

**Invitation for an ESPI-ESA
Evening Event**

**DIVERSITY AS A
GROWING PRIORITY
IN INTERNATIONAL
ORGANISATIONS**

Wednesday 20 February 2019
18:30 - 21:30
ESPI, Vienna, Austria

About this Evening Event

Diversity is not only a moral need to support minorities or a legal requirement for equal treatment and non-discrimination, but it also represents an opportunity and an asset for many – if not all – institutions. As our societies have become more diverse today than ever before, focusing on and strongly committing to the promotion of the values of diversity becomes compelling.

In this evening event, organised by ESPI with the support of ESA, speakers from major international organisations will discuss the case for greater diversity, and the challenges and opportunities related to increasing women's involvement in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) fields, as well as enhancing gender balance and diverse representation in international organisations.

Programme

18:30 - 19:00	Welcome and Registration
19:00 - 19:10	Introductory Remarks by Jean-Jacques Tortora , Director, European Space Policy Institute (ESPI)
19:10 - 19:30	Keynote Speech by Simonetta Di Pippo , Director, United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA)
19:30 - 19:45	Ersilia Vaudo , Chief Diversity Officer, European Space Agency (ESA)
19:45 - 20:00	Amarsanaa Darisuren , Senior Gender Adviser, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE)
20:00 - 20:15	Ursula Till-Tentschert , Deputy Head of Unit Technical Assistance & Capacity Building, EU Agency for Fundamental Rights (EU FRA)
20:15 - 20:30	Panel Discussion with the Audience
20:30 - 21:30	Buffet Reception

Venue

European Space Policy Institute (ESPI)
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