

WOMEN IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM & EXHIBITION 2019

THEME: Trends and Business Opportunities for Women in the Supply Chain in East Africa

Date: 17-19 June 2019 Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel, Upper Hill, Nairobi, Kenya

SPECIAL MASTERCLASS: 17 JUNE 2019













INTRODUCTION

An efficient supply chain is the backbone of the company's bottom line. According to research by Deloitte, the presence of women in supply chain management positions organisations for sustainable and profitable growth. Furthermore, women in supply chain create the engine of job creation in Africa.

The upcoming Women in Supply Chain Management Symposium and Exhibition 2019, themed "Trends and Business Opportunities for Women in the Supply Chain in East Africa" will address the challenges facing procurement and supply chain stakeholders in the region, coupled with thought-provoking insights into current and future opportunities for female professionals and entrepreneurs in the industry. The event will bring together women as well as leading male champions and change agents and promises to provide a diverse and inclusive platform for procurement stakeholders to share their experiences, insights, career and business opportunities as well as best-practices.





AIM

Advancing business and career opportunities for professional women within the procurement and supply chain functions and activities and highlight the need to include women as important stakeholders in the implementation of East African Development plan.

BENEFITS

The symposium promises to provide a platform for a unique platform for supply chain opportunities including:

- Access to career and professional opportunities
- Access to procurement opportunities,
- Access to a pool of procurement ready suppliers,
- Access to funding opportunities
- Access to appropriate financial products and services,
- SME technical and business development support services



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OBJECTIVES

- To create an unparalleled networking platform connecting women and stakeholders in East African as well as other African regions.
- To promote the inclusion and diversity in order to drive performance and profitability of organisations in the East African region.
- To present various career, business and funding opportunities within the supply chain industry across the region.

TARGET PARTNERS:

- Public & Private sector corporations,
- Development partners,
- Multi sectorial projects,
- SMEs.
- Industry and Professional Associations,
- Government Agencies,
- Ministries & Regulatory bodies,
- Civil Society,
- Funding Institutions, Education Institutions





WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Senior leaders and decision makers in private and public corporations,
- Ministers and other Government leaders
- Business owners and entrepreneurs,
- policy makers,

REGISTRATION FEE:	US\$
Full attendance to Forum and Exhibition	
•Early bird (30 April 2019)	US\$250
•Normal registration (after 30th April)	US\$350
Exhibition space only	US\$150
Exhibition and Attendance at symposium	
•Early bird (30 April 2019)	US\$350
•Normal registration (after 30th April)	US\$500
Full day Master class	US\$165





Forum to include high profile panels such

- Panel on procurement opportunities from different stakeholders in the region
- Panel on financial and non-financial services available
- Panel on education opportunities and other support programs available for women professionals.
- Panel on job opportunities from companies looking to recruit
- Panel on Policy makers and government agencies etc.

MASTER CLASS IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

These unique sessions will equip participants with exceptional tools to advance their business and career opportunities for professionals within the procurement and supply chain functions and activities. The classes will run in partnership with industry experts and academic institutions. There will be four (4) classes:

For beginners: For female professionals looking to pursue a successful career in supply chain management.

For SC professionals (Advanced): Supply chain female professionals hungry for career growth will be equipped with tools to deliver superior managerial performance with significant business impact.

For Entrepreneurs: A crash course on becoming procurement ready and tips for a deeper collaboration and engagement with stakeholders.

For corporations: This session will provide useful tips on how to improve the supply chain policies and integrate a gender lens into the supply chain and enterprise development strategy, supplier codes of conduct, due diligence approach and sourcing practices.



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