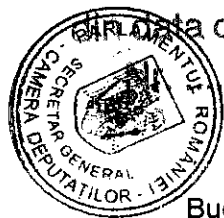


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Cabinet Secretar General**

MEMORANDUM INTERN

De la: Cristian Adrian Panciu, Secretar general al Camerei Deputaților
Către: Biroul permanent al Camerei Deputaților
Tema: Participarea la Summit-ul de vară 2014 al Forumului Global al Femeilor din Parlamente (Kigali, Rwanda, 1- 3 iulie 2014)

În perioada 1-3 iulie 2014, la Kigali, va avea loc Summit-ul de vară 2014, organizat de către Forumul Global al Femeilor din Parlamente (WIP), în cooperare cu Parlamentul din Rwanda.

Forumul Global al Femeilor din Parlamente (WIP) este o fundație independentă, internațională și non-partizană, stabilită cu scopul de a promova dezvoltarea societății prin construirea unei rețele a femeilor parlamentare. Summit-ul de la Kigali va reuni femei parlamentare din toată lumea, politicieni și activiști cu scopul de a le oferi o perspectivă la prima mână asupra societății din Rwanda, cu un accent special pe emanciparea socială, economică și politică a femeii.

Lucrările Summit-ului de Vară al WIP 2014 vor fi deschise de către Președintele Camerei Deputaților din Rwanda, doamna Donatille Mukabalisa. De asemenea, vor mai lua cuvântul doamna Silvana Koch-Mehrin, fondatoarea WIP, precum și domnul Lamin Manneh, coordonatorul ONU pentru Rwanda. Vor fi organizate vizite de teren în colaborare cu Ministerul egalității de gen din Rwanda, Banca Mondială, PNUD și UN Women, precum și alți parteneri ai WIP, care vor oferi participanților perspective unice privind proiectele locale model pentru egalitatea de gen și emanciparea femeilor.

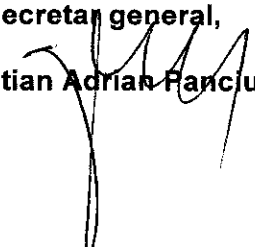
Subiectele propuse spre dezbatere sunt: egalitatea de gen în politică și rolul său în schimbările sociale; importanța Constituțiilor și a legislației în stabilirea egalității de gen și în procesul de emancipare al femeilor; Obiectivele de Dezvoltare ale Mileniului 2015: impactul Femeilor parlamentare; rolul femeilor în procesul de pace, reconciliere și securitate.

Din partea Camerei Deputaților, la această acțiune a fost nominalizată să participe doamna deputat **Andreea Maria Paul (PDL)**.

Acțiunea are caracter parlamentar conform art. 3, alin. e), al HBPr 1/2003, modificată și completată prin HBPr 5/2007.

Propunem:

- să se aprobe participarea doamnei deputat Andreea Maria Paul la această acțiune ;
- deplasarea să efectueze cu avionul, la clasa bussiness, pe ruta București–Kigali și retur, cu plecare în data de 30 iunie a.c, ora 07.10, (KL1372) și întoarcere în data de 6 iulie, ora 13.15 (KL 1373) conform traseului anexat;
- să se acorde drepturi de diurnă, categoria a II-a, 100%, pentru 6½ zile, cazare plafon B, pentru 5 nopți la hotelul recomandat de organizatori, conform programului reuniunii, precum și un avans de 20% cu decontare ulterioară;
- suportarea din avansul cu decontare ulterioară a eventualelor cheltuieli legate de acordarea vizei pentru Rwanda;
- sa se aprobe suportarea din bugetul Camerei Deputaților a sumei de 1000 RON reprezentând contravaloarea vaccinurilor necesare pentru această deplasare;
- decontul cheltuielilor să se facă la întoarcerea în țară, pe baza documentelor justificative.

Secretar general,

Cristian Adrian Păncu

PARLAMENTUL ROMÂNIEI
CAMERA DEPUTAȚILOR
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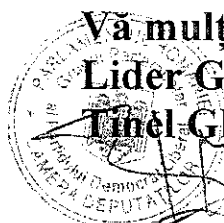
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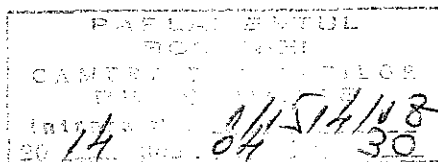
Către : BIROUL PERMANENT AL CAMEREI DEPUTAȚILOR

Grupul Parlamentar al Partidului Democrat Liberal din Camera Deputaților, vă aduce la cunoștință că doamna deputat Andreea Maria Paul va participa la Summit-ul de vară 2014, care se va desfășura la Kigali în Rwanda, în perioada 1- 3 iulie 2014.

PARLAMENTUL ROMÂNIEI
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Vă mulțumesc,
Lider Grup PDL,
Tinel Gheorghe





Parlamentul României
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THE SPIRIT OF WOMEN IN PARLIAMENTS: ADVANCING SOCIETY

Women in Parliaments
Global Forum



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Brussels, April 2014



Dear Speaker,

Building up on the success of the Annual Summit 2013 of the "Women in Parliaments Global Forum" (WIP), when for the first time all female Parliamentarians worldwide were invited to gather in a unique conference and to discuss with Heads of State, Nobel Peace Prize Winners and Intergovernmental Institutions, WIP is now inviting the Parliamentarians to its "Summer Summit 2014" in Kigali, Rwanda from 1 to 3 July 2014.



Allow me to address you today in your capacity as Speaker of the Chamber of Deputies of Romania in order to kindly invite you to set up a delegation of female Members of your Parliament to participate in the WIP Summer Summit 2014.

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The event will be held in cooperation with the Parliament of Rwanda, which for the first time in its history will open its plenary for a conference of female Parliamentarians from around the world. On Friday, 4 July 2014, the day after the summit, all participants will also be invited to take part in the official celebrations of the 20th anniversary of the Liberation Day of Rwanda.



Rwanda is the country with the highest percentage of female Parliamentarians - 64% of the seats are held by women. In the election of 2008, Rwanda became the first country to have a majority of women in its Parliament. The WIP Summer Summit 2014 will give participants first-hand insights into Rwandan society, with a special focus on female social, economic and political empowerment.

The WIP Summer Summit 2014 will be opened by the President of the Chamber of Deputies of Rwanda and a large number of prominent speakers for the Keynote Speeches and Panel Discussions have already confirmed their participation.



Field Visits organised in cooperation with the Ministry of Gender of Rwanda, the World Bank, UNDP and UN Women as well as other Partners of WIP will give participants unique insights into local projects exemplary for gender equality and female empowerment. A Gala Dinner will complement the formal parts of the summit and contribute to the event's unparalleled occasion for female members of Parliament to meet and exchange ideas with the aim of advancing society.

A "Save the Date" has been recently sent to all female members of national Parliaments, of which there are approximately 9000 worldwide. Formal invitations will follow in the coming weeks. We will be sending you a draft programme via email shortly. Further updates and information can be found on the event website at: <http://www.wip-gf.net/events/wip-summer-summit-2014-rwanda>.

It would be a great honour and indeed a strong signal if a delegation of female Parliamentarians from your Parliament would join the WIP Summer Summit from 1 to 3 July 2014 at the Parliament of Rwanda in Kigali. It would be tribute to your Parliament's and your country's dedication to gender equality and to advance society by encouraging female participation in politics.

I sincerely hope that I have succeeded in illustrating the unique occasion the WIP Summer Summit 2014 in Rwanda would provide for **the female members of your Parliament to spread their voices to the world and gain insights to leading ideas in decision-making.**

In keen anticipation of your answer,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Silvana Koch-Mehrin', written in a cursive, flowing style.

Silvana Koch-Mehrin

Founder of the Women in Parliaments Global Forum (WIP)
Former Vice-President of the European Parliament



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Hon. Silvana Koch-Mehrin

Founder of the Women in Parliament
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Dear Honorable,

RE : WIP STUDY TRIP TO RWANDA

I refer to the letter ref.n°167/P/CD/ADV/ME/2014 of 18 February 2014 by which I confirmed to you that Rwanda Community accepted to host the WIP Study Trip from 25 to 27 June 2014 and to the email sent to you on March 17, 2014 related to the changes in dates of the Study Trip which is confirmed to take place from 1st to 3rd July 2014 to enable the delegates to attend the 20th anniversary of the Rwandan Liberation Day scheduled on 4th July, 2014.

Thus, I reiterate my confirmation on the new dates of this WIP Study Trip which is an incomparable opportunity for all of us to share experience in transforming society and empowering women between female parliamentarians from different countries. I also cordially invite all delegates in WIP Study Trip to the 20th anniversary of the Rwandan Liberation Day.

Looking forward to hearing from you, please accept, Dear Honorable, the assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.


Donatille MUKABALISA
Speaker of the Chamber of Deputies

CC:

- Rt.Hon. President of the Senate
- Hon. Deputy Speaker (both)
- Madam Clerk of the Chamber of Deputies

Kigali

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Bruxelles, Aprilie 2014

Stimate domnule Președinte,

În continuarea succesului reprezentat de Summit Anual din 2013 al "Forumului Global al femeilor din Parlamente" (WIP), când pentru prima dată toate femeile parlamentare din întreaga lume au fost invitate să participe la o conferință unică și să discute cu șefi de state, câștigători ai Premiului Nobel pentru Pace și cu reprezentanți ai instituțiilor interguvernamentale, **WIP invită acum parlamentarii să participe la „Summit-ul de vară 2014”, care se va desfășura la Kigali, în Rwanda, în perioada 1-3 iulie 2014.**

Permiteți-mi să mă adresez dumneavoastră în calitate de Președinte al Camerei Deputaților din România cu scopul de a **vă invita să desemnați o delegație formată din femei membre ale Parlamentului care să participe la Summitul de vară din 2014 al WIP.**

Evenimentul va fi organizat în cooperare cu Parlamentul din Rwanda, care pentru prima dată în istoria sa își va deschide sala de plen pentru o conferință a femeilor parlamentar din întreaga lume. Vineri, 4 iulie 2014, în următoarea zi după summit, toți participanții vor fi de asemenea invitați să participe la celebrarea oficială a celei de-a 20-a aniversări a Zilei Independenței Rwandei.

Rwanda este țara cu cel mai ridicat procentaj de femei parlamentare - 64% din locurile din Parlament sunt ocupate de femei. În urma alegerilor din 2008, Rwanda a devenit prima țară ai cărei membri ai Parlamentului sunt în majoritate femei. **Summit-ul de Vară din 2014 al WIP va oferi participanților o perspectivă la prima mână asupra societății din Rwanda, cu un accent special pe emanciparea socială, economică și politică a femeii.**

Lucrările Summit-ului de Vară din 2014 al WIP vor fi deschise de către Președintele Camerei Deputaților din Rwanda. Un număr important de personalități care vor susține prezentări și vor participa la dezbateri tematice au confirmat deja participarea la acest eveniment.

Vizite de teren, organizate în colaborare cu Ministerul egalității de gen din Rwanda, Banca Mondială, PNUD și UN Women, precum și alți parteneri ai WIP, vor oferi participanților perspective unice privind proiecte locale care pot constitui modele pentru promovarea egalității de gen și a emancipării femeilor.

Un dineu de gală va fi organizat în cadrul Summit-ului și va permite femeilor parlamentare să se întâlnească și să facă schimb de opinii, cu scopul de a contribui la dezvoltarea societății.

A fost transmisă recent o scrisoare de informare privind această reuniune tuturor membrilor de Parlamente, aproximativ 9000 la nivel global. Vor fi transmise invitații oficiale în următoarele săptămâni. Vă vom transmite, în scurt timp, un proiect de program pe e-mail. Informații suplimentare sunt disponibile pe site-ul: <http://www.wip-gf.net/events/wip-simmer-summit-2014-rwanda>.

Ar fi o deosebită onoare și ar constitui un semnal puternic dacă o delegație de femei parlamentare din Parlamentul dumneavoastră ar participa la Summit-ul de vară al WIP, în perioada 1-3 iulie 2014, la Parlamentul Rwandei din Kigali. Participarea delegației de femei ar constitui un tribut adus implicării Parlamentului și a țării dumneavoastră în problematica egalității de gen și dezvoltării societății prin încurajarea participării femeilor în politică.

Sper sincer că am reușit să ilustrez faptul că participarea la Summit-ul de vară WIP ar constitui o ocazie unică pentru femeile membre ale Parlamentului dumneavoastră de a fi auzite la nivel global și de împărtăși idei de primă importanță în procesul de luare a deciziilor.

În așteptarea unui răspuns din partea dumneavoastră,

A dumneavoastră,

Silvana Koch-Mehrin

Fondatoarea a Forumul Global al Femeilor din Parlamente (WIP)
Fostă Vicepreședintă a Parlamentului European



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WOMEN IN PARLIAMENTS GLOBAL FORUM

SUMMER SUMMIT 2014

1 - 3 JULY 2014
PARLIAMENT OF RWANDA
KIGALI, RWANDA

4 JULY 2014
OFFICIAL CELEBRATIONS OF THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
LIBERATION DAY OF RWANDA



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EVENT OVERVIEW

The Women in Parliaments Global Forum (WIP) is organising its 3-day "Summer Summit 2014" in Rwanda from 1 to 3 July 2014.

The event will be held in cooperation with the Parliament of Rwanda, which for the first time in its history will open its plenary for a conference of a group of female Parliamentarians from around the world. On Friday, 4 July 2014, the day after the WIP Summer Summit, all participants will be invited to take part in the official celebrations of the 20th anniversary of the Liberation Day of Rwanda.

20 years after the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi, Rwandan society has experienced an extraordinary process of state building. One of the important measures taken to reunite society was female empowerment, particularly in politics, "ensuring that women are granted at least thirty per cent of posts in decision making organs" (Article 9.4, Constitution of the Republic of Rwanda). As a result, 64% of Parliamentarians in Rwanda are women. Since the election of 2008, Rwanda is the first country to have a majority of women in its Parliament.

The WIP Summer Summit 2014 will give participants first hand insights into Rwandan society, built on the values of gender equality and female social, economic and political empowerment. Participants will be meeting with Ministers, Parliamentarians, business women and men, academics and societal stakeholders.

Field Visits organised in cooperation with the Ministry of Gender and Family Promotion of Rwanda and International Organisations such as the World Bank, UNDP and UN Women, and Partners of WIP will give participants first hand insights about the impact of a high percentage of women in Parliament on society.

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TUESDAY, 1 JULY

- 08:30 **Arrival and Registration**
Parliament of Rwanda
- 09:00 **OPENING CEREMONY AND WELCOME WORDS**
Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda
- Speech by HE Donatille Mukabalisa, President of the Chamber of Deputies of Rwanda**
 Speech by Silvana Koch-Mehrin, Founder Women in Parliaments Global Forum (WIP)
 Speech by Mr Lamin Manneh, UN Resident Coordinator in Rwanda
 Speech by Guest of Honour
- 10:00 **GROUP PHOTO WITH ALL PARTICIPANTS**
In front of the Parliament Building
- 10:30 **Tea / Coffee Break**
- 11:00 **SCREENING OF DOCUMENTARY FILM "RWANDAN ACHIEVEMENTS IN WOMEN EMPOWERMENT"**
Plenary, Chamber of Deputies of Rwanda



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11:15

PANEL I - INTERACTIVE PLENARY SESSION

Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda

"Gender Balance in Politics and its role in societal change"

"If one woman is a leader, it changes her. If many women are leaders, it changes society." Michelle Bachelet, President of Chile

The statistics are clear and alarming. According to the Inter Parliamentary Union (IPU) just about 20% of Parliamentarians worldwide are women. In the 21st century this is difficult to justify. In our discussions, we want to look at the societal and cultural implications if a balance were to be achieved. The specific role of female political empowerment in Rwanda, the global champion with 64% of its Parliamentarians being women, as well as other outstanding examples from around the world will be highlighted. We will reflect on the effect of gender balance in political decision-making. Which impact does a higher representation of women in parliaments have on society? Are the effects measurable? And how will we get there?

Keynote

Panel Discussion

- 2 Rwandan Representatives
- 2 WIP Representatives

13:00

Lunch

14:15

PANEL II - INTERACTIVE PLENARY SESSION

organised by Partner Organisations

"The Impact of Constitutions and Legislation to establish gender equality and enable women empowerment"

Empowering women, be it in politics, the economy and society, requires a broad set of tools, especially to act on the cultural foundations that lead to gender discrimination or marginalization. The tool of the highest legal order is to enshrine gender equality and women empowerment directly in the constitution of a country. This is an important step towards ensuring that states eliminate gender-based discrimination and advance women's rights. As diverse as the people they govern, constitutions set out principles and rules for inalienable rights and duties. If and how these texts include gender has an impact on women.



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Many countries have enshrined gender equality and specific women's rights and women empowerment in their constitutions.

The UN Women Constitutional Database provides an important overview of the inclusion of women's rights in constitutions in different countries. Which countries have enshrined women's rights in the constitution? Has this been effective in promoting women empowerment? Are there concrete examples in legislation or societal change how this has helped to improve the situation of women? Which lessons can be learnt?

Keynote

Panel Discussion

- 2 Rwandan Representatives
- 2 WIP Representatives

16:00 Tea / Coffee Break

16:30 **VISIT TO KIGALI GENOCIDE MEMORIAL CENTRE**
Gisozi, Kigali Rwanda

The Kigali Genocide Memorial Centre commemorates the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi population of Rwanda. The Centre is built on a site where over 250,000 people are buried in mass graves. The Centre is a permanent memorial to those who fell victim to the genocide. It has several permanent exhibitions and helps the visitor of Rwanda to acquaint themselves with the tormented history of the country. The Centre serves as a place for remembrance, reconciliation and grieving. It also constitutes a clear sign of "never again".

18:15 Transfer to hotels

19:30 **WELCOME DINNER AND CULTURAL PERFORMANCES, HOSTED BY
THE PARLIAMENT OF RWANDA**
Serena Hôtel, Boulevard de la Révolution, Kigali 250, Rwanda



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WEDNESDAY, 2 JULY

FIELD VISIT DAY

A multitude of international organisations are present in Rwanda, cooperating with the Government of Rwanda in the conceptualisation and implementation of Programmes for health, education and the empowerment of women.

The WIP Summer Summit "Field Visits" - in cooperation with the hosting Parliament, World Bank, UNDP and UN Women - will provide participants with first-hand insights into local projects exemplary for gender equality and female empowerment in business, society, public institutions, research facilities, etc. Such on-site visits should break with gender-stereotypes, showcase extraordinary achievements and provide inspirations for participants to foster similar initiatives in their home country.

Field Visits organised by WIP Partner Organisations

**The World Bank
UNDP
UN Women
Parliament of Rwanda
Ministry for Gender and Family Promotion of Rwanda**

09:00	Departure from Hotel to different Field Visit locations
13:30	Lunch in different Field Visit locations
14:30	Continuation of Field Visits
17:00	Return to Hotel
	Individual evening programme & dinner at hotels

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THURSDAY, 3 JULY

8:30 Arrival at the Parliament of Rwanda

9:00 **INTERACTIVE PLENARY SESSION**
Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda

Opening by **HE Donatille Mukabalisa**, President of the Chamber of Deputies of Rwanda

- Recap of Day 2 and Report from Field Visits
- Short Statements by Delegations
- Question and Answer Session

10:30 Tea / Coffee Break

11:00 **PANEL II - INTERACTIVE PLENARY SESSION**
Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda

"Post 2015 Millennium Development Goals: the Impact of Female Parliamentarians" – including a Special Session on the Rights of the Girl

At the end of 2014, the UN General Assembly will discuss the report of its Secretary General on the outlines of the post-2015 Development Goals. Our Panel is timely to take into account the priorities that female Parliamentarians wish to see included in the report. We will also discuss how to improve the accountability and acceptance of the UN's Development Goals outside the UN bodies. Which specific role can female Parliamentarians play in achieving the desired results of the post-2015 period? Can women in Parliaments have a specific impact in their definition and implementation? What are the lessons learnt from the current challenges, opportunities and possibilities of the Millennium Development Goals, to improve the impact of the post-2015 Development Goals?

The 11th of October of each year marks the International Day of the Girl Child. Girls need specific protection and enforcement of their right to equal treatment. We want to appraise examples with regard to the girl child's right to



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education, personal integrity and development. How can barriers be overcome? What societal changes have to happen to fully recognize girls? More specifically, today's girls will be the next generation of female Parliamentarians if they can reach out to these role models. How to open the doors for more future female Parliamentarians? What legislation and other action can secure the rights of the girl?

Keynote

Panel Discussion

- 2 Rwandan Representatives
- 2 WIP Representatives

12:30

PANEL III - INTERACTIVE PLENARY SESSION

Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda

"The Role of Women in Peace, Reconciliation and Security"

Women and children are the most vulnerable victims in time of conflicts and war. 14 years after the United Nations Security Council passed Resolution 1325 on increasing women's participation in matters of global security, the numbers of women participating in peace settlements remain marginal. Women remain underrepresented in public office, at the negotiating table, and in peacekeeping missions. As the UN said recently "representation in parliament is critical to ensuring that women's concerns are taken into account in countries rebuilding after war".

Rwanda's specific involvement of women in its process of societal change can in this respect serve as an outstanding example of female leadership in peace and reconciliation.

The United Nations Institute of Peace has identified some best practices to increase women's participation. They include deployment of gender-balanced peacekeeping units, a whole-of-government approach to security sector and judicial reform, and more intentional solicitation of the input of women at the community level on priorities for national budgets and international programs. What are the next steps required to effectively enforce the UN resolution? What is the specific role of female parliamentarians? What are the best practices to be shared at global level?



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Keynote

Panel Discussion

- 2 Rwandan Representatives
- 2 WIP Representatives

Closing Remarks

- HE Jean Damascene Ntawukulirayo, President of the Senate of Rwanda

13:30 Press conference by WIP & Officials of the Parliament of Rwanda
Plenary, Parliament of Rwanda

13:30 Farewell Lunch including exhibition by Rwandese Women Cooperatives and Associations
In front of the Parliament Building

FRIDAY, 4 JULY

All participants will be invited to take part in the official celebrations of the 20th anniversary of the Liberation Day of Rwanda.

8:00 Pick up by bus at the hotels

Assembly of all participants at the Parliament of Rwanda and common transfer to the Amahoro Stadium.

10:00 Liberation Day Ceremony
Amahoro Stadium, Kigali

12:00 End of Ceremony and transfer back to the hotels



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Updated information about the WIP Summer Summit can be found on the conference website at: <http://www.wip-gf.net/events/wip-summer-summit-2014-rwanda>

To register for the WIP Summer Summit

Please use the online form: <http://tinyurl.com/wiprwanda> or send an email to rwanda2014@wip-gf.net. You can also call the WIP Office at +32 27 33 13 44

PLENARY DEBATES

In the framework of WIP Summer Summit 2014, Plenary Debates will bring together 4-6 panellists, each renowned experts or practitioners in their field from politics, society, business and academia (host country and internationally). Introductory remarks by panellists strictly limited to 5 minutes. A short panel discussion follows, after which the floor will be opened to all participants. Plenary Debates are chaired by a Member of Parliament and moderated by a journalist.

FIELD VISITS

The WIP Summer Summit "Field Visits" - in cooperation with the hosting Parliament, World Bank, UNDP and UN Women - will provide participants with first-hand insights into local projects exemplary for gender equality and female empowerment in business, society, public institutions, research facilities, etc. Such on-site visits should break with gender-stereotypes, showcase extraordinary achievements and provide inspirations for participants to foster similar initiatives in their home country.

FUTHER INFORMATION

- Article by Donatille Mukabalisa, Hon Speaker of the Chamber of Deputies, Rwanda Parliament: <http://www.wip-gf.net/news/rebuilding-rwanda-how-women-are-leading-way-article-donatille-mukabalisa-hon-speaker-chamber>
- Speech by Donatille Mukabalisa at the WIP Annual Summit 2013: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6ryxbUt2sTU>
- Award Ceremony for Rwanda at the WIP Annual Summit 2013: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hFIB0A-nbHs>
- Film "Celebrated a Success Story": <http://vimeo.com/85805009>

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