12:00-13:30 5th Plenary Session: Best Practices for Attracting Women to Careers in Engineering in the Arab States and Germany Speakers: Andrea Schäfer, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), University of Karlsruhe, Germany

Manar Abu Talib, Sharjah University, UAE Asal Ghanim, Clean Energy Concepts (CEC), Amman, Jordan

13:30-14:30 LUNCH

14:30-15:00

Conference Closing Remarks

15:00-16:30 EWE Working Group Meeting

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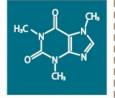


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Friday, 13th January		10:00-11:30	1st Plenary Session:		Sahar Idwan, School of Engineering,
			Women in Engineering and Higher		American University of Ras Al
	Arrival of Participants at		Education		Khaimah, UAE
	Workshop Hotel		Speakers:		Rachel Matar, Biotechnology
			Felizitas Sagebiel, Faculty of		Department, American University of
20:00	Get together		Educational and Social Science,		Ras Al Khaimah, UAE
			University of Wuppertal, Germany		Henda Mahmoudi, International Center
Saturday, 14th January			Mousa Mohsen, RAK Research		for Biosaline Agriculture (ICBA), Dubai,
			and Innovation Center, School of		UAE/ AGYA Member
08:45	Transfer to American University of		Engineering, American University of		Meriem Chaanaoui, Euromed Research
	Ras Al Khaimah		Ras Al Khaimah, UAE		Institute, Euro-Mediterranean
			Ahmed Saad Gomaa Khalil,		University of Fes (UEMF), Morocco
09:00-12:30	Excursion I:		Nanotechnology Research Center		
	RAK Research and Innovation Center		(EGNC), Cairo University, Egypt/ AGYA	16:30	Transfer to Hotel
	(RAKRIC)		Member		
				20:00	DINNER
12:30-14:00	LUNCH	11:30-12:00	COFFEE BREAK		
				Monday, 16th	January
14:00-16:00	EWE Working Group Meeting	12:00-13:30	2nd Plenary Session:		
			Women and Careers in Research	09:15	Transfer to American University of
20:00	DINNER		Speakers:		Ras Al Khaimah
			Ismahane Elouafi, International Centre		
Sunday, 15th January			for Biosaline Agriculture, Dubai, UAE	10:00-11:30	4th Plenary Session:
			Fatima Obaid Al Kalbani, Plant Health		Promoting Women's Entrepreneurial
09:00	Transfer to American University of		and Development Department, UAE		Skills
	Ras Al Khaimah		Ministry of Climate Change and		Speakers:
			Environment, UAE		Hanane Benkhallouk, Sustain
09:30-10:00	Welcome Remarks		Laila Prager, Institute of Social and		Leadership, Dubai, UAE
	Professor Hassan Hamdan Al Alkim,		Cultural Anthropology, University of		Thea Myhrvold, TeachMeNow.com,
	President of American University of		Hamburg, Germany/ AGYA Member		Dubai, UAE
	Ras Al Khaimah, UAE				Norman Domeier, Department of
		13:30-14:30	LUNCH		Modern History, University of Stuttgart,
	AGYA in Brief				Germany/ AGYA Member
	Ahmad Sakhrieh, AGYA Co-President/	14:30-16:00	3rd Plenary Session:		
	Department of Mechanical and		Shortage of Females in STEM	11:30-12:00	COFFEE BREAK
			Consideration		
	Industrial Engineering, American		Speakers:		
	Industrial Engineering, American University of Ras Al Khaimah, UAE		Speakers: Eman Assi, Cultural Heritage Expert,		

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