

Socialist International Women

SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL WOMEN

Council Meeting Madrid, Spain, 21 and 22 February 2024

Women: Present and Future of Socialism

Programme

Venue: PSOE headquarters, Ferraz 70

Wednesday 21 February

15.00 – 15.30hrs	Council Meeting – Opening Session
•	Opening speech by Janet Camilo, President, Socialist International Women, SIW
•	Welcoming address by Ana Redondo, Minister for Equality, Spanish Socialist Worker Party, PSOE
15.30 – 17.00hrs	First session 'Women: the present of Socialism' Chaired by Golaleh Sharafkansi, SIW Vice-president
	• Hella Ben Youssef, SIW Vice-president; Vice-president of Ettakatol, Forum for Labour and Freedom (FDTL), Tunisia
	Isabel Allende, Senator, Socialist Party, Chili
	 Joana dos Santos, SIW Vice-president, Women Organisation, OMA, Popular Movement for the Freedom of Angola, MPLA, Angola
	 Ana Redondo, Minister for Equality, Spanish Socialist Worker Party, PSOE, Spain.
	Debate and questions to speakers
17.30 hrs	Cocktail offered by the hosting party
Thursday 22 February	
09:00 -10:00hrs	Closed session for full members
10.00 – 13.00hrs	Second session 'Women: the future of Socialism' Chaired by Hella Ben Youssef, SIW Vice-president
	Dasa Silovic, President CEE Gender Network

	• Aicha El Gorgi, Ittihadis Women Organisation, Socialist Union for Popular Forces, USFP, Morocco
	• Fadwa Rajouani, Ittihadis Women Organisation, Socialist Union for Popular Forces, USFP, Morocco
	Golaleh Sharafkandi, SIW Vice-president, Kurdistan Democratic Party, KDPI, Iran
	Yasmine El Jaï, Socialist Party, PS, France
	Debate and questions to speakers
	Break for lunch PSOE
14.30 – 15.30hrs	Participants' Contributions on Different Topics
15.30 – 16.30hrs	Adoption of Resolution Chaired by Yomaira Sarmiento, SIW Vice-President
16.30 -17:00hrs	 Closing session Closing speech by María Jesús Montero, Vice-president of the government and Vice-general secretary of the PSOE