



EWMD – AN INTERNATIONAL NETWORK
BUILT BY WOMEN FOR WOMEN IN MANAGEMENT



EUROPEAN WOMEN'S
MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT
INTERNATIONAL NETWORK



EWMD – THE VISION

Women and men can influence, form society and economy equally, with equal responsibilities. They open their knowledge and experience to companies and institutions thus creating great value-added. As leading powers they have room for achievement and creativity and also personal interests. Work-life balance and the reconciliation of children and career are crucial – for all.

EWMD inspires women, men and organisations to be more diverse, open and supportive in the development of new career patterns for women and men.

IMPROVEMENT OF MANAGEMENT

EWMD sees keystones in innovative management and ethical responsible trade to achieve entrepreneurial sustainable success. With new developments, methods and experiences on this topic the members come into intensive debate at regional, national and international events, congresses, as well as in our own working groups, cross-mentoring programmes and specific power teams. The special EWMD spirit is full of determination, personal engagement and open exchange. The EWMD network is questioning and vigorous in its attempt to live its visions actively.

EWMD ACTIVITIES

NETWORKING

Experience exchange
Support and consultancy throughout the career
Business contacts



LEARNING

Regular events in regional groups
National and international conferences
Mentoring and study trips



INFORMING

Research into women in leading positions
Studies
Publications and press work

ENRICHMENT THROUGH DIVERSITY

EWMD brings together people from all kinds of branches and professions, all forms of enterprises, large and small, institutes and institutions, culture and society. The group welcomes both men and women, employed and self-employed. Membership is open to all who have reached the top or are on the way to an executive position and who are ready to learn and contribute to the group. This, in turn, provides a solid base to achieve the EWMD goals and provide mutual support.

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EWMD CORPORATE MEMBERS

EWMD does not only open to individual members, it also offers corporate membership. Thereby, companies which are active in supporting the goal of incorporating and shaping more qualified women in their structures, can also join in. More than 20 global enterprises are already EWMD members. We form own work groups to address company specific issues. Together, we initiate strategies and activities. Studies and investigations are carried out which promote the participation and importance of women in leading positions and proactively present them to the public. ■

REGIONAL, NATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL ...

EWMD – an international network built by women for women in management – is an open business network with over 800 members – individual and corporate – worldwide. A global board supports the international exchange between 26 membership states. The international association is bound to its European origins and the declaration to support equal opportunities and diversity in a global economy.

... VIRTUAL

Proof of the network's efficiency can be clearly seen on the EWMD internet platform. All members can meet virtually to enjoy productive exchange be it on a regional or a global level. Information flow, decisions or business talks, are carried out quickly and smoothly. Developing links to international experts – including those in EWMD – mean a constant expansion of the network as a pool of international contacts and competences supporting women in management.

AMSTERDAM, ATHENS, BARCELONA, BELGRADE, BERLIN, BERN, BODO, BONN, BRUSSELS, CAPE TOWN, COLOGNE, DRESDEN, DUBLIN, DÜSSELDORF, FRANKFURT, GÖTEBORG, GRAZ, HAMBURG, HELSINKI, HONG KONG, INNSBRUCK, ISTANBUL, LE PECQ, LEIPZIG, LINZ, LISBON, LONDON, LUXEMBOURG, MILAN, MUNICH, NÜRNBERG, NEW YORK, OSLO, PARMA, PHILADELPHIA, RIGA, ROME, SALZBURG, SINGAPOR, SOPHIA, ST. GALLEN, STOCKHOLM, STUTTGART, ULAANBAATAR, VILNIUS, VIENNA, ZÜRICH

ORIGIN AND GOALS

EWMD was developed in 1984 through the unification of European Business Schools EFMD (European Foundation for Management Development). The main goal is to achieve more visibility and the participation of qualified women in leading positions in commerce and society. Quality levels in management can thus be raised and enriched through women.

EWMD CORE ISSUES

- women in leading positions
- management topics and business leadership
- leadership styles and best practices
- work-life balance
- role models for high potentials
- life-styles of successful women

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