



**“FEMALE LEADERS IN SECURITY AND DEFENCE FORUM”
DRAFT PROGRAMME**

22nd-25th of November 2022, National Military Club, Bucharest

Time	Activity	Location/ responsibility	
22 November 2022			
All Day	Arrival at the “ Henri Coandă International Airport ” (according to flight schedules), enroute to the hotel and check-in		
20:00 22:00	Welcome Cocktail	Byzantine Hall, National Military Club/All participants (Dress code: smart casual)	
22:00 -	Free time		
23 November 2022			
07:00 08:00	Breakfast	Hotel	
08:30 09:00	Participants arrival	National Military Club	
09:00 16:00	09:00-10:00 Welcome Remarks Plenary <i>5-7' each speaker</i> <i>Moderator: Ms. Violeta Nicolescu</i>	Marble Hall	Ms. Simona COJOCARU Ms. Luminița POPESCU (National Agency for Equal Opportunities between Men and Women) Ms. Olivia TODEREAN (GD in Ministry of Foreign Affair) Ms. Anca-Minodora COSTIN-HENDEA (State Secretary, Ministry of family, youth and equal opportunities) Mr. Laurențiu-Dan LEOREANU (Chairperson, Chamber of Deputies)
	10:00 - 10:20 Family Photo	All participants	
	10:20-11:00 Coffee Break	Maura Hall/All participants	
	11:00-12:00 <u>Session 1</u> Organizational Perspectives and trends for the future Plenary <i>8' each speaker</i>	Marble Hall / UN, NATO, OSCE	Ms. Lara SCARPITTA- OSCE Ms. Vesna CIPRUS - UNDP/SEESAC LTC Katherine PRUDHOE – NATO <i>Moderator: Ms. Violeta Nicolescu</i>
	12:00-13:30 Lunch	Maura Hall/All participants	
	13:30-14:30 <u>Session 2</u> National Perspectives and	Marble Hall	H.E. Ms. Marija KAPITANOVIĆ (HRV) Ms. Georgeta GAVRILĂ (ROU MoND, GS)

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	success stories in the Western Balkans Plenary 8' each		LTC Manuela BERCEA (ROU NFP for WPS) <i>Moderator, H.E. Sofia GRAMMATA (GRC)</i>
	14:30-15:00 Coffee Break	Maura Hall/All participants	
	15:00-16:00 <u>Session 3</u> National Perspectives and success stories in the wider Black Sea Region Plenary 8' each	Marble Hall	Ms. Simona COJOCARU (ROU) Ms. Lela CHIKOVANI (GEO) H.E. Ms. Füsün ARAMAZ (TUR) H.E. Mr. Alfredo Maria DURANTE MANGONY (ITA) <i>Moderator, Ms. Paloma GONZALES (USA)</i>
16:00 16:30	Transportation to the Hotel		
16:30 18:30	Free time		
18:30 19:00	Transportation to the National Military Club		
19:00 22:00	Official Diner	Byzantine Hall/All participants (Dress code: suit and tie)	
22:00 22:30	Transportation to the Hotel		
24 November 2022¹			
07:00 08:00	Breakfast	Hotel	
08:30 09:00	Participants arrival	National Military Club	
09:00 15:30	09:00-09:20 The revealed Conclusions from the Italian <i>Female Leader in Security and Defence Survey on gender perspectives in National Armed Forces</i>	Marble Hall	All participants Italian representative will present its conclusions (<i>recorded video message</i>). MAJ Rosa VINCIGUERA
	09:20-09:30 The Romanian perspective on the implementation of the UN Resolution 1325	Marble Hall	All participants LTC Manuela BERCEA (ROU GFP for WPS)
	<i>Pre-deployment specific training for Bulgarian military personnel</i>	Marble Hall	1 st LT Mariya KRASHEVSKA (BGR)
	09:30-10:00 Presentation of the bulletproof vest for female personnel	Marble Hall	Representative of the Research and Innovation Center for CBRN Defence and Ecology

¹ NOTE: the panels on 24th November are rotational.

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10:00-10:30 Coffee Break		Maura Hall	All participants
10:30-11:15 Panel 1 <i>Specific training for military personnel who are going to be deployed in missions and operations abroad (increase the training with practical work and exercise based on various examples and scenarios)</i> <i>Facilitator: prof. Lucia OPREA (ROU)</i>		Marble Hall	COL Oliverta DULO (ALB) 1 st LT Mariya KRASHEVSKA (BGR) Ms. Ines HADZHIEVA (SEDM secretariat) MAJ Catherine CABOT (CAN) MAJ Isabeau-Marie BELLANGER (FRA) CAPT Diana CHIS-MANOLACHE (ROU) LTC Renata-Georgiana IONIȚĂ (ROU) NCO Anisie DOHOTARIU (ROU) Ms. Roberta-Ioana CĂLIN (ROU) Ms. Andreea-Alexandra DIACONU (ROU)
11:15-11:30 Break			
11:30-12:15 Panel 2 <i>Increasing the involvement of leadership (raise Commander's awareness in order to receive their support, thus proceed forward with the goals included in the National Action Plans on UNSCR1325)</i> <i>Facilitator: prof. Cristina PAUN (ROU)</i>		Grigorescu Hall	CAPT Tatiana ZABELINA (CAN) CAPT Sarah GEORGE (GBR) LTC Katherine PRUDHOE (NATO) Ms Jelena KRZAVAC SKAKIC (SRB) LTC Manuela-Elena BERCEA (ROU) Ms. Raluca Alina PREDA (ROU) COL Adriana-Mirela CIOBANU (ROU) WO Ionela Andreea MARIS (ROU) MAJ Irina Alexandra SIMION (ROU) Ms. Mădălina PETRIȘ (ROU)
12:15-13:30 Lunch		Maura Hall, all participants	
13:30-14:15 Panel 3 <i>Fighting stereotypes (Nowadays we still see different treatments for men and women. It is necessary to find the best solutions to change mentality and spread out a new gender culture.)</i> <i>Facilitator: prof. Constantina STOENESCU (ROU)</i>		Alba Iulia Hall	BG Constantin NICOLAESCU (ROU/ MNBDE-SE) SGT Pamela O'KEEFE (CAN) LTC Antonia STANKOVSKA (MKD) Ms. Vesna CIPRUS (UNDP/SEESAC) LTC Haris IBROVIKJ (SEEBRIG) Ms. Brândușa-Bianca CONSTANTIN (ROU) MAJ Andreea Marilena PĂUNA (ROU) MAJ Cristina VASILACHE (ROU) Ms Sonia Monica ILIESCU (ROU) Ms. Nicoleta PUȚINICĂ (ROU)
14:15-14:45 Break		Maura Hall/All participants	

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	14:45-15:30 Reward and Closing Remarks Plenary	Marble Hall	All participants
15:30 16:00	Transportation to the Hotel		
16:00 17:30	Free time		
17:30 20:30	City Tour	Bucharest/All participants (casual)	
20:30 21:30	Dinner	Military hotel	
21:30 -	Free time		
25 November 2022			
07:00 08:45	Breakfast	Hotel	
09.00- 12.00	Check-out Transportation to the “ Henri Coandă International Airport ” (According to Flight Schedules) and departure		