



Social Enterprise
Development Centre

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON GENDER, WORK AND SOCIETY

CHALLENGES, OPPORTUNITIES AND PROSPECTS FOR WOMEN'S ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

CONFERENCE SCOPE

April 22-23, 2017

Our focus at this interdisciplinary conference is on women's economic participation and how patriarchal norms, social movements and globalization affect women's economic opportunities, and whether this actually translates into enhanced agency. The conference aims to bring together scholarship problematizing women's work, within and outside the household, in particular social, economic, political and historical contexts. The conference will present an interdisciplinary platform for participants to analyze and critique recent trends, innovations, and conditions related to gender, work and society, broadly defined. The conference aims to highlight both scholarship and praxis around gender, work and society, within the following themes:

- Critical approaches to understanding how and why we 'do gender'
- Gender, class and social movements
- Education and employment – connecting the missing dots
- Gender disparities in health and nutrition
- Women in sweatshops and the global supply chain
- Sexual harassment at the workplace
- Women entrepreneurship: challenges, opportunities and critiques
- Opportunities and limits of home based work as an emancipator
- Violence, work and public space
- Gender, power and global justice networks
- The politics and praxis of donor funded 'gender mainstreaming' and development

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Academics, postgraduate and research students, professionals from business organizations, professional associations and other interested parties.

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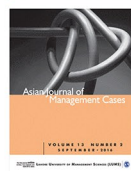
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Local Participants	PKR 5000
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Local Students	PKR 2,500

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