

FemCities Conference 2026

Empowering citizens.

Working with and for young people

14.10.2026, 09:00-17:00

Impact Hub, Lindengasse 56/18-19, 1070 Vienna



09:00 Arrival and Coffee

09:30 Welcome Words

Elke Hanel-Torsch, City Councilor for Women

Laura Wimmer, Head of Department for Women's Affairs,

09:40 **Ricarda Götz-Preisner**, FemCities coordinator

European developments, FemCities Updates, collection of challenges

1. Thematic block – Empowering girls

10:00 **Karima Aziz**, Department for Women's Affairs

Working with and for girls

10:30 **Magdalena Mangl**, Vienna Youth center

Queerfeminist work with girls

11:00 **Yuri Piccione**, City of Genoa

Female Role Models in STEM

11:30 *Coffee break and networking*

2. Thematic block – Working with boys and men

12:00 **Sanja Stankovic**, City of Belgrade

Research on men's perception of gender equality

12:30 **Stefan Glaser**, Men's Counseling Centre Vienna

Development and the process of becoming a man

13:00 *Lunch break*

13:40 **Adina Hasler**, Office for Participation and Empowerment
Youth and participation

14:40 **Fish Bowl discussion with experts**

15:30 *Coffee break*

16:00 **Working on thematic challenges / Co-Creation Workshop**

Challenge 1: tbc / City of Vienna

Challenge 2: tbc / City of Bağlar

Challenge 3: tbc

17:00 *Closing*



The conference will be held in English. There will be no translation provided.



The conference is free of charge, including lunch. Please register early to secure your spot, as capacity is limited. Register here: <https://ticket.wien.gv.at/M57/femcities2026/>



The venue is barrier-free. You can reach it via subway U2 (station Neubaugasse) and an 8-minute walk.



If you have any questions or are in need of special assistance, please contact:
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FemCities is concerned with what city and municipal administrations can do to **promote women, girls and gender equality**. The network supports the exchange of successful models in the field of local and regional women's policy and enforces the lobbying for equality issues in Europe. Find more information on FemCities here: www.femcities.at