

EWORA Seminar: Universities as Change Agents to Create Gender-Based Violations-Free Society

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Venue: 1st Building 414 Auditorium, Mykolas Romeris University
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Program

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2024

08:30 - 09:00 Welcome Coffee

09:00 - 09:05 Opening by **Dr. Nomeda Gudalienė**, Advisor to the Vice-Rector on Sustainable Development, *Mykolas Romeris University*

09:05 - 09:15 Welcome Speech by **Prof. Dr. Inga Žalėnienė**, Rector, *Mykolas Romeris University*

09:15 - 09:25 Welcome Speech by **Prof. Kerstin Tham**, President, *EWORA*

09:30 - 11:00 Panel Discussion:

Universities as Change Agents to Create a Gender-Based Violence-Free Society

Chair: Prof. Pamela Gillies, Former Vice Chancellor, Glasgow Caledonian University

Prof. Kerstin Tham, President, EWORA, *"Survey on: Gender- Based Violence and Sexual Harrassment in the Swedish Higher Education System"*

Prof. Isabel Gil, Rector, Universidade Católica Portuguesa, *"Equity and opportunity. A case for the Women + initiative"*

Prof. Beth Stroble, Chancellor Emeritus, Webster University, *"University Leadership to End Gender-Based Violence: Policies, Programs, Engagement"*

Dr. Vilana Pilinkaitė-Sotirovič, Research fellow at the Lithuanian Centre for Social Science, *"Towards a Safe Environment in Academia: Insights from the UniSAFE Project"*

Dr. Ramunė Jakštienė, Associate Professor, Mykolas Romeris University, *"Ensuring Gender Equality at Universities: HELCI Project"*

11:00 - 11:30 Panel Discussion and Q&A led by Prof. Pamela Gillies

11:30 - 11:40 Wrap-Up and Key Points by Prof. Pamela Gillies

11:40 - 11:45 Closing Remarks by Dr. Nomeda Gudalienė