



**Business and Professional  
Women International  
BPW Asia Pacific**



Bahrain International Federation Of Business & Professional Women  
الجمعية العالمية للتجارة والاعمال والمهنيين العربيين

# BPW

## **ASIA PACIFIC REGIONAL CONFERENCE**

**Economic Empowerment of Women and Young Entrepreneurs**

**5 November – 9 November 2023**  
**Gulf Hotel, Kingdom of Bahrain**



## 2023 NOVEMBER

### Activity:

**05  
SUN**

- Arrival of delegations to the hotels (Gulf hotel /Ramada hotel) Morning | Evening
  - Registration of Delegates 15:30 - 19:00
  - Reception Dinner at the Bahrain International Federation of Business & Professional Women Centre (ANDALUS GARDEN) Entrepreneurs Centre (National Dress) 19:30
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### Activity:

**06  
MON**

- Reception & registration of all delegates at the venue 9:00 - 9:45
- Flag Parade with Presidents of countries participating in the conference 9:45 - 10:00
- Official opening of the BPW International Asia Pacific Regional Conference 2023 10:15 - 11:00
- **High Level Panel 1**
  - Topic: " Global Prospects and Initiatives for Economic Empowerment of Women and Promoting Entrepreneurship towards realizing the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals)" 11:00 - 12:00
- Coffee Break 12:00 - 12:30
- **Key Note Speech**
  - Economic Empowerment of Women through Supporting Entrepreneurship 12:30 - 12:45
- **High Level Panel 2**
  - Topic: Economic Empowerment of Women through promoting Women on Boards and Career Development 12:45 - 13:45
- Group Photo 13:45 - 14:00
- Lunch 14:00 - 15:00
- **BPW Business Session I** 15:00 - 17:00
- Coffee Break 17:00 - 17:30
- **Culture Evening / Dinner:**
  - Asia-Pacific countries in traditional dress and performance (light and fun evening event) 19:00 - 21:00
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# EVENT SCHEDULE



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**07  
TUE**

**Activity:**

- Breakfast of BPW International President and Young BPW attendees 7:00 - 8:30
  - **High Level Panel 3**
    - Economic Empowerment of women through Financial Inclusion and Women Empowerment Principles (WEPs) .and Government Procurement 9:00 - 10:00
  - **High Level Panel 4**
    - Successful Stories 10:00 - 11:00
  - Coffee Break 11:00 - 11:30
  - **BPW Business Session II** 11:30 - 13:00
  - Sightseeing to Almuhrraq with lunch for delegates 13:30
  - Bahrain Cultural Evening 18:00
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**08  
WED**

**Activity:**

- **High Level Panel 5**
  - Empowering Women through promoting Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 9:00 - 10:00
- **High Level Panel 6**
  - Gender Equality and Climate Justice, Investment in Green Growth Strategies, Renewable Energy and Blue Economy 10:00 - 11:00
- Coffee Break 11:00 - 11:30
- Leaders' Summit & Closing Remarks 11:30 - 13:30
- Lunch 13:30 - 14:30
- Sightseeing event for attendees/delegates and partners to see more of Bahrain sights 14:30 - 17:00



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### Activity:

**08  
WED**

- Sign in to attend BPW International Asia-Pacific Presidents' Meeting 14:30 - 15:00
  - **BPW International Asia-Pacific Presidents' Meeting (invitation only)** 15:00 - 17:00
    - Welcome Messages
    - Plan & Progress Reports
    - Presentations
    - BPW Business Matters
    - Asia-Pacific Committee
  - Coffee Break 17:00 - 17:30
  - **Gala Dinner:** 19:30
    - Thank you/acknowledgments
    - Farewells
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### Activity:

**09  
THU**

- Departure of Delegates
- Optional Post Conference Tours



<p><b>- Registration fees (what does this include?)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Early birds (before 30 <b>August</b> 2023) After <b>August</b> 2023</li><li>• If you want to pay through bank transfer, kindly note that you will be charged with extra 10% VAT or pay directly to your BPW president to avoid VAT charges</li></ul>	<p>EURO 550</p> <p>EURO 600</p>
<p><b>• Airport transfer (FROM AND TO )</b></p>	<p>EURO 100</p>
<p><b>• VISA fees</b></p>	<p>EURO 100</p>



### **GULF HOTEL - Conference Venue**

Accommodation in 5-star hotel  
Amount includes all events and Meals

<b>Registration fees for the Asia Pacific conference</b>	<b>Room price per person</b>	<b>Conference fees</b>	<b>Total</b>
Single room with breakfast in (5 star hotel)	1000 EURO	600 EURO	1600 EURO
Double room with breakfast for 2 ppl ( each person 1200 Euro)	600 EURO	600 EURO	2400 EURO
Single room with breakfast in (4 star hotel)	700 EURO	600 EURO	1300 EURO
Double room with breakfast for 2 ppl (each person 1100 euro )	500 EURO	600 EURO	2200 EURO

### **RAMADA HOTEL**

Accommodation in 4-star hotel  
Near to the conference venue  
(walking or taxis?)  
**Amount includes all events and Meals**

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Single room with breakfast in (5 star hotel)	1000 EURO	600 EURO	1600 EURO
Double room with breakfast for 2 ppl ( each person 1200 Euro)	600 EURO	600 EURO	2400 EURO
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#### **The above prices includes:**

- Registration fees
- Room in five or four star hotel (4 nights 5 days ) with breakfast
- Reception dinner party for the participants
- Attending the opening ceremony and the panels in the conference
- Conference lunch on the first and second day
- Transportation for the conference
- Tours on the 7-8 November
- Gala dinner