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WOMEN WAY FORWARD CONFERENCE 2025

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MITEC | 29 OCT | 8.00am
KUALA LUMPUR | 2025 | 5.00pm

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RATIONALE

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Women have been at the forefront of shaping industries, breaking barriers, and redefining leadership, especially in the building and construction value chain. Despite ongoing challenges, many have led organizations, driven innovation and influenced inclusive policies. This conference highlights their journeys sharing stories of resilience and achievement to inspire the next generation.

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OBJECTIVE

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To foster discussions on leadership strategies, organizational support and policy changes that can drive greater gender inclusivity and career progression for women.

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To create a platform for knowledge-sharing, mentorship, and networking among women professionals, industry leaders and policymakers.

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To showcase the success stories of women leadership building and construction value chain emphasizing their contributions, challenges, and achievements.

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To accelerate women's leadership in the built environment with strategies for career advancement, mentorship and skill development.

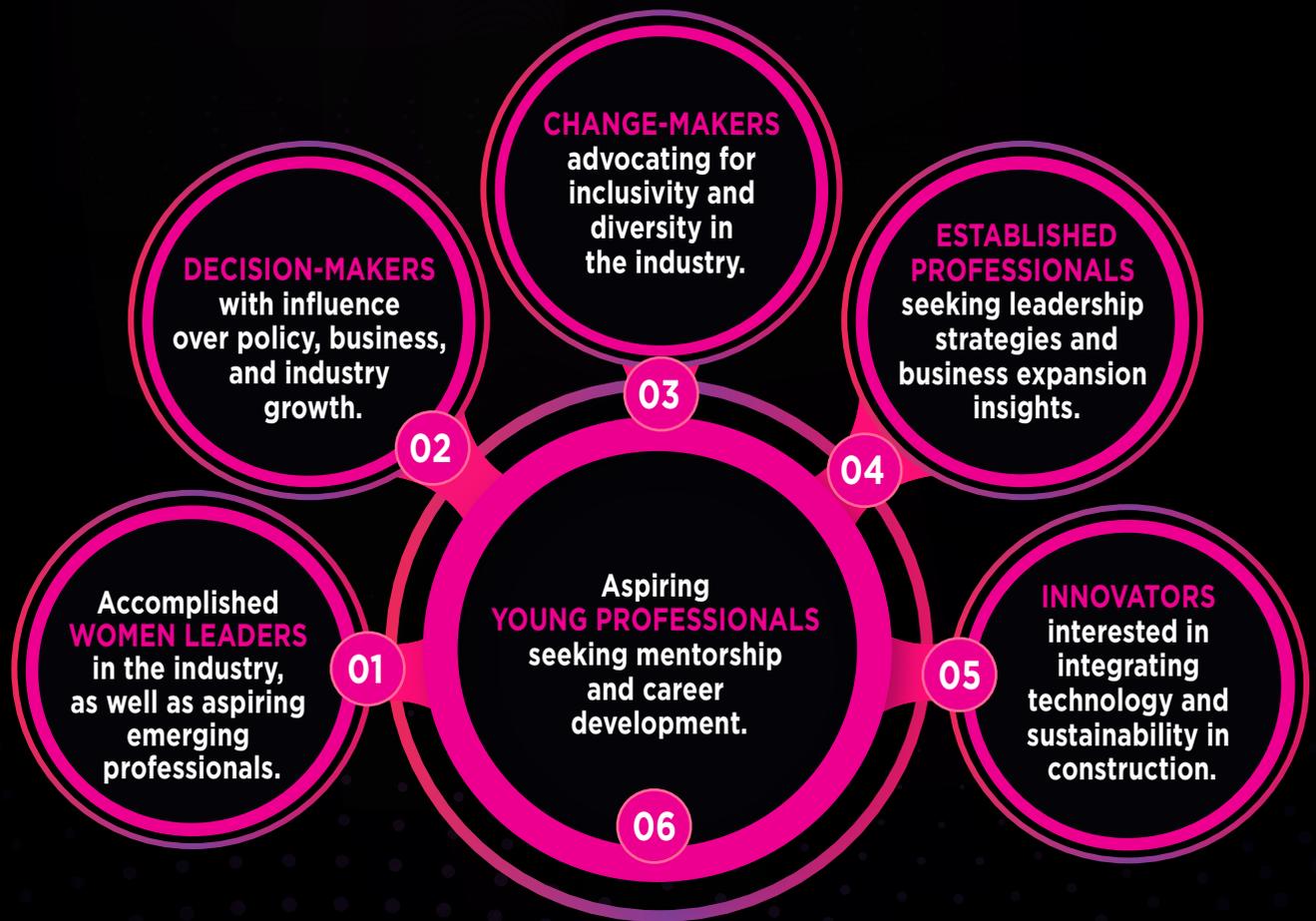
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To inspire and empower aspiring professionals through real-life experiences of resilience, innovation and leadership.

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WE WELCOME

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**OFFICIAL LAUNCHING CEREMONY
PROGRAMME**

BALLROOM 2, LEVEL 3, MITEC KL

- 8.00 am - 8.30 am : Participants Registration
Refreshments
- 9.00 am : Arrival of YB DATUK SERI DR AHMAD MASLAN
Minister of Works
- 9.10 am : Welcome Address by:
YBHG. AR. DATO' NAFISAH RADIN
President of Wanita Industri Binaan Malaysia
- Speech by:
YBRS MADAM ZAINORA BINTI ZAINAL
Chief Executive of CIDB Malaysia
- Official Launching Speech by:
YB DATUK SERI DR AHMAD MASLAN
Deputy Minister of Works
- Official Launching Gimmick
- 10.00 am - 5.00 pm : WOMEN WAY FORWARD (W2F) CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE PROGRAMME

PROGRAMME

Time	Session	Speaker(s)
8:00 AM - 8:45 AM	Registration & Welcome Coffee	
9:00 AM - 9:05 AM	MC Introduction & Negaraku	EMCEE ZALEHA
9:05 AM - 9:10 AM	Doa' Recitation	Ar. IDR. MUMTAZAH MUSTAJAB
9:10AM - 9:20 AM	Welcome Address by: Chairman of WIBM Organising Committee	DATO' AR. NAFISAH RADIN President of Wanita Industri Binaan Malaysia (WIBM)
9:20 AM - 9:35 AM	Speech by: " The Future of the Construction Industry in Malaysia "	MADAM ZAINORA BT ZAINAL Chief Executive of CIDB Malaysia
9:35 AM - 9:50 AM	Official Launching Speech	YANG BERTHORMAT DATUK SERI DR AHMAD MASLAN Deputy Minister of Works
9:50 AM - 9:55 AM	Women Way Forward (W2F) Conference Official Launching Ceremony	
10:00 AM - 10:25 AM	Special Keynote Address: From Conflict Zones to Global Platforms: A Woman's Journey in Leadership and Diplomacy	HER EXCELLENCY DR. BETTY OYELLA BIGOMBE Ambassador of Uganda to Malaysia
10:25 AM - 10:40 AM	Networking Short Break	
10:40 AM - 11:10 AM	Session 1: Leadership & Economic Transformation: Building Malaysia's Future	TAN SRI ABDUL WAHID OMAR Chairman of Cypark Resources Berhad Senior Independent Director of IOI Corporation Berhad
11:10 AM - 11:40 AM	Session 2: Women's Leadership in Education and Policy Reform: Building Inclusive Futures	PROF. EMERITA TAN SRI DATO' SERI DR. SHARIFAH HAPSAH SYED HASAN SHAHABUDIN President of National Council of Women's Organisation (NCWO)
11:40 AM - 12:40 PM	Forum A: Women Shaping ASEAN's Future: From Advocacy to the Built Environment	Moderator: SR. DR. WAN MAIMUN BT WAN ABDULLAH Director of Khalid Ahmad Architects Vice President, Association of Construction Project Managers Council, Khadijah International Waqaf Foundation Panelist: 1. HER EXCELLENCY AR. SITI ROZAIMERIYANTY BINTI HAJI ABDUL RAHMAN (Brunei - ASEAN) Secretary General of ASEAN Inter Parliamentary Assembly, Director and Principal Architect of Eco Bumi and Partners Sdn Bhd. 2. IBU MONIKA INDRIASARI (Indonesia) Director at TOWNLAND's Jakarta Office 3. AR. CHAN HUI MIN (Singapore) Founder of DP Urban, Director & Head of Green-Well-Tech (GWT), DP Architects, Co-chair of the Women's Leadership Initiative, Urban Land Institute Singapore
12:40 PM - 2:15 PM	LUNCH & BuiltXPO VISIT	BuiltXPO Exhibition Hall

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2:15 PM - 2:45 PM	Session 3: Shaping Cities, Shaping Futures: A Woman's Journey in Global Infrastructure	AR. DATUK TAN PEI ING Founder of PI Architect Advisor of Architects Regional Council Asia
2:45 PM - 3:15 PM	Session 4: Women in High-Stakes Industries: Leading with Power, Purpose & Perspective	DATUK NIK AIRINA NIK JAAFAR Managing Director of PLUS Malaysia Berhad
3:15 PM - 4:15 PM	Forum B: Women Leading Transformation: Finance, Property & Manufacturing	<p>Moderator: IR. DATUK ROSALINE GANENDRA Director at Ganendra Ahmad & Associates Sdn. Bhd. Independent Non-Executive Director at Southern Steel Berhad</p> <p>Panelist:</p> <p>1. YM TUNKU AFWIDA TUNKU A.MALEK Independent Chairperson of AHIB, Investment Panel Member of KWAP Malaysia</p> <p>2. DATUK NORAINI SOLTAN Founder & Managing Director, Sipro Plastic Industries Sdn. Bhd. (SPISB) Board Member of Malaysia Productivity Corporation</p> <p>3. MADAM NADIAH TAN ABDULLAH Chief Human Capital Officer (CHCO) of Malaysia Airports Holdings Berhad (MAHB)</p>
4:15 PM - 5:15 PM	Forum C: Leading Change, Building Futures: Inspiring Journeys that Shape a Better World	<p>Moderator: AR. ALMAZ SALMA RAHIM Founder & MD of Almaz Architect Sdn. Bhd.</p> <p>Panelist:</p> <p>1. DATIN DR (H.C.) HAJAH HARTINI BINTI OSMAN President & Group Managing Director of Prihatin Ehsan Holdings Sdn. Bhd. Chairman of Yayasan Bina Kesejahteraan (YBCare)</p> <p>2. DR SYAFRINA SHARIF Founder & CEO of TerraLestar International</p> <p>3. SIR. IBRAHIM SANI CEO of Yayasan Peneraju</p> <p>4. PN FARAH OTHMAN Director of Human Resources & Administration of TRX City Sdn. Bhd.</p>
5:15 PM - 5:30 PM	Appreciation & Closing Ceremony	DATO' AR. NAFISAH RADIN President of Wanita Industri Binaan Malaysia (WIBM)
5:30 PM	End of Event	

Please note that the list of speakers and the conference agenda are provisional and subject to change. The organizers reserve the right to make modifications to the program and speakers line up as necessary, in order to ensure the smooth and successful conduct of the conference.

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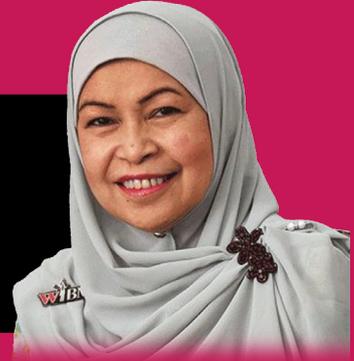
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