Women in Data Conference

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Date: 23 February 2019
Venue: Hotel Himalaya, Kupondole

08:30 Registration and Data Info & Job Mart  Himalaya Hall

Registration and stalls with information from data organizations

09:00 The Multiplier Effect: Women & Data  Himalaya Hall

Why Data is the Future and Women Should be Part of it
• Opening by the Data for Development in Nepal Program
• Key note speech by Ms. Meghan Nalbo, Country Representative, The Asia Foundation

09:15 Move Over: Women Leaders in Data  Himalaya Hall

Panel discussion on how women are breaking through the glass ceiling by breaking down the numbers

• Moderator: Ms. Shuvechha Ghimire, Research Manager, Interdisciplinary Analysts
• Panelists:
  • Dr. Pranita Upadhyay: Programme Leader, MSc IT and Research Coordinator, The British College
  • Ms. Jyoti U. Devkota (PhD): Professor of Statistics, School of Science, Kathmandu University
  • Dr. Sambriddhi Kharel: Sociologist
  • Dr. Prativa Pandey: Founder and CEO, Catalyst Technology Pvt. Ltd.
  • Ms. Avasna Pandey: Editorial Page Editor, The Kathmandu Post
**10:15**  
**Why Sex Matters - Gender Statistics in Nepal**  
*Himalaya Hall*  

- Interactive presentation on Factfulness and Gender Statistics by Ms. Fernanda Drumond, Head of Operations, Gapminder Foundation

**Panel Discussion on counting women in by making them visible in statistics in Nepal**

- Moderator: Ms. Srijana Nepal: Program Research Officer, The Asia Foundation
- Panelists:
  - Ms. Rosy Shakya: Statistics Expert
  - Ms. Bhumika Shrestha: Transgender Activist
  - Dr. Meena Acharya: Gender Expert and Economist
  - Mr. Bivek Joshi: Monitoring, Evaluation, and Strategic Partnership Officer, UN Women Nepal

**11:15**  
**Break in Himalaya Hall**

*Tea, coffee, cookies with time to peruse the Data Info and Job Mart*

**11:30**  
**Bridging the Digital & Data Divide: Women in Technology**  
*Himalaya Hall*

**Panel discussion on when technology, women and data meet**

- Moderator/Panelist: Ms. Sumana Shrestha
- Panelists:
  - Ms. Sushma Giri: Board Member, Women Leaders in Technology
  - Ms. Binita Shrestha: CEO, Women in STEM
  - Ms. Samita Kapali: Co-Founder, Green Growth Group Pvt. Ltd.
  - Ms. Sweta Karna: Director of Data Operations, Deerwalk

*Announcement of Open Data Fellowship – Women Edition by Open Knowledge Nepal*

**12:40**  
**Lunch with Women from the Open Data Community in Nepal**

*Lunch with time to network with women working in data*
**Data Sessions**

**13:30  Data Session 1a) and 1b)**

1 a) How to Prepare Yourself for a Data Future  
Skyline Hall  
‘A Soft Skills/Professional Development Session’ by Ms. Sweta Karna – Director of Data Operations, Deerwalk.

This will include sessions on CV formulation, interview practices and job applications, plus the announcement of the ‘Open Data Fellowship Women’s Edition’ by Open Knowledge Nepal

1 b) Women Using Data for Social Good  
Rato Baithak Hall  
‘Lightening Talks by Women from the Open Data Community in Nepal’

Brief Introduction to the concept of open data, D4D website and Open Nepal page followed by lightening talks by women from the open data community:

- Freedom Forum  
- Kathmandu Living Labs  
- Foundation for Development Management  
- Women in Stem  
- YUWA

**14:30  Break**

*Tea, coffee, cookies and time for networking*

**14:45  Data Session 2a) and 2b)**

2 a) Comfortable with Numbers – Statistics  
Skyline Hall  
*Session Lead: Ms. Rosy Shakya, Statistics Expert*

2 b) How to Prepare Your Paper Using Social Research Methodology  
Rato Baithak Hall  
*Session Lead: Ms. Shuvechha Ghimire, Interdisciplinary Analysts*
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Annex I Women in Data Trainings

| Trainings (24th February – 27th February) at Dhokaima Café, Patan |

**First Phase (2 days)**
- Social Research Methodology
- Mapping Gender Statistics using OSM
- Comfortable with Numbers - Statistics

**Second Phase (2 days)**
- Data Analysis with SPSS (PSPP)
- Data Analysis with Excel
- Visualizing Gender Data and Statistics