INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY 2020
Strong Women - Strong European Union

Friday, 6 March 2020
09:00 - 11:00
Council of the EU, Europa Building, Press Room
Rue de la Loi 155, 1048 Brussels

PROGRAMME

Moderator: Ivana Dobrotić, Associate Professor of Comparative Social Policy at University of Zagreb, Faculty of Law, Department of Social Work, Social Policy Unit (Croatia)

Arrival / registration and breakfast
9.30 – 9.40 Welcome
• Reijo Kemppinen, Director General Communication and Information, General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union
• Irena Andrassy, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative of Croatia

9.40 – 9.50 Helena Dalli, European Commissioner for Equality

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• Paul Reiderman, Director for Employment, Social Policy and Health, Council of the European Union
• Snežana Samađić-Marković, Director General of Democracy, Council of Europe
• Carlien Scheele, Director, European Institute for Gender Equality
• Dubravka Šimonović, UN Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women
• European Parliament (speaker TBC)

10.40 – 10.55 Q&A

10.55 – 11.00 Closing remarks