



GENDER EVENTS AT CG-17

All delegates to the Seventeenth World Meteorological Congress (CG-17) are cordially invited to attend the following side events and demonstrate support to advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women.

26 May

Launch of the UN Interagency Women's Leadership Programme "Women in Diplomacy: The Leading Role of Women in Weather and Climate Contexts"

17:30-19:00, Salle 1

A high-level panel discussion involving senior representatives of UN partner organizations, ambassadors and other members of the diplomatic community.

Interpretation in Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish

5 JUNE: GENDER DAY AT CG-17. MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

5 June: Gender Day

Gender Working Breakfast

8:00-9:15, Espace Léman

A facilitated discussion of gender issues in terms of governance, education and training, service provision, careers, women's leadership. Specific focus will be placed on identifying challenges, good practice, and proposed actions for the Gender Action Plan.

Tea, coffee, juice and small pastries will be offered.

*Pre-registration required online or at Reception Desk. Limited seats available.
Working language: English (no interpretation available)*

5 June: Gender Day (continued)

Gender Information Event

“The Benefits of Gender Equality in Weather and Climate Services”

12:45-13:45, Salle 1

Speakers and rapporteurs from the Conference on the Gender Dimensions of Weather and Climate Services (Geneva, 5-7 November 2014) will synthesize the essence of the Conference outcomes as well as highlight interesting stories, trends and examples.

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Gender Advocates Café

Bar area (look out for the *Gender Advocates Café* poster)

A lounge area for networking, sharing views, and exchanging ideas on promoting gender equality and the empowerment of women.

Gender Exhibits

We invite you to visit the [WMO Exhibition \(ground floor\)](#) and the [Multimedia Corner \(1st floor\)](#) where printed and video materials on WMO’s work on gender equality and the empowerment of women will be displayed.

6 June

Women’s Leadership Workshop

13:30-18:30, Espace Léman

The workshop will build the leadership skills and capacities of a small group of female senior delegates.

Access restricted to nominated participants only.

Working language: English and French (no interpretation available)

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