

Inefficient Inequality

The Economic Costs of Gender Inequality in Europe

09.00 - 9.20 Registration and Coffee

09.20 - 9.30 Welcome and Introduction

- *Brigitte Preissl* (Intereconomics Editor-in-Chief)
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09.30 - 11.00 Session I

Chair: *Derek Kruse*, Intereconomics

- *Joana Pereira* (International Monetary Fund): Unlocking female employment potential in Europe: drivers and benefits
 - *Anna Minasyan* (University of Göttingen): The impact of gender gaps on growth in developing countries: implications for Europe
 - *Martina Bisello* (Eurofound): The gender employment gap: challenges and solutions
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11.00 - 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 - 13.00 Session II

Chair: *Cian Mulligan*, Intereconomics

- *Diane Perrons* (LSE): Gender and inequality: austerity and alternatives
 - *Virginija Langbakk* (European Institute of Gender Equality): A study on the economic benefits of gender equality
 - *Paola Profeta* (University of Bocconi): Gender equality in decision-making positions: the efficiency gains
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13.00 - 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 - 15.15 Panel Session –
The Economic Costs of Gender Inequality

Chair: *Kerstin Born-Sirkel*, CEPS

- *Virginija Langbakk* (European Institute of Gender Equality)
 - *Diane Perrons* (London School of Economics and Political Science)
 - *Brigitte Preissl* (Intereconomics)
 - *Joana Pereira* (International Monetary Fund)
 - *Loretta Anania* (European Commission)
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15.15 - 16.00 Coffee and Networking

Thursday, 3 November 2016, 9.00 - 16.00

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