



## SEMINAR PROGRAM

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### *Women in labor law and work-family life balance in the MENA region*

Madrid, November 25<sup>th</sup> 2010

#### **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

##### **9.30 - 10.00 a.m. Welcome Greetings**

**Mr. Percival Manglano.** General Director of Development of Madrid Autonomous Community.

**Ms. Laura López de Ceraín.** General Director of Immigration and Development of Madrid City Council.

**Ms. Macarena Cotelo.** President of READI and Director of Projects of Foundation for the Social Promotion of Culture (FPSC).

**Ms. Jumana Trad.** Director of Tribunes and Seminars of Casa Árabe-IEAM and member of the Executive Committee of the Centre of Studies for Middle East of FPSC (CEMOFPSC).

##### **10.00 - 11.00 a.m. Opening speech. Labor law and work-family life balance in the MENA region. Situation and problems**

**Ms. Jocelyne Khoueiry.** Founder Member and President of "La Libanaise-Femme du 31 Mai". Lebanon.

**Moderator: Ms. Macarena Cotelo.** President of READI and Director of Projects of FPSC.

##### **11.00 - 11.30 a.m. Coffee break**

**11.30 - 13.30 a.m. Round table. Labor law and work-family life balance: Proposals to improve. Immigration, integration and labor market: the role of education**

***Ms. Hanan Madanat.*** Academic Supervisor of Latin Patriarchate schools of Jerusalem in Jordan.

***Mr. Fadi Moujaes.*** General Director of Arc-en-ciel. Lebanon.

***Mr. Ayoub Ben-Ali.*** Member of the Board of Directors of READI and President of Appui aux Initiatives de Développement. Tunisia.

***Ms. Begoña Casas.*** Coordinator of the area of cooperation for development and co-development of Professional Immigration and Cooperation School (EPIC) for the Department of Immigration and Cooperation of the Community of Madrid.

**Moderator: *Ms. Jumana Trad.*** READI President of Honor.

**13.30 - 14.30 p.m. Visit to the Casa Árabe headquarters in Spain**

**14.30 - 15.30 p.m. Lunch at Casa Árabe**

**16.30 - 17.30 p.m. IX READI General Assembly**

***Place: NH Alcalá Hotel (C/Alcalá 66)***

**Chairs the board of the READI:**

***Ms. Macarena Cotelo.*** President of READI and Project Director of FPSC. Spain.

***Ms. Malika Ben Mahi.*** Vice president of READI and President of Association Marocaine pour la Promotion de la Femme Rurale. Morocco.

***Mr. Youssef El Khalil.*** Vocal of READI and President of Association d'Aide au Développement Rurale. Lebanon. Represented by Mr. Ali Ezzedine.

***Ms. Nancy Sadiq.*** Vocal of READI and the Palestinian Center for the Dissemination of Democracy and Community Development. Palestine.

***Mr. Ayoub Ben Ali.*** Vocal of READI and President of Appui aux Initiatives de Développement. Tunisia.

***Ms. Ana Luz Huete.*** Vocal of READI and President of Foundation DASYC. Spain. Represented by Teresa María Pérez Payán.

***Ms. Andrea Vigevani.*** Vocal of READI and General Secretary of Institute for University Cooperation. Italy. Represented by Mr. Fernando Moreno.

**At the table: *Mr. Fernando Moreno.*** Executive Director of READI. Spain.

**20.00 p.m. Discussion Dinner**

***NH Alcalá hotel (C/Alcalá 66)***

## **READI MEMBERS:**

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1. **Malika Ben Mahi.** Association Marocaine pour la Promotion de la Femme Rurale. Morocco.
2. **Juliana Najem.** Association Libanaise pour le Développement de la Culture. Lebanon.
3. **Fady Moujaes.** Arc en Ciel. Lebanon.
4. **Ali Ezzedine.** Association d'Aide au Développement Rural. Lebanon.
5. **Nabil Moawad.** Fondation René Moawad. Lebanon.
6. **Hanan Moawad.** Fondation René Moawad. Lebanon.
7. **Sukaina Salameh.** Vocational Technical Training Committee. Lebanon.
8. **Khalil Shiha.** Palestinian Agricultural Relief Committees. Palestine.
9. **Nancy Sadiq.** Palestinian Center for the Dissemination of Democracy and Community Development. Palestine.
10. **Abelrahman Tamimi.** Palestinian Hydrology Group. Palestine.
11. **Humam Khzouz.** Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem. Palestine.
12. **Georges Odeh.** Diyar Consultants. Palestine.
13. **Francesca Attaguile.** Association ARCES. Italy.
14. **Andrea Vigevani.** Institute for University Cooperation Italy.
15. **Pablo Llano.** Centre for Studies and solidarity with Latin American. Spain.
16. **Álvaro Baños.** International Cooperation. Spain.
17. **M<sup>a</sup> Antonia Pelufo.** Foundation Rode. Spain.
18. **M<sup>a</sup> Luisa de la Oliva.** Foundation Albihar. Spain.
19. **Juana María Navarro.** Foundation Canfranc. Spain.
20. **Irene Domínguez.** Foundation Canfranc. Spain
21. **Isabel Redondo.** Foundation Cauce. Spain.
22. **Isabel Lorenzo.** Foundation Cume. Spain.
23. **Ana Luz Huete.** Foundation Dasyc. Spain.
24. **Macarena Cotelo.** Fundación Promoción Social de la Cultura. Spain.
25. **Isabel Londres.** Foundation Syad. Spain
26. **Jaume Casals.** Instituto de Educación Continua. Universidad Pompeu Fabra. Spain.
27. **Iñaki Díaz.** ONAY. Spain.
28. **Juan Arbulú.** ONAY. Spain.
29. **Valentina Qussisiya.** Jordan River Foundation. Jordan.
30. **Ayoub Ben Ali.** Appui initiatives de développement. Tunisia.
31. **Abdelkarim Chida.** Foundation el Kef pour le développement regional. Tunisia.
32. **Mohamed Salek.** Association de développement environnement et communication. Mauritanie.
33. **Félix Sánchez Broco.** READI.
34. **Hanan Madanat.** Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem in Jordan.

### ***READI Members of Honor:***

35. **Claudette Habesch.** Caritas Jerusalem. Palestine.
36. **Sami el Youssef.** Pontifical Mission. Palestine.
37. **Jumana Trad.** President de Honor of READI.

### ***FPSC MEMBERS:***

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38. **Pilar Lara.** President of FPSC. Spain.
39. **Mónica Bohigues.** General Secretary. Spain
40. **Teresa María Pérez.** Member of the board of FPSC. Spain.
41. **Juan Kindelán.** Department of Foreign Affairs. Spain.
42. **Roberto Aguado.** Department of Projects. Spain.
43. **Ricardo López.** Department of Projects. Spain.
44. **Valle Oñate.** Department of Projects Spain.
45. **Lucía Recarte.** Department of Projects Spain
46. **Enric Roig.** FPSC in Beirut. Lebanon.
47. **Lucía García Gilabert.** Department of Documentation. Spain.
48. **María Abellanas.** Department of Volunteers. Spain.
49. **Carmen Seoane.** Department of Projects. Spain.
50. **Irene Pérez Acín.** Department of law. Spain.
51. **Blanca de Mesa.** Department of. Institutional Relations. Spain.

### ***OTHER GUESTS:***

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52. **Mr. Percival Manglano.** General Director of Development of Madrid autonomous Community.
53. **Ms. Laura López de Ceráin.** General Director of Immigration and Development of Madrid City Council.
54. **Ms. Begoña Casas.** Coordinator of the area of cooperation for development and co-development of Professional Immigration and Cooperation School (EPIC) for the Department of Immigration and Cooperation of the Community of Madrid.
55. **Mr. Mahdi Mlika.** President of Network Méditerranéen pour le développement durable (AREMEDD). Tunisia.
56. **Mrs. Noor Asem.** Jordan.
57. **Mr. Javier Gila.** Director of Asociación AIDA. Spain.
58. **Rawan Masaa'deh.** Johud. Jordanie.