



Diversity in the labour force. Female participation in the business sector

Forum on the occasion of the visit to Norway by J-Win

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Moderator: Mr. Svend Haakon Kristensen, Regional Director Asia, Innovation Norway

Opening and Greetings

- 09:00 **Mr. Svein Oppegaard**, Executive Director for Labour market and Social affairs, Confederation of Norwegian Enterprise (NHO)
- 09:15 **Ms. Elisabeth Aspaker**, Minister of Fisheries,
- 09:30 **Ms. Tomomi Sakai**, Richoh Company Ltd.
- 09:40 **Ambassador Toshio Kunikata**, Japanese Ambassador to Norway

Key Messages and short discussion sessions

- 09:50 Presentation and short discussion session by **Ms. Anita Krohn Traaseth**, CEO, Innovation Norway
The CEO perspective + advice.
- 10:30 *Short break*
- 10:45 Presentation and short discussion session by **Mr. Trond Riiber Knudsen**. Chairman and CEO of TRK Group AS.
- 11:25 Presentation and short discussion session by **Ms. Linda Kayser**, Group HR Director, Skanska Norge AS.
«Diversity & Inclusion - what it is and why it is important for the business»
- 12:00 Buffet Lunch
- 12:45 Presentation and short discussion session by **Ms. Yvonne Fossler** HR Director, Innovation Norway. Self management + advice
- 13:30 Presentation and short discussion session by **Ms. Silviya Seres**, Independent Investor and Board Member. The Board Member Perspective
- 14:20 Short break
- 14:35 Presentation and short discussion session by **Ms. Kristina Jullum Hagen**, Project Director The Female Future Program. Confederation of Norwegian Enterprise (NHO)
Learnings from the Female Future Program

Concluding remarks

- 15:10 **Ms. Yukako Uchinaga**, Board Chair J-Win (Japan Women's Innovative Network)