, Asian University for Women, Bangladesh
- Weihua Gong, Zhejiang University, China
- Mikiko Ishikawa, Chuo University, Japan
- Sung Mo Kang, President, KAIST, Korea
- Jun Kim, National Research Foundation of Korea
- Krishnan Lal, Association of Academies and Societies of Sciences In Asia
- Jun Sik Lee, Seoul National University, Korea
- Carmen Leicht-Scholten, Achen University, Germany
- Astrid Linder, Research Director, National Road & Transport Institute (VTI) Sweden
- Chisato Miyaura, Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology, Japan
- Jörg Müller, GenPORT
- Kimiko Murofushi, Ochanomizu University, Japan
- Hee Young Paik, Seoul National University, Korea
- Elizabeth Pollitzer, Portia LTD, UK
- Curt Rice, University of Tromsø, Norway
- Sahana Sarma, McKinsey India
- Londa Schiebinger, Stanford University, USA
- Martina Schraudner, Technical University Berlin & Fraunhofer Gesellschaft, Germany
- Britta Thomsen, Member of European Parliament
- Susheela Venkataraman, Director of Technology, ADB (Video Presentation)

## Conferences / Workshops / Paper Presentations

- Improving diversity of STEMM talents: K-12 programmes
- Gender based Curriculum Innovations at College & Graduate level
- Association of Academies and Societies of Sciences In Asia regional workshop

**Abstract Submission until June 15, 2015**

## Registration

- Early-Bird Registration (April 22 ~ June 30)
- Pre-Registration (July 1 ~ 31)
- On-Site (August 26 ~ 28)