



PES Women Annual Conference
“From Gaining to Owning Power”

30 November 2017
Sheraton Hotel, Lisbon

- 11:30 – 13:30** PES Women Statutory (PES Women members only)
- 14:00 – 14:30** **Registration**
- 14:30 – 15:00** **Welcoming**
Zita Gurmai, PES Women President
Maria Manuel Leitão Marques, Minister for Presidency and Administrative Modernisation
Elza Pais, MP President PS Mulheres
Francisco André, National Secretary for Foreign Affairs PS Portugal
- 15:00 – 16:30** **Session 1: The present situation: From formal to actual empowerment**
Moderator: **Jorge Lacão**, Vice-President National Assembly, Portugal
Speakers: **Rosa Monteiro**, State Secretary for Citizenship and Equality, Portugal
Pernilla Baralt, State Secretary to Minister of Children, the Elderly & Gender Equality Åsa Regnér, Sweden
Celinda Lake, President Lake Research Centre, Strategist, USA
Andrea Scheck, Feminist Coordinator Young European Socialists, Switzerland
- 16:30 – 17:00** **Break**
- 17:00 - 18:30** **Session 2: Strengthening cooperation and solidarity among the European and global feminist movement**
Moderator: **Lucie Susova**, Project Officer SOLIDAR
Speakers: **Maria João Rodrigues**, President of FEPS, Vice-President of S&D Group in the European Parliament, Portugal
Ana Sofia Fernandes, Representative Portuguese Platform for women's rights
Joanna Pszczola, Political activist, 'black protest', artist, founder, Poland
Emina Abrahamsdotter, Leader Trade Union Activist Forum, SDP BiH
- 18:30 – 19:00** **Closing remarks and conclusions**
Ana Catarina Mendes, Deputy Secretary General PS Portugal
Edite Estrela, President of the Board for the Political Commission of DNMS, Editor and Chief of Acção Socialista Digital
- 19:30** **Reception**

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