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PROGRAM

**10 December, 2024, Ann Arbor, Michigan,
3:00 pm CET time/09:00 am EST time**

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Time	Session	Speakers	Topic
09:00 - 09:10 am (EST)	Opening Speech	Honorable guest Melynda Price , Director of Women's and Gender Studies Research Institute, Professor of Women and Gender Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, US.	Women empowerment in academia and challenges
15:00 - 15:10 pm (CET)		Forum Chair Nargiz Hajiyeva , Ph.D. Political Scientist, Director of Women Researchers Council, Azerbaijan State University of Economics (UNEC), Weiser Visiting Professor, WCEE – University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, US.	
09:10 - 09:30 am (EST)	Keynote Speech	Ramona Rupeika Apoga , Professor of Finance, Head of Finance and Accounting Department, University of Latvia, Riga, Latvia, Research Fellow of UNEC Women Researchers Council	Smart Money, Strong Economy: The Power of Financial Literacy?
15:10-15:30 pm (CET)			

09:30 - 09:50 am (EST) 15:30-15:50 pm (CET)	Keynote Speech	Monika Fodor Garai , Assoc. Prof. Dr. habil, Dean Keleti Karoly Faculty of Business and Management, Obuda University, Hungary	Sustainability and Consciousness Among Generation Z
09:50 - 10:10 am (EST) 15:50 - 16:10 pm (CET)	Keynote Speech	Kiran Sood , Professor of Chitkara University, India, Punjab, Research Fellow of UNEC Women Researchers Council	Gender Equality: A key to unlocking social progress
10:10 - 10:30 am (EST) 16:10-16:30 (CET)	Q&A Session/ Discussions	All Speakers/Participants	Open Q&A with the audience
10:30 am (EST) 16:30 pm (CET)	Closing of Forum		Forum Conclusion and Closing Remarks