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ONLINE WORLDWIDE
EEST (UTC+3)

IAMPE ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2026

WOMEN | MEDIATION | DIPLOMACY

Bridging Nations Through Dialogue

FINAL PROGRAMME

19-20 September 2026

Two-day international programme

Online Worldwide

Speakers and guests joining across regions

Cyprus Time - EEST (UTC+3)

All speaking slots use one reference time

CONFERENCE MODERATION

Kristine Arzumanova - Conference Moderator (English / Russian)

Dra. Noemí Aracelly Pérez Sánchez - Spanish-language Moderator

Working languages: English | Russian | Spanish | Arabic (by prior arrangement)

Empowering Voices. Building Peace. Advancing Diplomacy.



DAY I PROGRAMME

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OPENING CEREMONY

09:30-09:45

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Kristine Arzumanova - President & Founder, IAMPE

Welcome Address | Conference Vision | Opening of the International Dialogue

HIGH-LEVEL INTERNATIONAL PANEL

WOMEN, DIPLOMACY & INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English

09:45-10:00

H.E. Dr. Mohammad Amir Khan

Diplomacy, International Cooperation, Peace & Dialogue

10:00-10:15

Dr. Le Tuan Kiet - Vietnam

Vietnamese Women in Public Diplomacy and International Cooperation: Voices from Asia

10:15-10:30

Prof. Kazushi Yamamoto - Japan

Women in Japanese Diplomacy, International Cooperation and Public Life

10:30-10:45

H.E. Dr. Luis Alberto Flores Hernández - USA

Women, Diplomacy and International Cooperation

10:45-11:00

H.E. Dr. Mohammed Hakim Belkadi - Morocco

Women in Architecture, Society and the Human Dimension of Reconstruction

11:00-11:15

Panel

Questions & Moderated Discussion

BREAK

11:15-11:30

PANEL II

WOMEN, LAW, JUSTICE & INSTITUTIONAL LEADERSHIP

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English

11:30-11:45

Dr. Moataz Abuzeid - Egypt Elena

Women in Egypt's Judiciary: Women Judges, Justice and Public Institutions

11:45-12:00

Ms. Georgiou Taliotou - Cyprus

Beyond Litigation: Women, Law, Leadership and Alternative Dispute Resolution

12:00-12:15

Dr. Bhavana Sharma - India

From Conflict to Conversation: Women as Voices of Peace and Justice

12:15-12:30

Dr. Shailja Vasudeva - India

Track I, Track II, Track III and Multitrack Diplomacy

12:30-12:45

Panel

Questions & Discussion

BREAK

12:45-13:00



DAY I - AFTERNOON SESSIONS

PANEL III

WOMEN, PEACEBUILDING, HUMANITARIAN LEADERSHIP & CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English

13:00-13:15	Dr. Rafik Oreh Walid Ghraizi - Lebanon	Maintaining Sustainable Peace Through Law, Mediation and International Dispute
13:15-13:30	Ms. Muna Luqman - Yemen	Resolution Women's Leadership, Local Mediation and Humanitarian Peacebuilding
13:30-13:45	Mr. Hadi Elis - Kurdistan Region	Women of Kurdistan and Their Contribution to Peacebuilding, Resilience and Social Cohesion
13:45-14:00	Questions & Discussion	Bridging Divides: The Critical Role of Women in Mediation and Peacebuilding
14:00-14:15	Panel	Questions & Discussion

SPECIAL DIALOGUE

WOMEN, MEDIA, LIVE EXPERIENCE & RESPONSIBILITY

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English / Russian

14:15-14:30	Kristine Arzumanova - Georgia/Armenia Cyprus	Women Journalists in Conflict Zones: When Media Becomes a Mediator - and When It Becomes a Voice of Chaos Panel reflections, participant questions and future joint initiatives
14:45-15:00	Dialogue	Questions & Discussion

BREAK / TECHNICAL CONNECTION

15:00-15:15

LATIN AMERICA - DAY I SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Moderation: Kristine / Noemí

15:15-15:30	Dr. Brenda Edith Vargas Almanza - Mexico	Mujeres que construyen paz: mediación, diálogo y transformación de conflictos
15:30-15:45	Prof. Deilton Ribeiro Brasil - Brazil	Artificial Intelligence, Higher Education and International Cooperation

PANEL IV

ARBITRATION, ADR, BUSINESS & LEGAL INNOVATION

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English

15:45-16:00	Samir Shah - USA	Inclusivity and Diversity in ADR
16:00-16:15	Begaim M. Kaibyldeeva - Uzbekistan	Women in Arbitration and Business: Leadership, Technology and Cross-Border Dispute Resolution
16:15-16:30	Ms. Rasha Jarhum - Yemen / Canada	Bridging Civil Society and the State: Building Peace Through Women's Participation
16:30-16:45	Dr. Kashmeera Nousheer - India	Digital Peacemaking: Human Rights, Technology and Emerging Legal Challenges
16:45-17:00	Panel	Questions & Discussion

DAY I REFLECTIONS

17:00-17:15



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PANEL V

WOMEN, DEMOCRACY, INTERNATIONAL LAW & ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova

09:30-09:45	Dr. Elena Baixauli - Spain	Mujer y Democracia
09:45-10:00	Prof. Elena Evgenyevna Gulyaeva - Russia	International Law, Diplomacy and Foreign Policy in Contemporary International Relations
10:00-10:15	Dr. Krishna Trivedi	Sustainable Peace and Gender-Responsive Recovery: From Ceasefire to Constitutional Reform
10:15-10:30	Dr. Vineeta Vyas - India	Questions & Discussion

BREAK

10:30-10:45

PANEL VI

INTERNATIONAL LAW, HUMAN RIGHTS, EDUCATION & THE FUTURE OF PEACE

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova

10:45-11:15	International Discussion Panel - Special Guest	Human Rights, Higher Education, Artificial Intelligence, Digital Transformation and Women's Leadership
11:15-11:45	Open Academic Dialogue & Networking	Cross-sector questions, institutional perspectives and future cooperation
11:45-12:15	Ms. Magda Zenon - Cyprus	From Personal Experience to Public Voice: Women, Resilience and Dialogue in a Divided Society

BREAK

12:15-12:30

REGIONAL VOICES

WOMEN, RIGHTS & RESILIENCE IN CONFLICT-AFFECTED SOCIETIES

Moderator: Kristine Arzumanova | English

12:30-12:45	Mr. Rami Khalilia - Palestine	Palestinian Women: Resilience, Identity and the Struggle for Dignity
12:45-13:00	Mis. Lama Audi - Palestine /	Women's Rights in Lebanon: Law, Society and the Continuing Struggle for Equality
13:00-13:15	Lebanon Regional Dialogue	Women, Rights, Identity and Social Resilience
13:15-13:30	Panel	Questions & Discussion



DAY II - AFTERNOON SESSIONS

SPECIAL PERSONAL STORY

13:30-14:00 | Russianlanguage

13:30-13:45	Christina Karapetyan - Kazakhstan / Cyprus	From the Court to Public Life: Women, Resilience and Reinvention
13:45-14:00	Dialogue	Questions & Personal Dialogue

SPEAKER FOCUS

Christina will reflect on professional volleyball, becoming a Master of Sport, the injury that ended her professional career in 2020, her work at KazSport TV, public life, migration, Cyprus, an attempted return to sport, personal adversity and rebuilding a new professional identity. She will conclude with a message to young athletes, girls and future generations about resilience, courage and beginning again.

LUNCH / TECHNICAL CONNECTION BREAK

14:00-15:15

LATIN AMERICA SPECIAL SESSION

Moderation: Kristine (EN/RU) | Noemí (ES)

MEDIATION, PEACE, HUMAN RIGHTS & SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION

15:15-15:30	Prof. Freddy Ortiz Nishihara - Peru	Toward a True Culture of Peace: Conflict Transformation, Negotiation and Mediation
15:30-15:45	Prof. Jean Carlos Dal Bianco - Brazil	From Resolution to Prevention: A New Perspective on Mediation
15:45-16:00	Dr. Zoraida Fernández Jové - Paraguay	Human Rights, Indigenous Peoples and Mediation
16:00-16:15	Dra. Noemí Aracelly Pérez Sánchez - Ecuador	Women in Mediation, Peacebuilding and Conflict Resolution
16:15-16:30	Prof. Dr. Silvia Vecchi - Argentina	Nuevos paradigmas en comunicación y narrativas

During Noemí Aracelly Pérez Sánchez's own presentation, moderation passes to Kristine Arzumanova.

BREAK

16:30-16:45

INTERNATIONAL ROUNDTABLE

Moderators: Kristine Arzumanova (EN/RU) | Noemí Aracelly Pérez Sánchez (ES)

LEADERSHIP WITHOUT LIMITS

16:45-17:30	Women, Dialogue and the Future of International Cooperation	Central question: What is the one institutional, cultural or professional change we must make today to strengthen women's role in diplomacy, mediation, peacebuilding and public leadership?
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CLOSING CEREMONY

17:30-18:00

17:30-18:00	Kristine Arzumanova - President & Founder, IAMPE	Conference reflections Acknowledgements Certificates Future IAMPE initiatives Closing remarks
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SPEAKERS

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