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## THE EUROPEAN CONFERENCE FOR GENDER BUDGETING ACHIEVEMENTS, CHALLENGES, THE WAY FORWARD

22 & 23 Φεβρουαρίου 2024 | 09:00 - 18:00

στο Αμφιθέατρο Β108, Κτήριο Συμβουλίου-Συγκλήτου  
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του Έμφυλου Προϋπολογισμού

Professor Emeritus Diane Elson

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# Program of the Conference

## 22 February: 1st Day of the Conference

Venue: Auditorium B108, Anastasios Leventis Council & Senate Building, University of Cyprus, Aglandja, Nicosia

09.00-09.30 REGISTRATION

### 09.30-11.00 Session 1: Opening ceremony and welcome

09.30-09.45	<b>Mary Pyrgos MSc</b>	<i>Moderator of the Cyprus Gender Budgeting Platform</i> Welcome speech
09.45-10.00	<b>Josie Christodoulou</b>	<i>Commissioner for Gender Equality, Cyprus</i> Opening remarks
10.00-10.15	<b>Annita Demetriou</b>	<i>President of the House of Representatives of the Republic of Cyprus.</i> Opening remarks
10.15-10.35	<b>Prof. Diane Elson</b>	<i>Emeritus Professor University of Essex</i> <b>Keynote Speech:</b> Why Governments should Conduct Gender Analysis of their Budgets
10.40 – 11.00	<b>Prof. Angela O'Hagan</b>	<i>Professor of Equality and Public Policy, Glasgow Caledonia University</i> Reflections on context and practice in Gender Budgeting in Europe
11.00-11.20	<b>Dr Elizabeth Klatzer</b>	<i>International Expert on gender responsive budgeting.</i> Gender budgeting: Achievements and challenges of Gender Budgeting – Perspectives for the way forward <a href="#">(online)</a>
11.20-11.30	<b>Questions and discussion</b>	
Moderator	<b>Dr Kalliope Agapiou Josephides</b>	<i>Jean Monnet Chair (2001), Associate Professor, Department of Social and Political Sciences, University of Cyprus</i>
11.30-12.00	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	

### 12.00-13.30 Session 2: Gender Budgeting and European Institutions

12.00-12.10	<b>Odysseas Michaelides</b>	<i>Auditor General of the Republic of Cyprus</i> Gender budgeting and Auditing in Cyprus
12.10 -12.25	<b>Scherie Nicol</b>	<i>Lead- Gender Budgeting, OECD</i> Experiences, challenges and achievements with gender budgeting
12.25- 12.40	<b>Helena Morais Maceira</b>	<i>Team Leader, Gender Mainstreaming, EIGE</i> Gender budgeting in EU funding: state the art and opportunities ahead
12.40- 12.55	<b>Sabrina FERRAINA</b>	<i>Policy Officer, Revenue Administration and Public Financial Management Unit, DG REFORM</i> EU Gender Mainstreaming Policies and EC gender budgeting
12.55-13.10	<b>Dilek ELveren</b>	<i>Head of EU Gender Flagship Project</i> The Gender Flagship Project, European Technical Support Instrument, Cyprus Program

13.10-13.15	<b>Ermira Lubani</b>	<i>UN Women Approach on GRB: Perspectives from the ECA Region the ECA TUNW_Embracing-Gender-Budgeting</i>
13.15-13.35	<b>Questions and discussion</b>	Discussion on GB in Cyprus, GB in EU funding, GB in UN
Moderator	<b>Dr Alexia Panayiotou</b>	<i>UNESCO Co-Chair on Gender Equality, Associate Professor, Department of Business and Public Administration University of Cyprus</i>
<b>13.35-14.30 LUNCH</b>		

### 14.30-16.30 Session 3: Achievements and Challenges of European countries

14.30-14.45	<b>Dr Zefi Dimadama</b>	<i>General Secretary for Equality and Human Rights of Greece Gender Budgeting in Greece (online)</i>
14.45-15.00	<b>Prof. Francesca Bettio</b>	<i>Professor of Economics, University of Siena Experte Genre et Co-dirigeante de Perfégal Gender Budgeting in Italy</i>
15.00-15.15	<b>Dr Elisabet Borras Carbajo</b>	<i>Advisor in the Cabinet of the Secretary of State for Budgets and Expenditures, Ministry of Finance, Spain Gender budgeting in Spain: Achievements and challenges (online)</i>
15.30-15.45	<b>Carmen Martinez</b>	<i>Coordinator · Scottish Women's Budget Group Gender Budgeting in Scotland (online)</i>
15.45-16.00	<b>Ana Martinho Fernandes</b>	<i>Head of Strategy and Planning Unit, Portugal Gender Mainstreaming in Public Policy and Budgeting. Objectives and benefits for Portugal</i>
16.00-16.30	<b>Questions and discussion</b>	
Moderator	<b>Prof. Haritini Tsangari</b>	<i>Professor, Department of Accounting, Economics and Finance, University of Nicosia</i>
<b>16.30-17.00 COFFEE BREAK</b>		

### 17.00-18.00 Session 4: Gender Budgeting in European Cities

17.00-17.15	<b>Michaela Schatz</b>	<i>Head of the sections Budget, Control and Gender Budgeting in the department for Finance in the City of Vienna Gender Budgeting in the city of Vienna</i>
17.15-17.30	<b>Isabelle Gueguen</b>	<i>Co-founder of PERFEGAL agency and expert in gender mainstreaming and budgeting Gender Budgeting applied to local authorities in France</i>
17.30-17.45	<b>Sigríður Finnbogadóttir</b>	<i>Gender budgeting project manager at Reykjavik City Experiences with gender budgeting in the City of Reykjavik (online)</i>
<b>17.45-18.00 Questions and discussion</b>		
<b>18.00</b>	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>	

## 23 February: 2nd Day of the Conference

Venue: Akamantis Business Center, Egypt 10, 1097 Nicosia

The workshops are organized in partnership with Women's Budget Group UK

### 09.00-13.00 Session 1: Methods and data for gender budget analysis

#### 09.00-10.45 Workshop on Gender Analysis of Expenditure

Professor Angela O'Hagan	UK Women's Budget Group
Dr Liz Hind	UK Women's Budget Group
Samah Krichah	UK Women's Budget Group
Moderator Susana Elisa Pavlou	Director Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies (MIGS)

#### 11.00-12.30 Workshop on Using Statistics for Gender Equality

Dr Liz Hind	UK Women's Budget Group
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#### 12.30- 12.45 Well Being Gender Budgeting

Prof. Tindara Addabbo	Professor of Economic Policy University of Modena & Reggio Emilia Italy Well-being Gender Budgeting: Methods and Experiences (online)
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#### 12.45-13.00 Questions and discussion

Moderator Prof. Angela O' Hagan	Professor of Equality and Public Policy, Glasgow Caledonian University
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#### 13.00-14.00 LUNCH

### 14.00-15.00 Session 2: Gender Budgeting and revenue

14.00-14.15 Prof. Paloma de Villota	Professor of Applied Economy , Universidad Complutense, Madrid Gender Budgeting: Focusing on taxation (online)
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14.15-14.30 Prof. Åsa Gunnarsson	Professor in Law at the Forum for Studies on Law and Society Umeå University (Sweden) Gender Equality and Taxation (online)
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#### 14.30-15.00 Questions and discussion

### 15.00-16.30 Session 3: Global Experiences of Gender Budgeting

15.00-15.15 Michelle Anderson	Deputy Australian High Commissioner, Australian High Commission to Cyprus Gender Budgeting in Australia: Achievements & Lessons Learned
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15.15-15.30 Maja Bosnic	Economist, specialized in public financial management and gender-responsive budgeting (Moldova)
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Ermira Lubani	GRB Programme Specialist, UN Women ECA Gender budgeting in crises and war: the case of Ukraine (online)
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15.30 -15.45	<b>Nicole Farnsworth</b>	<i>Programme Director &amp; Lead Researcher, Kosovo Women's Network, on behalf of the Gender Budget Watchdog Network</i> <b>Delving into the Details: Gender Responsive Budgeting: Delivering on Gender Equality Commitments in Multilaterals' External Financing</b> ( <a href="#">online</a> )
15.45 -16.00	<b>Dhrijesh Kumar Tiwari</b>	<i>Statistical Adviser, Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India</i> <b>Gender Budgeting in India</b> ( <a href="#">online</a> )
16.00-16.15	<b>Questions and discussion</b>	
16.15-16.30	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	
16.30-16.45	<b>Alexandra Geese</b>	<i>EMP</i> <b>Green transformation, public subsidies - the growing importance of Gender Budgeting</b> ( <a href="#">online</a> )
<b>16.45-18.00 Session 4: Discussion Lessons learned - Ways forward for Gender Budgeting</b>		
<b>Questions and discussion</b>		Lessons learned and ideas on how to make gender budgeting more effective
<b>Moderator</b>	<b>Prof. Diane Elson</b>	<i>Emeritus Professor University of Essex</i>
18:00	<b>CLOSE OF CONFERENCE</b>	

## European advisory committee

Diane Elson	Emeritus Professor University of Essex Chair Commission on a Gender Equal Economy
Angela O'Hagan	Professor, Lecturer in Equalities and Public Policy at Glasgow Caledonian University
Elizabeth Klatzer	International expert on gender responsive budgeting PhD in economics from Vienna University, and an MA in Public Administration from Harvard Kennedy School of Government
Samah Krichah	Head of Training and Learning at UK Womens Budget Group

## Moderator of the Conference

Mary Pyrgos MSc	Coordinator of the Cyprus Gender Budgeting Platform
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