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**FIRST
WORLD FORUM
VIRTUAL SPACE FOR DIALOGUE AND REFLECTION
"A place for dialogue and reflection on the road to equality
to make visible, raise awareness and rethink the role of women notaries"**

THE ROLE OF WOMEN NOTARIES IN THE 21ST CENTURY

Technical information

Simultaneous interpretation in English, French and Spanish.
Times: 12:00-15:00 CET (Rome time)
On social networks, please use #UINL4Women

FIRST VIRTUAL MEETING – THURSDAY 27 JANUARY 2021

Opening speech

"The presence of women in the exercise of the notarial public function"

[Historical developments.](#) [Legal steps.](#) [Conciliation of work and family life.](#)

Not. Dra. Cristina N. ARMELLA, President of the UINL

Theme I - Women notaries, an example of ethical values

[The consideration of values in the development of the notarial public service.](#)

[Ethical and moral values.](#)

[The values that should prevail in any legally organized society.](#)

[Higher and fundamental values such as justice, solidarity, legal security, social peace and the common good.](#)

[The value of equality on all continents.](#)

Speakers:

Africa: Fatou MBALLO-THIAM (Senegal) – *Land security through titling for women's empowerment*

America: Adriana CUELLAR (Colombia)

Asia: NGUYEN Thi Tho (Vietnam) - *Overview of the women rights in the tradition and the development of the law in Viet Nam*

Europe: Elona SALIAJ (Albania) - *The role of the notary in the prevention of social conflicts*

Good notarial practice for gender equality in land ownership and control

Special Guest: Ms. Rumyana Tonchovska, Senior Land Administration – IT Officer, Inclusive Rural Transformation and Gender Equality Division, Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN (FAO).

Theme II - Women notaries and training

Continuing education as a principle of the Latin Notariat

What is the view on the development of notarial education in the different continents.

Women's leadership and academic power.

Leadership in promoting quality in educational institutions.

The role of women in teaching and research in law and more particularly in notarial law and its related branches.

Speakers:

Africa: Régine DOOH COLLINS (Cameroon) - *Creation of the Master II Notarial Law in Niamey*

America: Christine MORIN (Quebec) - *Teaching and research in law schools*

Asia/Europe: Corinne DESSERTENNE-BROSSARD (France) – *Learning about French and Chinese law in the context of France/China exchanges*

Asia: Zhang Mo (China) - *China Female Notary Training*

Europe: Sabrina BELLONI (Italy) - *Testimony on the contribution of the UNM training*

Questions and answers

Examples of the women notaries present: tools applied, difficulties encountered, challenges overcome, etc.

SECOND VIRTUAL MEETING – THURSDAY 24 FEBRUARY 2022

Welcome remarks

Not. Dra. Cristina N. ARMELLA, President of the UINL

Theme III - Women notaries and human rights

The representation of women in international human rights instruments.

Women's access to and contribution to social progress.

The fight against all forms of human rights violations.

With a particular focus on the protection of vulnerable people.

Speakers:

Europe: Almudena CASTRO-GIRONA (Spain) – *President of the UINL Human Rights Commission*

Africa: Yolande FOLDAH (Ivory Coast) - *Rural land, women and social cadets in vulnerable situations*

America: Karina SALIERNO (Argentina) - *Vulnerability, intersectionality and violence against women. Legal tools for the protection of women's human rights.*

Women notaries and the elderly/the minors

Special Guest:

Anne DE MATHAREL, Head of the gifts and life insurance programme for UNICEF France - *The collaboration of notaries with UNICEF on their "Legacy Program"*

Nietta KEANE, The Hague Conference – *HCCH 2000 Convention on the Protection of Adults*

Theme IV - Women's leadership in the notarial field

The characteristics of female leadership.

Women as agents of transformation.

Women's leadership in the notarial field.

Overcoming structural, cultural and social, external and internal barriers.

Women's leadership is linked to the progress of the notarial institution, collegiate organizations and UINL itself.

Speakers:

Europe: Valentina RUBERTELLI (Italy) – *Commission “Pari Opportunità” of the Italian National Notarial Council*

Africa: Mahoua KONE (Ivory Coast)

America: Special guest Mrs. Olga Sánchez Cordero, President of the Senate (Mexico)

Asia: Prita SUYUDI (Indonesia)

Questions and answers

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CONCLUSIVE VIRTUAL MEETING - TUESDAY 8 MARCH 2022

3 hours

Welcome remarks – 10 min

Not. Dra. Cristina N. ARMELLA, President of the UINL

Presentation of findings and good practices for each theme – 1 hour

Theme I - Women notaries, an example of ethical values - *15 min*

Adriana CUELLAR (Colombia)

Theme II - Women notaries and training - *15 min*

Regine DOOH-COLLINS (Cameroon)

Theme III - Women notaries and human rights - *15 min*

Almudena CASTRO-GIRONA (Spain)

Theme IV - Women's leadership in the notarial field - *15 min*

Prita SUYUDI (Indonesia)

UINL and gender – 1 hour

Europe - Lionel GALLIEZ, UINL Vice-President for Europe and Lovro TOMASIC (Germany) - *Notaries for gender equality in land ownership and control - 15 min*

Asia - Hideo TAKASAKI, President of the Asian Affairs Commission 2022 - *15 min*

America - Guillermo ESCAMILLA NARVÁEZ, President of the Mexican Notariat - *15 min*

Africa - Abdelhamid ACHITE-HENNI, Vice President for Africa - *15 min*

Special Guest: Mgda. Paula Maria Garcia Villegas Sanchez Cordero, Magistrate of the Third Collegiate Tribunal in Civil Matters of the First Circuit, Mexico City, Federal Judiciary (Mexico) - *15 min.*

Questions and answers - 20 min

Closing speech - 15 min

"Women's leadership as an agent of transformation".

Neuroleadership, collaborative thinking, sustainability, problem detection and signs of the future. Towards building a new leadership. The vision of gender binary leadership in equality. The necessary balance of leadership between men and women. All this for the benefit of future generations and in coincidence with the UINL 2048 strategic plan, one hundred years after its creation.

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