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CLOSING THE PAY GAP

March 14th, 2019

The **EQUAL PAY DAY** marks the date to which women do not earn while men start earning on January 1 – assuming that women and men had the same hourly wage. The Equal Pay Day (EPD) symbolizes the gender pay gap through a period of time – following the theme: money is time and time is money. BPW Federations are committed to achieving equal pay for women in the workplace and organize annual Equal Pay Day events to highlight the gender pay gap.

Caren Marks, Parliamentary Secretary of State to the Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth, Germany, **Greet Vermeulen**, Policy Officer, gender unit, DG Justice, European Commission, Ireland, **Veronique Goy Veenhuys**, Founder & CEO Fondation Equal Salary, Switzerland, **Melissa Whiting**, Vice President, Inclusion & Diversity, Switzerland, **Henrike von Platen**, CEO/ Founder, FPI Fair Pay Innovation Lab; Germany, **Dr. Bettina Schleicher**, Chair EPD Awareness Campaign, Managing Partner J&S Law Firm, Germany, **Ina Holley**, CRM Manager CABKA Group GmbH, Germany

2:00 – 3:30 pm

German House Main Auditorium
871 United Nations Plaza,
New York, NY
(1st Avenue and 49th Street)

Kindly register by March 12th, 2019, at
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BPW International works to raise the status of women through affiliates in over 98 countries and encourages women to become active at local, national and international levels to achieve equal pay, representation and opportunities.



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