

THE WOMEN'S FORUM 2007

Building trust in our societies

Deauville, 11-13 October 2007

Final public program, as of 19 October 2007

WEDNESDAY 1	WEDNESDAY 10 OCTOBER	
16:00 – 22:00 CID Entrance Hall	Registration and sign-up for the Friday luncheons	
19:00 – 22:00 Villa	Cocktail reception	
Strassburger	Courtesy of the Mayor's Office, City of Deauville	
	Transportation will be provided from the CID, transfers will start at 18:45	
THURSDAY 11	OCTOBER	
07:30 – onwards CID Entrance Hall	Registration and sign-up for the Friday luncheons	
09:30 – 09:45 Plenary Hall 1	Welcome address	
	Musical opening: Vera Tsu, Violinist, China Welcome address: Aude Zieseniss de Thuin, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, The Women's Forum for the Economy and Society With, on behalf of the Chinese delegation: Long Jiang Wen, General Director of the International Department, All-China Women's Federation, China	
09:45 – 11:00 Plenary Hall 1	Brainstorming plenary session	
Tronary Hair T	Rebuilding trust: an agenda for governance	
	With the growing public skepticism and even cynicism regarding politicians and the way our institutions function, the issue of trust has now become a major issue in most countries around the world. The impact of globalization and the tremendous pressures tha accelerated economic and technological change are putting on our societies are eroding social cohesion and the very notion of trust as a key element to ensure social cohesion and political legitimacy. What can be done to reverse this very dangerous trend? What should be the guidelines for effective and trust-building governance in an era of fast changes in every single domain?	
	Speakers:	
	Anne Lauvergeon, Chief Executive Officer, Areva, France Laura Liswood, Senior Advisor, Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Secretary General, Council of Women World Leaders, USA Ayo Obe, Chair of the Steering Committee of the World Movement for Democracy and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Goree Institute, Nigeria	

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	Moderator:
	Maria Livanos Cattaui, Member of the Board of Directors, Petroplus Holdings; Vice-Chairman, International Crisis Group, Switzerland
11:00 – 11:30	Discovery contact break
Discovery Hall	
11.30 – 12.45 Plenary Hall 2	Panel discussion in parallel
	What should women expect from political leaders to restore the trust in our governance systems?
	Most countries have been subject to the same trend of decline in trust and confidence in the ability of political leaders to address the issues and challenges most crucial to our daily lives and our future. Cynicism about political leaders is running high all over the world – with few notable exceptions. This is happening at a time when new pressures arising from the impact of globalization on our societies or from domestic issues are making the involvement of government and our trust in the ability of the system to address these challenges more important than ever.
	Speakers:
	Maria Angeles Amador, Lawyer; former Health Minister, Spain Elisabeth Guigou, Member of the National Assembly and former Minister of Justice, France Linda Lanzillotta, Minister for Regional Affairs and Local Communities, Italy Shirin Tahir-Kheli, Senior Adviser to the Secretary of State for Women's Empowerment, USA
	Moderator:
	Christine Ockrent, Journalist and Author, France Télévision, France
11.30 – 12.45 Scarlett	Panel discussion in parallel
	The values that should guide us in managing the fast-expanding frontier of science and technology
	Far-reaching, scientific and technological changes are being unleashed. The rapidity and breadth of scientific and technological change is opening up gaps in our capacity to manage these changes. Trust is being undermined when ethical standards are breached, and when the impact of new technologies on health and social inequalities create problems. At the same time, there is growing public concern about the misuse of technology. What are the risks and opportunities of new technologies? How can we draw the line between what constitutes hopeful progress and what could fast turn into "Frankenstein science"?
	Speakers:
	Nick Bostrom, Director, Future of Humanity Institute, University of Oxford, UK Habiba Bouhamed-Chaabouni, Professor of Medical Genetics, Tunis University, Tunisia Monique Canto-Sperber, Director, Ecole Normale Supérieure, France Julia Moore, Deputy Director, Project on Emerging Nanotechnologies, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, USA John Ryan, Director, Bionanotechnology Interdisciplinary Research Center, Oxford University, UK
	Moderator:
	Maria Livanos Cattaui, Member of the Board of Directors, Petroplus Holdings; Vice-Chairman, International Crisis Group, Switzerland

13:00 – 15:00	Plenary Luncheon
Plenary Hall 1	
hosted by Total	Humanitarian Action in the 21st century
	How is the nature of humanitarian action changing in today's world, with the rise of new types of conflict and new forms of social philanthropy? Her Royal Highness Princess Astrid of Belgium shares the insights she has learnt in her observations of contemporary problems and of how humanitarian action is evolving to meet new challenges, drawing on her role as Chairwoman of the Belgian Red Cross.
	Keynote:
	Her Royal Highness Princess Astrid of Belgium
	Introducer:
	Yves-Louis Darricarrère, President, Total Exploration and Production; Chairman, Total Diversity Council, Total, France
15:00 – 16:30 Scarlett	Panel discussion in parallel
Scanell	In the media we trust or should we?
	There is increasing concern in most parts of the world about the impartiality and quality of the media, in a context of increasing concentration of ownership, and overcommercialization. Questions are raised about the accountability of the voices we hear in the media; and how the media can perpetuate stereotypes. How can the media play a crucial part in building trust in our societies by demonstrating the integrity of its role and enhancing the relevance of its contribution to the functioning of our institutions and societies? What are the implications of the new types of media that are emerging and the ever-increasing trend towards a convergence of technologies?
	Speakers:
	Rena Golden, Senior Vice President, CNN.com, USA Christine Ockrent, Journalist and Author, France Télévision, France John Thornhill, Editor, European Edition, Financial Times, UK
	Moderator:
	Liz Padmore , International Advisor and Consultant; Associate Fellow, Said Business School, Oxford, UK
15:00 – 16:30 Plenary Hall 2	Panel discussion in parallel
	How increasing women's integration is changing the competitiveness picture
	Many corporations around the world, as well as many national economies are beginning to realize the competitiveness benefits derived from a greater integration of women in economic and business life. How can this process be accelerated and how do corporations need to adjust to take full advantage of this additional asset?
	Speakers:
	Olivier Barberot, Senior Vice President, Human Resources, France Telecom / Orange Group, France Sandrine Devillard, Principal, McKinsey & Company, France Laura Liswood, Senior Advisor, Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Secretary General, Council of Women World Leaders, USA Liu Ting, President and Chair, Asia Link Group, China
	Moderator:
	Alison Maitland, journalist and co-author of Why Women Mean Business (2008), UK

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16:30 – 17:15 Plenary Hall 2	Plenary session
hosted by Cartier	Cartier Women's Initiative Awards: Presentation of 2007 Finalists
	Discover the 2007 Finalists of the Cartier Women's Initiative Awards, a joint project with Cartier, McKinsey and INSEAD aimed at encouraging female start-up entrepreneurs.
17:15 – 17:45 Discovery Hall	Discovery contact break
18:00 – 19:15 Discovery Hall	Discovery moments
,	In Design we Trust New consumer's behaviour: In design they trust! Nelly Rodi meets with Lenovo
	Speakers:
	Yolanda Conyers, Vice President and Chief Diversity Officer of Global Integration and Diversity, Lenovo, USA Catherine Ladousse, EMEA Communication Executive, Lenovo, France Anne-Pierre Guignard, Marketing Manager, Lenovo, France Nelly Rodi, President, Nelly Rodi, France
	La Fondation d'Entreprise L'Oréal For Women in Science programme
	<u>Living tomorrow's home environment</u> Experience the future with Suez: Discover the house of tomorrow
	The Men's Corner Improving gender diversity in companies: Why CEOs should get serious about sex
	Introduction by:
	Alison Maitland, journalist and co-author of Why Women Mean Business (2008), UK Avivah Wittenberg-Cox, Managing Partner, Diafora, France
	Speakers:
	Russ Hagey, Worldwide Chief Talent Officer and Partner, Bain & Company, USA Gerald Lema, President Asia Pacific, Baxter International, China Nicolas Merindol, Chief Executive Officer, Groupe Caisse d'Epargne, France
	Moderators:
	Olivier Marchal, Managing Director Bain & Company, France Virginie Robert, Journalist, Les Echos, France
	The Writers' corner Being a novelist in China
	Speaker:
	Bonnie Fong, Blogger and Student, Insead, China
	Moderator:
	Irene Frain, Author, France
	<u>Travel by Air France</u> Stress-free flying

	Speaker:
	Stephane Cabarocas , Teaching Supervisor, Anti-Stress Centre and A320 Instructor, Air France, France
	Women for Education Education, governance, and the fight against poverty (in French only)
	Speakers:
	Claire Calosci, General Director, Aide & Action, France Myriam Carbonare, President, ECIDEC, France
	Moderator:
	Karine Guldemann, Chief Representative, Fondation d'Entreprise ELLE, France
	Women's Health Pregnancy and Executive womenis it a challenge? (in French only)
	Speaker:
	Corinne Hubinont, Professor, Co-Head of the Department of Obstetrics, Clinique Universitaires St-Luc, Belgium
	Moderator:
	Véronique Paulus de Châtelet, Governor, Brussels Capital, Belgium
20:00 – 20:30 Discovery Hall hosted by Pommery	Partners cocktail reception
20:30 – 22:30 Planary Hall 1	Opening keynote dinner
Plenary Hall 1 hosted by Barclays	H.E. Phumzile Gloria Mlambo-Ngcuka has an impressive background – from a degree in gender policy and planning development, through a long experience in humanitarian action, management consulting and positions in government – culminating in becoming the most senior woman in South African government. She will talk about the role and importance of women in creating the conditions for social development without which no society can aspire to genuine prosperity and stability.
	Keynote:
	H.E. Phumzile Gloria Mlambo-Ngcuka, Deputy President of the Republic of South Africa
	Moderator:
	Laurence Peyraut Bertier, Director of Marketing and Communications, Barclays, UK
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	Gender equality in the workplace: women's lawyers' role Gender equality in the workplace has been the subject of various legislative initiatives around the world. While the initial approach focused on the prohibition of discriminatory behaviours, recent policies tend to take an active role in promoting effective equality between men and women. In this regard, the feminisation of legal professions might be a contributing factor. What is the most appropriate legal answer to discriminatory behaviour? How can legislators help women access the most senior positions? Is there a legal or governmental answer to the difficult combination between women's family role and their professional career? What about gender equality in the legal professions? How do women working in the legal environment contribute to changing mentalities? How can women fight self-censorship and the glass ceiling?
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	Self-cerisorship and the glass ceiling!
	Speakers:
	Dominique de La Garanderie, Partner, La Garanderie & Associés; Former President of the Paris Bar, France Ana Palacio, Senior Vice-President and General Counsel, World Bank Group, Spain Claire Toumieux, Partner, Flichy & Associés, France
	Moderator:
	Gilles August, Partner, August & Debouzy Avocats, France
10:30-12:00 Tootsie	Session 2
	Global Diversity in Law Firms
	The global marketplace is facing its greatest challenges of diversity and inclusion. In today's business society, corporations and firms must understand the obstacles that prevent women from advancing, and that impede overall business growth and success. Law firms must confront these barriers within their organizations and then assist their clients to do the same. Firms and corporations can work together to create environments that benefit women and business. The complexities of culture, customs, language, stereotypes, and perceptions must be examined with a focus on change and integration. In the United States, many leading corporations require an unwavering commitment to diversity and only engage those law firms with a sustainable record of progress. This new order has already begun to affect the representation, advancement, leadership and environment for women. New women's initiatives are launched every week. New policies are drafted and adopted each day. But, this is just the beginning.
	Speakers:
	Elisabeth Noe, Partner, Vice-Chair, Corporate Department; Co-Chair, Attorney Development, Paul Hastings, USA Yan Lan, Partner, Gide Loyrette Nouel Beijing, China
	Moderator:
	Gilles August, Partner, August & Debouzy Avocats, France

08:45 – 12:00	Focus on Restoring trust in our societies
	Parallel sessions allow participants to discuss key challenges pressurizing the cohesion of our societies and then get-together in a plenary setting to share and discuss the outcomes of these sessions and build recommendations for action.
08:45 - 10:00	Panel discussion in parallel
Scarlett	Sustaining social cohesion in face of the global migration wave
	How are our societies going to manage the continuing waves of migration which are already reshaping the social and economic scenes in many countries around the world? What will be required in terms of building trust among different cultures and communities now having to coexist closely? What will genuine integration require?
	Speakers:
	Jean-Pierre Garson, Head, International Migration Division, OECD, France Gilles Kepel, Director of Research, CNRS/CERI; Professor and Chair, Middle East & Mediterranean, Sciences Po, France Kathleen Newland, Director and Co-Founder, Migration Policy Institute, USA Mari Simonen, Deputy Executive Director, United Nations Population Fund, Finland
	Moderator:
	Maria Livanos Cattaui, Member of the Board of Directors, Petroplus Holdings; Vice-Chairman, International Crisis Group, Switzerland
08:45 – 10:00	Panel discussion in parallel
Plenary Hall 2	Cultural identity in a global world: Women's crucial role in imagining new futures
	Globalization and the communications revolution, coupled with migration pressures, are increasingly putting national cultures under pressure. There is a sense that local and national cultures are merging into uniformity. What can we do to protect core values from blind uniformity? How can national and cultural diversity thrive in a global village? What role can women play to help our societies confront this challenge?
	Keynote:
	Valérie Letard, Secretary of State for Solidarity, France
	Speakers:
	Sylviane Balustre d'Erneville, Director, Diversity and Inclusion, L'Oreal, France Gisèle Mandaila, Secretary of State for Family and Disability, Belgium Sara Silvestri, Lecturer, International Relations and Religion in Global Politics, London City University, UK
	Moderator:
	Julia Harrison, Managing Partner, Blueprint Partners, UK/Belgium
08:45 – 10:00 James Bond	Panel discussion in parallel
	How can we guarantee our welfare systems in this ageing world?
	Whether confronted with ageing societies and increasing health costs or faced with the need to build social safety nets to help their people overcome the collapse of traditional social structures, almost all countries in the world today have to think or re-think their welfare systems. What are the social schemes that could combine the greatest sustainability and fairness? What systems can strengthen social cohesion and generate trust in societies and not let categories of people "drop behind"?

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	Speakers:
	Estelle James, former Lead Economist, World Bank, USA Monika Queisser, Senior Social Policy Analyst, Social Policy Division, OECD, Germany David Stanton, former Chief Economist of the UK's Department for Work and Pensions; Advisor to the Turner Pensions Commission; and currently Chairman of the Indicators Subgroup of the EU Social Protection Committee, UK
	Moderator:
	Pierre Briançon, Paris Correspondent, Breaking Views, France
08:45 – 10:00 Gilda	Panel discussion in parallel
Gilda	Beware of the wealth divide
	Whatever their level of economic development, most countries around the world are today confronted with the challenge of a widening wealth distribution gap, as those who are equipped to benefit from globalization are seeing fast improvements in their standard of living while those who don't possess the required skills find themselves confined to low wage activities and confronted with growing insecurity. What can the responses of our societies be to this trend, which is destroying the sense of trust and fairness in our societies and directly threatening social cohesion?
	Speakers:
	Fintan Farrell, Director, European Anti Poverty Network; President, the Platform of European Social NGOs, Ireland Barbara Fiorito, Chair of the Board of Directors, Fairtrade Labelling Organizations International, USA
	Nora Lustig, Shapiro Visiting Professor of International Affairs, Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University, Mexico
	Moderator:
	Liz Padmore , International Advisor and Consultant; Associate Fellow, Said Business School, Oxford, UK
10:00 – 10:30 Discovery Hall	Discovery contact break
10:30 – 11:45	Plenary debate
Plenary Hall 1	Strengthening social cohesion, building trust: Some ways ahead
	How can developed as well as emerging countries face the pressures affecting the cohesion of our societies and strengthen trust in our systems? Building on the outcomes of the preceding parallel sessions, participants discuss key orientations that will help our societies.
	Speakers:
	Jean-Paul Bailly, Chairman, Groupe La Poste, France H.E. Phumzile Gloria Mlambo-Ngcuka, Deputy President of the Republic of South Africa Soukeyna Ndiaye BA, Chairwoman and founding member of FDEA; Former Minister of Cooperation, Senegal Ana Palacio, Senior Vice-President and General Counsel, World Bank Group, Spain Laurence Parisot, President, MEDEF, France
	Moderator:
	Christine Ockrent, Journalist and Author, France Télévision, France

11.15 10.00	
11:45 – 12:00 Plenary Hall 1	Special appearance
	Speaking to make a difference
	May Chidiac, Journalist, Lebanon
12:00 – 13:15 Discovery Hall	Discovery moments
	In Design we trust New consumer's behaviour: In design they trust! Nelly Rodi meets with Calypso/Solera
	Speakers:
	Christiane Celle, Chief Executive Officer, Calyspo/Solera, USA Nelly Rodi, President, Nelly Rodi, France
	<u>La Fondation d'Entreprise l'Oréal</u> Hairdressers of the world against AIDS
	<u>Living tomorrow's home environment</u> Small is beautiful: Develop Tuvalu as a replicable model for environmental living
	Speaker:
	Gilliane Le Gallic, President & Founder of Alofa Tuvalu; TV Producer, Director and Journalist, France
	The Writers' corner India: Plural histories
	Speaker:
	Abha Dawesar, Novelist, India
	Moderator:
	Irene Frain, Author, France
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	Jean-Michel Donner, Chief Executive Officer, Lenovo, France Philippe Lagayette, Senior Country Officer, JP Morgan, France
	Moderators:
	Olivier Marchal, Managing Director, Bain & Company, France Virginie Robert, Journalist, Les Echos, France
	Travel by Air France Stress-free flying
	Speaker:

	Stephane Cabarocas, Teaching Supervisor, Anti-Stress Centre and A320 Instructor, Air France, France
	Manage for Education
	Women for Education Education, and the fight against child exploitation (in French only)
	Speakers:
	Didier Bertrand, National Project Director, AFESIP, Laos Jacqueline Bruas, President, ACPE, France
	Moderator:
	Karine Guldemann, Chief Representative, Fondation d'Entreprise ELLE, France
	Women's Health Vaccinations: A new therapy for cancer?
	Speaker:
	Philippe Monteyne, Vice President and Head of Global Vaccines on Development, GSK Biologicals, Belgium
	Moderator:
	Corinne Hubinont, Professor, Co-head of the Department of Obstetrics, Clinique Universitaires St-Luc, Belgium
13:30 – 14:45	Luncheon in parallel (sign up upon registration)
Royal/Coté hosted by ING Group	Social entrepreneurship, the way I see it
,	Rama Bijapurkar is one of India's most respected thought leaders on market strategy and consumer-related issues. She will speak about her experience in social entrepreneurship.
	Keynote:
	Rama Bijapurkar, Market Strategy Consultant, India
	Moderator:
	Marina Eloy, Head of Human Resources, ING Group, Netherlands
12:20 14:45	
13:30 – 14:45 Hotel Royal/	Luncheon in parallel (sign up upon registration)
Deauville 3 hosted by Cegos	A tale of courage in reporting
	May Chidiac was the first female reporter to have been targeted for assassination in Lebanon. Despite the harm she suffered when her car exploded, she continues to be faithful to her duty of reporting, thereby honouring her fallen colleagues.
	Keynote:
	May Chidiac, Journalist, Lebanon
	Moderator:
	Catherine Goutte, Director of Development, Cegos, France
13:30 – 14:45	Luncheon in parallel (sign up upon registration)
Casino/Les Ambassadeurs	Helping manage globalization: How some international
hosted by ABN Amro	organizations can make a difference
	How do large multilateral organizations such as the World Bank play a role in managing

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	the forces – both positive and negative – of globalization? Is their role evolving? Ana Palacio will speak about the work of the World Bank in reducing global poverty and improving living standards around the world.
	Keynote:
	Ana Palacio, Senior Vice-President and General Counsel, World Bank Group, Spain
	Moderator:
	Ellen Simons , Global Head of Diversity and Inclusion and HR Sustainability, ABN Amro, The Netherlands
13:30 – 14:45 CID/Batman	Luncheon in parallel (sign up upon registration)
OID/ Batthan	The Darfur crisis – is there an end in sight?
	The Darfur tragedy in western Sudan has captured the public concern – it is estimated the conflict has left as many as 450,000 dead from violence and disease. Caryl Stern and Dayle Haddon have recently travelled to Darfur and return with a personal testimony of the latest developments in the region.
	Keynote:
	Caryl Stern, President, UNICEF, USA
	Moderator:
	Dayle Haddon, Founder and CEO, DHC; UNICEF Ambassador, USA
13:30 – 14:45	Luncheon in parallel (sign up upon registration)
Hotel Royal / Salon La Baule	The critical role of whistle-blowing in our societies
hosted by Ricol, Lasteyrie & Associés	When organizations cross the ethical line, whistleblowers can play a crucial role in raising public awareness – sometimes resulting in the downfall of entire organizations – and often at great personal cost. What can be done to encourage and protect the rights of whistleblowers? What systems can organizations put into place to protect whistleblowers, encourage accountability and transparency and ensure that corrective actions are taken?
	Introducer:
	René Ricol, President, Ricol, Lasteyrie & Associés, France
	Keynote:
	Marianne Camerer, Co-Founder; International Director, Global Integrity, South Africa
	Moderator:
	Sonia Bonnet, Partner, Ricol, Lasteyrie & Associés, France
15:00 – 16:15	Debate in parallel
Plenary Hall 2	Sustaining corporate loyalty
	As companies see their own integrity and motivations challenged and face increasing demands in ensuring the loyalty of their stakeholders as well as shareholders; how can business best sustain the trust that it needs from the public to operate efficiently at the national as well as at the global level? How does corporate social responsibility become part of meeting that challenge?
	Speakers:
	Frank Brown, Dean, INSEAD, USA Mercedes Erra, Executive Chairman, Euros RSCG Worldwide, France Lynda Gratton, Professor of Management Practice, London Business School; Executive

	Director, Lehman Brothers Centre for Women in Business, UK Michel Landel, CEO, Sodexho, France
	Gerald Lema, President for the Asia Pacific, Baxter International, China
	Moderator:
	Liz Padmore , International Advisor and Consultant; Associate Fellow, Said Business School, Oxford, UK
15:00 – 16:15 Plenary Hall 1	Debate in parallel
	How are women shaping the business environment in the 21st Century?
	The increasing integration of women in economic and corporate life is contributing to bring significant changes to the business environment. The expanding availability of talent created by more and more women joining the business world, the new perspectives and dimensions they bring to addressing issues, a different style of leadership, a different approach to work-life balance issues are as many new elements impacting on the way business and economic activity are developing and the way we conceive business life. What is the nature of the changes reshaping the global business environment? How should corporations re-think their modus operandi to be able to leverage in an optimum way women's contribution to business life? How will corporations function be perceived and interact with their multiple stakeholders as the women's imprint on their activities get more pronounced in the years ahead?
	Speakers:
	Elena Fedyashina, Executive Director, The Committee of 20, Russia Russ Hagey, Worldwide Chief Talent Officer and Partner, Bain & Company, USA Marie-Christine Lombard, CEO, TNT Express Division, The Netherlands Li Qingyuan, Adjunct Professor of International Economic Department, Renmin University, China
	Moderator:
	Fiona Harvey, Environmental Correspondent, Financial Times, UK
15:00 – 16:15	Debate in parallel
Scarlett	Filling the trust deficit: The rise of civil society
	The crisis of trust and legitimacy has prompted the emergence of civil society worldwide; with NGOs taking an increasingly assertive role in expressing the concerns of people and putting governments, corporations and other institutions under pressure for more accountability. How will the role of NGOs continue to evolve, and how will this impact the functioning of our societies and political systems?
	Speakers:
	Barbara Fiorito, Chair of the Board of Directors, Fairtrade Labelling Organizations International, USA Ayo Obe, Chair of the Steering Committee of the World Movement for Democracy and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Goree Institute, Nigeria Melanne Verveer, Co-Founder and Chair of the Board, Vital Voices Global Partnership, USA
	Moderator:
	Eileen Dunne, Newsreader, Nine O'Clock news bulletin, RTÉ, Ireland
16:15 – 16:45 Discovery Hall	Discovery contact break
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16:45 – 18:00	Debate in parallel
Scarlett	Spare me the stereotypes
	What are just old clichés and what illustrates genuine gender-based differences in perceptions and attitudes? How should we rethink our representational models to optimize women's ability to contribute to our societies and our economies? What is happening to gender roles and relations in today's world? What do these trends mean for the future? How do we need to go beyond age-old unequal dichotomies that continue to affect menwomen relationships?
	Speakers:
	Marie-Jeanne Chèvremont-Lorenzini, Managing Partner, PriceWaterHouseCoopers, Luxembourg Asako Hoshino, Corporate Vice President, Market Intelligence, Nissan, Japan Norma Jarboe, Director, Opportunity Now, UK Elisabeth Kelan, Research Fellow, Lehman Brothers Centre for Women in Business, London Business School, UK Heather McGregor, FT Weekend Columnist, Financial Times, UK
	Moderator:
	Julia Harrison, Managing Partner, Blueprint Partners, UK/Belgium
16:45 – 18:00	Debate in parallel
James Bond	The new social networks: What do they mean for trust and the way our societies evolve?
	The information and communication technologies are creating new communities with an increasing impact in shaping and disseminating perceptions. How is this new trend affecting the way our societies make some key choices? What is the impact on social cohesion as – paradoxically – a new sense of virtual community is coming along with a growing sense of isolation? Are these new forms of socialization leading to an even more narrow sense of identity, or, on the contrary, identities that build bridges across communities?
	Speakers:
	Jean-Louis Constanza, CEO, TEN, France Bruno Giussani, Author, Entrepreneur; European Director of the TED Conferences, Switzerland Susan Kish, Director, First Tuesday Incorporated Global, Switzerland Anne Lange, Senior Executive Advisor, Cisco Systems, USA Dina Mehta, Ethnographer, Blogger and Social Media enthusiast, Director with Explore Research & Consultancy, India
	Moderator:
	Maria Livanos Cattaui, Member of the Board of Directors, Petroplus Holdings; Vice-Chairman, International Crisis Group, Switzerland
16:45 – 18:00	Panel discussion in parallel
Plenary Hall 2	Trusting what we consume: Are we truly managing the interface of technology, health and safety?
	There have been many health scares and a growing awareness of harmful chemicals in the many consumer products that surround us – from clothes to cosmetics to everyday durables and consumables. How are companies doing responding to fears for the environment and for human health? What are they doing to substitute hazardous chemicals in consumer products in order to make them safe for women and future generations? What more can be done to increase our trust in the products we consume and what is the role of women – as consumers and opinion shapers – in helping to regulate health and safety?

Speakers: Dora Akunyili, Director General, National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control. Nigeria Daniela Rosche, Policy Coordinator for Chemicals, Women in Europe for a Common Future. The Netherlands Moderator: Pierre Briançon, Paris Correspondent, Breaking Views, France 18:00 - 19:15 **Discovery moments** Discovery Hall In Design we trust Creative business idea: An Euro RSCG approach to creativity Speaker: Marianne Hurstel, Worldwide Chief Strategic Officer, BETC EURO RSCG, France La Fondation d'Entreprise L'Oréal Look Good, Feel Better Living tomorrow's home environment Experience the future with SUEZ: Discover the house of tomorrow The Writers' corner A contemporary and original vision of today's world through women's portraits Speaker: Titouan Lamazou, Painter, France The Men's Corner Improving gender diversity in companies: Why CEOs should be serious about sex Introduction by: Alison Maitland, journalist and co-author of Why Women Mean Business (2008), UK Avivah Wittenberg-Cox, Managing Partner, Diafora, France Speakers: Frank Brown, Dean, Insead, USA Carlos Ghosn, President and CEO, Renault, France; President and CEO, Nissan, Japan Jean-Paul Tricoire, Chief Executive Officer, Schneider Electric, France Moderators: Olivier Marchal, Managing Director, Bain & Company, France Virginie Robert, Journalist, Les Echos, France Travel by Air France Comfort and well-being on board of Air France Speaker: Patrick Rodriguez, Medical Advisor and Vice-President, Air France Corporate Medicine, France Women for Education

Peace education and conflict prevention (in French only)

Speakers:

	Nathalie Delapalme, Inspector General for Finance, France Saran Daraba Kaba, President, Mano River Women's Peace Network, Guinea
	Moderator:
	Caroline Laurent, Reporter-at-large, ELLE magazine, France
	Women's Health Protecting health (in French only)
	Speaker:
	Michèle Buron, Founder of the NGO "Vivre ensemble", Senegal
	Moderator:
	Evelyn Gessler, Managing Director, Decider's, Belgium
20:30 – 22:30	Awards Ceremony
Plenary Hall 2 hosted by Cartier	Cartier Women's Initiative Awards Ceremony 2007 and Cocktail Reception
	Announcement of the 2007 Laureates of the Cartier Women's Initiative Awards followed by a cocktail reception "Culinary Getaway to Asia".
SATURDAY, 13	OCTOBER
08:45 – 12:00	Special Saturday morning programme on and for Women in Finance
08:45 – 10:00 Tootsie	Session 1
7 0010/0	Too much money chasing too much risk
	The meltdown of the subprime mortgage market may be the beginning of what economists call `the great unwind' where asset prices fall as financing dries up. How did so much liquidity get created in the first place? Is the credit boom ending? What are the implications for growth in developed economies like Europe and the US as well as high growth areas such as China and India? Will growth, corporate profits slow, leading to higher unemployment? Should central banks react?
	Panelists:
	Ron Anderson, Programme Director, Risk Management and Fixed Income Markets; Professor in Finance, London School of Economics, UK Jessica Cheung, Head of Investment Risk Management, Standard Life, UK Janet Guyon, Managing Editor, Bloomberg.com, USA Christina Mohr, Managing Director, Citi, USA Paresh Shah, Managing Director, Stargate Capital Investment Group, UK
	Moderator:
	Claude Smadja, President, Smadja and Associates, Switzerland
10:30 – 12:00 Tootsie	Session 2
	Women in power: Fostering the current and next generation in financial services
	Women are making headway moving into senior positions in corporate America and in government. Progress in finance, banking and private equity has been slower. Why? What can the women who occupy high places in those industries do about it? Panelists will

	discuss what strategies work and don't work, what responsibility women have to each other, whether competitive cultures can foster teamwork, whether women are risk-averse and the role played by family responsibilities in professions that demand ad hoc schedules and long hours.
	Panelists:
	Patricia Barbizet, Chief Executive Officer, Artemis, France Nathalie Faure-Beaulieu, Managing Director, European Capital, UK Deborah Hopkins, Senior Advisor and Managing Director, Markets and Banking, Citi, USA
	Herminia Ibarra, Chaired Professor of Organizational Behaviour, INSEAD, USA Yuan Wang, Deputy Director, China Development Bank, China
	Moderator:
	Anne Swardson, Senior Editor, Bloomberg, USA
08:45 – 12:00	Focus on climate change and sustainability as a major challenge for trust in our societies
	Parallel sessions allow participants to discuss some key challenges in preserving our environment and then get-together in a plenary setting to share and discuss the outcomes of these sessions and build on some recommendations for action.
08:45 – 10:00 Plenary Hall 2	Panel discussion in parallel
Fieriary Hair 2	Green card to corporate legitimacy
	Climate change and the environment have now made it to the top of people's concerns in most developed countries. For many corporations, being environmentally conscious is becoming a "must" in retaining the trust of their stakeholders. Beyond the slogans, what is the right way for a company to be what its ads and mission statement claim it to be? What is the difference between just "following the trend" and credible commitment?
	Speakers:
	Jacqueline Coté, Senior Adviser, Advocacy and Partnerships, World Business Council for Sustainable Development, Canada/Switzerland Alice de Brauer, Vice President, Strategic Environmental Planning, Renault, France Laurent Gilbert, Director of Research, L'Oreal, France Tensie Whelan, Executive Director, Rainforest Alliance, USA
	Moderator:
	Liz Padmore , International Advisor and Consultant; Associate Fellow, Said Business School, Oxford, UK
08:45 – 10:00 James Bond	Panel discussion in parallel
James Dona	Alternative energies: Getting the full picture
	With fossil fuel reserves diminishing and increasing concerns about the impact of CO2 emissions on our environment, the search for alternative sources of energy has assumed a new urgency. What are the alternative energies that are already available and can be put to use – taking cost and efficiency factors into account? What would it take to envisage a drastic reduction in the use of fossil energy in terms of technological improvements and adjustment in areas such as transportation, heating, power generation in general? What is the realistic time horizon when it comes to alternative energies playing a significant role in energy and power generation?
	Speakers:
	Christine Chauvet, President of the Supervisory Board, Compagnie Nationale du Rhône; Former Minister for International Trade, France Jeremy Leggett, Chief Executive Officer, Solar Century, UK

	Herman Mulder , Senior Advisor of the Global Compact and the World Business Council for Sustainable Development, USA
	Moderator:
	Eileen Dunne, newsreader, Nine O'Clock news bulletin, RTÉ, Ireland
08:45 – 10:00 Scarlett	Panel discussion in parallel
Council	When environment intersects with economic and national security: Reaching the tipping point
	The environment and climate change issue was until recently the concern of environment-conscious groups and the warnings of these groups have often been ignored or neglected. But climate change and sustainable growth have all of a sudden become issues that directly impact economic and national security. Will this new awareness generate a sense of urgency and decisive action?
	Speakers:
	Eliot Cutler, Senior Partner, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, USA Sheri Xiaoyi Liao, President, Global Village of Beijing, China Sophia Tickell, Chair, Sustainability, UK
	Moderator:
	Fiona Harvey, Environmental Correspondent, Financial Times, UK
08:45 – 10:00 Gilda	Panel discussion in parallel
	Sustainable cities – where the environment meets the individual
	As the global population of cities has overtaken the rural one for the first time in history; how are cities acting – often in a context of slums and water shortages – to reduce their "ecological footprint" by promoting new sources of power and redesigning urban spaces to encourage more green areas, walking, cycling and use of public transport? How are cities dealing with the dilemma of dealing with the legacies of the past and the hopes of the future eco-city? How does this impact the choices we make, and the ways in which we live our daily lives? What is the news on "eco cities" around the world that support "Agenda 21"?
	Speakers:
	Noni Allwood, Senior Director, Cisco Systems, El Salvador Chris Luebkeman, Director for Global Foresight and Innovation, Ove Arup, UK Livia Tirone, Architect, Larfage, Portugal
	Moderator:
	Françoise Crouigneau, Editor of International Coverage, Les Echos, France
10:00 – 10:30 Discovery Hall	Discovery contact break
10:30 – 12:00	Plenary brainstorming
Plenary Hall 1	Climate change and sustainable growth: What will it take to face the challenge?
	Building on the outcome of the four preceding parallel sessions, the participants, gathered in a plenary setting, share some of the conclusions reached and define orientations for action and potential implications for our societies, lifestyle and economies.
	Introduction:
	Maud Fontenoy, Navigator, France

Speakers:

Fatih Birol, Chief Economist and Head, Economic Analysis Division, International Energy

Agency, Turkey
Anne Marie Idrac, CEO, SNCF, France

Sheri Xiaoyi Liao, President, Global Village of Beijing, China

Moderator:

Maria Livanos Cattaui, Member of the Board of Directors, Petroplus Holdings; Vice-Chairman, International Crisis Group, Switzerland

12:15 – 13:30 Discovery Hall

Discovery moment

In Design we trust

Creative business idea: An Euro RSCG approach to creativity

Speaker

Marianne Hurstel, Worldwide Chief Strategic Officer, BETC EURO RSCG, France

La Fondation d'Entreprise L'Oréal

Femmes du monde

Living tomorrow's home environment

(Y)our urban future: What are the drivers of change globally? Locally? How will we put our urban lifestyles on a diet? What are our visions for tomorrow?

Speaker:

Chris Luebkeman, Director for Global Foresight and Innovation, Ove Arup, UK

The Writers' corner

Meet with Ysé Tardan-Masquelier

Moderator:

Irene Frain, Author, France

The Men's Corner

Improving gender diversity in companies: Why CEOs should be serious about sex

Introduction by:

Alison Maitland, journalist and co-author of *Why Women Mean Business* (2008), UK **Avivah Wittenberg-Cox**, Managing Partner, Diafora, France

Speakers:

Russ Hagey, Worldwide Chief Talent Officer and Partner, Bain & Company, USA Jean-Michel Steg, Managing Director, Citi, France

Moderators:

Olivier Marchal, Managing Director, Bain & Company, France Virginie Robert, Journalist, Les Echos, France

Travel by Air France

Comfort and well-being on board of Air France

Speaker:

Patrick Rodriguez, Medical Advisor and Vice-President, Air France Corporate Medicine,

	France
	Women for Education Education, cultures and traditions (in French only)
	Speakers:
	Dominique Blanchecotte, Chief Representative, Fondation d'Entreprise La Poste, France Sihem Habchi, President, Ni Putes Ni Soumises, France Chekeba Hachemi, Minister Counsellor, Afghanistan Embassy in Paris; President, Afghanistan Libre, Afghanistan
	Moderator:
	Marie-Françoise Colombani, Editorialist, Magazine ELLE, France
	Women's Health Cancer in women
	Speaker:
	Françoise Meunier , Director General, European Organization for Research on Cancer, Belgium
	Moderator:
	Julia Harrison, Managing Partner and Founder, Blueprint Partners, Belgium
13:30 – 15:15 Plenary Hall 2	Plenary Luncheon
hosted by CITI	Creating trust through a «values-added» foreign policy: How we should look at the moral imperative despite the pressures of realpolitik
	Bernard Kouchner, the Minister of Foreign and European Affairs for France has a unique background as co-founder of Doctors Without Borders (MSF) and Doctors of the World. Since his appointment in the French cabinet he has injected a new sense of dynamism – and even activism – in the French foreign policy. He will provide his insights into how the Foreign policy of a major country should be able to integrate humanitarian and human rights concerns into the defense of national interests and the global action for stability. Are there ways to reconcile the moral imperative and the pressures of realpolitik?
	Keynote:
	Bernard Kouchner, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs, France
	Moderator:
	Deborah Hopkins , Senior Advisor and Managing Director, Markets and Banking, Citi, USA
15:30 – 15:45 Plenary Hall 1	Award Ceremony
Tionary Hall I	Women for Education
	The Women's Forum, the Elle Foundation and the Magazine Elle have founded the « Women for Education » project, with the support of the NGO Aide & Action, Renault and the Fondation d'Entreprise La Poste. This socioeconomic project aims to develop the education for girls and women all over the world and its' objective is to identify and support replicable initiatives. The announcement of the result and the endowment of a check of €100,000 to the winner voted by all the Forum participants will now take place.
	With:
	Jean-Paul Bailly, Chairman of La Fondation d'Entreprise, La Poste, France Carlos Ghosn, President and CEO, Renault, France; President and CEO, Nissan, Japan

	Valérie Toranian, Editor in Chief, Elle Magazine; Vice President, Fondation d'Entreprise Elle, France Aude Zieseniss de Thuin, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, The Women's Forum for the Economy and Society, France
15:50 – 17:50 Plenary Hall 1	Plenary debate Transparency, Trust and Truth
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	The rise of civil society has created an irresistible pressure for transparency, sparing no institution or corporation. The prevailing notion today is that the public has the "right to know" almost anything and everything, from the sourcing of products that we consume to the salaries of senior executives, or the private lives of public officials. Corporations and institutions alike are trying to meet this expectation, as they realize this is now the necessary attitude and the best policy to build the trust of their stakeholders and constituency so crucial to the success of their activities. But is transparency always synonymous with truth? What should be the limits – if any – to this demand for transparency? How to manage people's expectations? How should corporations and public personalities respond when and if they feel that a limit has to be put? Business leaders and public personalities share their views and experiences on one crucial challenge for leadership in a lively debate.
	Speakers:
	May Chidiac, Journalist, Lebanon Samuel DiPiazza, Global CEO, PricewaterhouseCoopers International, USA Carlos Ghosn, President and CEO, Renault, France; President and CEO, Nissan, Japan Deanna Oppenheimer, CEO, Barclays, UK Hu Shuli, Founding Editor, Caijing magazine, China Rama Yade, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and Human Rights, France Moderator:
	Christine Ockrent, Journalist and Author, France Télévision, France
17:50 – 18:15 Plenary Hall 1	Conclusion
	What do we take home?
	Aude Zieseniss de Thuin, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, The Women's Forum for the Economy and Society, France
18:15 – 19:00 Foyer of the CID	Farewell reception

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