



Women Mean Business

Thursday 6th October 2016

Dolmen Hotel – Bugibba

Moderator for the conference: Angele Giuliano

Agenda:

08.45 – 9.00: Registration

9.00 – 9.15: **Introduction by female business organisations:** National Council of Women, Foundation of Women Entrepreneurs and Maltese Association of Women in Business

9.15 – 9.45: Motivational Speaker - Debbie Tully

9.45 – 10.45: **Panel Discussion: Best Practices**

- Roselyn Borg - lawyer that has set up her own boutique law firm
- Stephanie Borg - a self-taught artist and surface pattern designer from Malta that practices her profession both locally and abroad
- Claudine Cassar - extensive experience leading digital transformation projects, with particular emphasis on the public sector, telecommunications sector and banking sector
- Stephanie Falzon - President of the Business & Professional Women Malta organisation and director at Falzon's Bathrooms & Ceramics
- Claire Cassar - CEO of HAUD and has vast mobile sector experience dating back to 2002

10.45 – 11.15: Coffee Break

11.15 – 12.30: Break-out Sessions

Breakout Session 1: Access to Finance

Moderator: Lorna Farrugia

Rapporteur: Josianne Gauci

With interventions from; Pierre Theuma – Malta Enterprise, Mark Scicluna Bartoli & Victoria Azzopardi – BOV, Matthew Caruana – ZAAR Crowd-Funding Platform

Breakout Session 2: What's in it for me?

Moderator: Doris Sammut Bonnici

Rapporteur: Maryrose Francica

With interventions from; Sandra Zammit - Smoochies and Leonie Baldacchino - University of Malta

Breakout Session 3: Marketing and Innovation

Moderator: Angele Giuliano

Rapporteur: Mary Gaerty

With interventions from Anamaria Magri Pantea, Managing Consultant, ASCEND CONSULTING

Breakout Session 4: Scaling up your business (including internationalisation)

Moderator: MBB – Jo Caruana

Rapporteur: Grace Attard

With intervention from Mark Pizzuto - Trade Malta and Brigitte Tanti - EEN

12.30 – 13.00: Reporting back in plenary

13.00 – 13.15: Concluding Speech by Hon. Minister Cardona

13.15 onwards: Networking lunch during which a number entities/departments and banks have been invited to be present so that that participants present for the conference can ask specific questions and queries

Registration is free of charge and be done on; [Conference Registration](#)