



# Women Leaders in Law

LISBON SUMMIT 2023



## GENERAL AGENDA OF WOMEN LEADERS IN LAW

**21 SEPTEMBER** Location: Portuguese Bar Association, at Largo de São Domingos, 14 – 1º

20:00 Welcome reception

**22 SEPTEMBER** Location: Portuguese Bar Association, at Largo de São Domingos, 14 – 1º

9:00 Registration

9:30 Opening speeches

10:15 **What is a perfect age to become the leader of your own life?** – speech by a special guest

10:30 **“To achieve justice, we need more women-leaders in justice!”**

10:45 **1<sup>st</sup> Roundtable on the Present and Future Challenges for Women – Leaders in Judiciary.**

*The speakers will discuss the ideas and possible strategies for the advancement of women in justice systems at the leadership, managerial and other levels. We will also attempt to identify hurdles that prevent women in judiciary to aspire to leadership positions.*

11:45 Coffee Break

12:00 **“The imperative of diversified teams of leaders in the public administration to promote just and inclusive society.”**

12:15 **2<sup>nd</sup> Roundtable on the importance of meaningful representation of women-leaders in the public administration.**

*The speakers will attempt to identify the factors that could help to increase the equal and full participation of women, including young women, in public administration at all levels and will share examples of good practices.*

*We will listen to the presentations on how women in different jurisdictions use their positions to advance development of peaceful and sustainable society.*

13:00 Lunch Break

14:15 **Women Heroes**

14:30 **“Overcoming barriers to Female Leadership”**

14:45 **3<sup>rd</sup> Roundtable on: Role of Women-Leaders in Lawyers’ Profession**

*In this panel discussion speakers will try to identify the key factors that allow for meaningful representation of women in leadership bodies such as: law firms’ management, executive bodies of bar associations, boards of international lawyers’ organization.*

*We will listen to amazing stories on the female lawyers’ journeys to leadership.*

15:45 **“The Future for Women -Leaders in Law is Bright!”**

16:00 **4<sup>th</sup> Roundtable on the Future of Women-Leaders in Legal Profession.**

*The speakers will debate on how automation might affect women in legal practice and the likely changes that legal tech (legal technology) will bring to the provision of legal services which could reduce the barriers to advancement that women face in the profession.*

*We will attempt to determine the future top trends for women in the legal profession and find out how to stand out and become the leader in your field of expertise?*

17:00 Coffee break

17:15 **Workshop on how to build your brand and become the rainmaker?**

17:45 Closing remarks

20:30 Dinner (optional)

**23 SEPTEMBER**

11:00 A walking tour at the Lisbon historical city