COMMUNICATING THE MEDITERRANEAN WITH A FEMINIST GAZE

BARCELONA, NOVEMBER 4 AND 5 2021
The European Network of Women Journalists organized, in 1995, the conference "Women journalists, the Mediterranean and the future", a meeting that sought to create links between the two shores of the Mediterranean in difficult times for the exercise of the profession, especially if you are a woman practising journalism.

26 years have passed and although we can say that there have been many changes at the legal and social level regarding women, professional practice continues to be extremely violent in some Mediterranean countries. Establishing an authentic bridge of dialogue and communication between the two shores and creating alliances and cooperation between women journalists are two of the objectives pursued by this meeting to explain the Mediterranean from a feminist perspective.
Thursday, November 4, 2021 from 4pm to 8pm

**DIALOGUE AND COMMUNICATION BRIDGES BETWEEN THE TWO SHORES:**
We want to influence the construction of our own agenda that has as its central axis the visibility of women and their work in the construction of a more just, equitable and sustainable society.

### 4pm-4.30pm Opening
- **Alícia Oliver**, Coordinator of the European Network of Women Journalists
- **Senén Florensa**, President of the European Institute of the Mediterranean (IEMed)
- **Miquel Rodríguez**, Commissioner of the Agenda 2030 of Barcelona City Council
- **Victòria Alsina**, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Catalan Government

### 4.30pm-6pm - Communication, SDG and Agenda 2030 of the Mediterranean
Climate change is affecting and will significantly affect the Mediterranean, which is why we are already talking about the “zero zone” of the climate crisis. We have seen it this summer with the increase in temperatures, fires, droughts or torrential floods that have devastated much of the Mediterranean coast.
- **Nariman El Chamaa**, journalist and chair of the NGO Donia for Sustainable Development - Lebanon
- **Dionysia Vovou**, communicator and feminist activist - Greece
- **City Council representative** (to be confirmed)
- **Carme Gual**, Director of the Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation (ACCD)
- **Moderator**: **Pilar Sampietro**, journalist RNE-Ràdio4

### 6pm-6.30pm Break

### 6.30pm-8pm - Social movements, Peace and Migration in the Mediterranean
10 years have passed since the social unrest in the Arab world, what is the current situation? In some countries it gave rise to civil wars that still continue. In addition, there are other conflicts in the area. What can be the role of women as agents of change and transformation to reinforce social dialogue in favor of human rights and make visible the movements in defense of peace?
- **Asma Fatma Moatamri**, journalist and feminist activist - Tunisia
- **Hayam Kamel**, producer of the TV 218News - Libya
- **Alaa Karajeh**, journalist of the Palestinian Broadcasting Corporation - PBC
- **Jordi Solé**, Foreign Affairs Commission of the European Parliament (The Greens-EFA)
- **Moderator**: **Cristina Mas** journalist of the Diari Ara

Marina Rossell, will perform “El Metec”
Friday, November 5, 2021 from 10 am to 2 pm

ALLIANCES AND COOPERATION AMONG WOMEN JOURNALISTS:
We want to promote a better understanding of the different realities that make up the Mediterranean and reflect on the situation of women journalists and communicators in this area.

10am-11.30am - Professional situation of journalists
What is the professional situation experienced by women journalists? What is journalism like today? Where are the women journalists? How has the pandemic affected us? What can we journalists contribute? What challenges do we have?

- Sahar Talaat, teacher at the University Future - Egypt
- Burcu Karakaş, correspondent for Germany’s international broadcaster Deutsche Welle in Turkey
- Lynda Abbou, journalist of Radio M - Algeria
- Borka Rudić, General Secretary of the Journalist Association of Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Zuliana Lainez, Vice president of the International Federation of Journalists (FIP)
- Moderator: Laia Serra, Equality Secretary of the Journalists Union of Catalonia (SPC)

11.30am -12pm Break

12pm–1.30pm - Good practices of non-sexist communication
The new information and communication technologies (ICT) have changed the world and have fostered contact between us. Currently, there are many networks and groups of journalists and communicators. How we work? How can we be more effective? Do we want to build our own feminist agenda? What proposals would we like to build?

- Zoubaida El Fathi, journalist of the Radio y TV SNRT - Morocco
- Lola Fernández, Director of Communication of the Arab-European Foundation (FUNDEA)
- Tona Gusi, Director of La Independent
- Cristina P. Fraga and Marta Ortiz, Directors of Ameco Press
- Jenny Rönngren, Editor from Feministiskt Perspektiv
- Patricia Mayorga, Chair of the World Association of Women Journalists and Writers (AMMPE)
- Rosa Mª Rodríguez Quintanilla, Coordinator of the International Network of Journalists with a Gender Perspective (RIPVG)
- Moderator: Beatriz Villarejo editor of DF - Diario Feminista

1.30pm–2pm - Closing
- Alicia Oliver, Coordinator of the European Network of Women Journalists
- Maria-Àngels Roque, Director of Culture, Gender and Civil Society (IEMed)
- Joan Maria Morros, dean of the Association of Journalists of Catalonia
- Tània Verge, Minister of Equality and Feminisms of the Catalan Government
You can never leave the profession of journalist: you love it!

Montserrat Minobis
(1942-2019)

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The conference will be in Spanish and English.

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