



European Women Lawyers Association

The Voice of Women Lawyers Across Europe

INVITATION – Special event at the Court of Justice of the European Union – International Women’s Day!

From the President- Katharina Miller
Dear member,

It is with real pleasure that we would like to invite you to this truly special occasion providing the opportunity to meet judges and visit the Court of Justice of the European Union that has contributed to such a considerable extent to the development of our Gender Equality Acquis until today. We are glad to have our member – Mrs. Mariyana Kancheva – Judge from the General Court of the European Union as keynote speaker on the “Les femmes dans la jurisprudence de la Cour de Justice Européenne”.

When: March 9th 2020

Where: Court of Justice of the European Union, Luxembourg

Address: Boulevard Konrad Adenauer, L-2925 Luxembourg

Entrance: Visitor entrance - rue Charles – Léon Hammes

Programme:

- 09.00-09.30 – Visitor entrance - rue Charles-Léon Hammes (Security-check)
09.30-09.45 – Opening speech - **Ms. Katharina Miller** - President of EWLA
09.45-10.00 – Welcome introductions:
– **Ms. S. La Puerta** (Vice-President of the Court of Justice of the European Union) (video-conférence)
– **Mr S. Papasavass** (Vice-President of the General Court of the European Union)
- 10.00-10.30 – “*La femme dans la jurisprudence de la Cour de Justice de l’Union européenne*”- **Ms. Mariyana Kancheva** - Judge from the General Court of the European Union
10.30-11.00 – “*The equal opportunities and diversity policy of the Court of Justice of the European Union*” **Ms. I. Lossidou**, "Equal opportunities" delegate of the CJEU (Administrator in the Human Resources and Personnel Administration Directorate)
11.00-11.30 – Coffee break
11.30-12.00 – “*Benevolent sexism and its impact on the professional performance of women*” **Ms. I. Lossidou**, "Equal opportunities" delegate of the CJEU (Administrator in the Human Resources and Personnel Administration Directorate)
12.00-12.30 – “*The contribution of the (organised) civil society to the promotion of women’s rights at EU level*” – **Ms. Elisabeth Kotthaus**, Founding President of EWLA and Head of Unit for Social Affairs, Passenger Rights & Equal Opportunities in the Directorate- General for Mobility and Transport (DG MOVE), European Commission
12.30-12.40 – Questions/discussion
12.40-12.50 – Closing speech from **EWLA member**
13.00-14.30 – Working Lunch (CJEU Members and speakers) – With the intervention of Ms. **A. Prechal** “**Thème à préciser**” (President of chamber of the Court of Justice of the European Union)
14.45-15.45 – Visit of the Art Exposition in the CJEU

We are looking forward to seeing you there!

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The European Women Lawyers Association (**EWLA**) is registered in Belgium as an International Non-profit Association (**AISBL**)

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