Women4Metals:

The Industry Branding & Female Empowerment Initiative in the Metals Industry

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Founded by (colleagues of)





Women4Metals – open to everyone (all genders)







W4M focus topics

In order to fulfill our overarching W4M vision, to jointly establish the metal industry as an attractive employer for female employees where fair conditions prevail for all, we have **identified five central strategic pillars**. These topics are **the framework for our mutual activities with individuals & organizations** in the coming months and years, against which we will identify opportunities for improvement, implement activities, and measure progress.

Recruiting



Framework Conditions

Best Practice Sharing



Career Development & Enablement



Awareness & Communication

Impact for our industry

Interested companies + associations





Our Supporters











Verband Deutscher Metallhändler und Recycler e.V.

























On- & Off-Line Workshops on **Focus Topics**









The W4M network



Individual members

Employees working in the metal industry, students, etc.– everyone sharing our vision!

Individuals

Free registration for all; access to the majority of offerings free of charge*

*Participation fees may apply (e.g., onsite events, trainings, etc.)

Partners and supporters

Companies, associations, start-ups, universities, self-employed individuals, etc.

Companies & associations

Costs set as packages (see detailed pricing); possible additional costs by individual agreement

Universities, start-ups, self-employed, etc:

Individually agreed contribution (e.g., financial, human / material resources)

Individual Membership & Packages for Company Supporters

"Ada Lovelace"

Individual member

√ Free of charge



Key Offerings:

- ✓ Access to closed W4M community platform via collaboration tool
- ✓ Access to different resources, e.g., W4M newsletter, podcast, industry-specific publications
- ✓ Cross-mentoring program across the metal industry
- ✓ Access to exclusive events & training sessions

"Bertha Benz"

Basic package

- ✓ Company supporters
- ✓ Very low annual fee (max. 2 k€ p.a.)



Add. Offering:

✓ External presentation as supporter of W4M and gender diversity via W4M website

"Marie Curie"

Advanced package

- ✓ Company supporters
- ✓ Low annual fee (max. 3 k€ p.a.)



Add. Offerings incl.:

- ✓ Discount & early access to exclusive events, trainings and programs
- ✓ Annual feature in one of the W4M communication channels
- ✓ External presentation as supporter of W4M via joint events, W4M marketing materials, etc.

- Additionally, there are selected W4M Premium Partners, the co-creators of the network who will be part of the advisory committee.
- Marie Curie supporters can individually agree on further ways to cooperate with W4M (e.g., jointly hosting an event at the company site, virtually, ...)

• As the founder of the initiative, Aurubis will not generate any profits from it

Collaboration Tool for Members and Supporters

For an even stronger network, we are providing our supporters and members with a collaboration tool. We encourage you to proactively **share** experience, issues, resources, questions, events, know-how, etc., within the tool to grow together.

Who gets access to the collaboration tool?

Become a company supporter (people from the company receive access if you inform us about them) or Member

Authorized users contact us directly

Or register additionally as an individual

What is the collaboration tool used for? Industry-wide exchange

Driving forward focus topics

Networking

Updates

W4M Milestones & next Steps

10/2023

Registration of organizations as official supporters

01/2024

Start of the official

Supporter- and Member

Packages + Go-Live

Collaboration Tool

02/2024

"Empowering WoMen in Metals" event with W4M & Premium Partners incl. Female Empowerment Session

05/2024

Launch W4M Newsletter

Q2/2024

W4MxWiM Chile,
CWIEME Berlin,
IWCC Washington,
BIR Copenhagen,
Mining Forum Berlin
CRU Events
PMK

What happens next...

03/2024

W4M Online Power Talks (starting on 30.07.24)

Pulse Check

Cross Mentoring

Program: Call for Mentees & Mentors

1.10.2024

Annual **W4M TeaTime**during LME
Week London UK

H2/2024

Start of (Site) Visits at cooperating Companies/ Organizations e.g., Synflex, Glencore)

H2/2024

Start work in Focus
Groups to develop/offer
e.g. Recruiting
Trainings, Buddy
Program, W4M Checklist
for Audits
Collaboration with
universities & schools

THANK YOU to all our members & supporters!

If you would like more information about the network and how to support the initiative, please contact Stefanie Klein via W4M@aurubis.com.

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