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INVITATION

The Vienna School of International Studies,
its Alumni Association club.da,
the Rotary Club Vienna Maria Theresia and
Students Advocating Gender Equality

are pleased to announce a panel discussion on the occasion of the
International Women's Day 2026 on

Balancing the Scales - Rights. Justice. Action. For ALL Women and Girls

Welcome:

Giulia Pelillo

(Head, Research Area Cultural Studies, Vienna School of International Studies)

Brigitta Blaha

(Vice President, club.da)

Arndt Röchling

(President, Rotary Club Vienna Maria Theresia)

Klara Brunensteiner

(Students Advocating Gender Equality-SAGE)

Panellists:

Marian Benbow Pfisterer

(Chief of Mission, IOM Austria)

Christine Brandauer

(Focal point for Women, Peace and Security, Austrian Federal Ministry for
European and International Affairs)

Sharon Ehrlich

(Change Management Consultant)

Jeremy Francis

(Associate Diversity Officer, CTBTO; Gender Focal Point for interagency
collaboration)

Melita Župevc

(Permanent Representative of the Republic of Slovenia to the UN, OSCE and
other International Organizations)

Moderation

Corinna Milborn

(Head of News, ProSiebenSat.1 PULS 4)

Wednesday, 4 March 2026, 18:30 h

Diplomatische Akademie Wien, Favoritenstrasse 15a, 1040 Wien
Underground-station: U1 Taubstummengasse

To participate in person, please register via

<https://www.da-vienna.ac.at/Events>.

This event will also be streamed live on

<https://www.da-vienna.ac.at/Live>.