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# Bridging the Gap

## Annual event

Tackling the challenges to ensure inclusive and equitable quality education

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## 9:00 Registration

## 9:15 Opening remarks – Institutional welcoming

- **Juan Pablo de Laiglesia**, State Secretary for International Cooperation and for Ibero-America and the Caribbean, Government of Spain (TBC)
- **Françoise Millecam**, European Commission, DG DEVCO Senior Expert, Head of Sector Employment
- **Victoria Lee**, Bridging the Gap I, OHCHR, Programme Manager
- **César Martínez**, State Secretary for Human Rights for Persons with disabilities, Government of Paraguay
- **Ana Peláez**, Vice-President of the European Disability Forum (EDF), Member of the UN Committee on the Elimination of Discriminations against Women

## 10:00 Keynote speech

- **Gennet Corcuera**, ONCE Foundation (TBC)

## 10:10 Presentation of the project video

## 10:20 Presentation of the project Bridging the Gap

- **Victoria Lee**, Bridging the Gap I, OHCHR, Programme Manager
- **Alessia Rogai**, Bridging the Gap II, IDDC, Knowledge Management and Learning Coordinator

## 10:40 Coffee break

## 11:10 Roundtable I – Data and statistics for ensuring inclusive education policy planning

Dialogue with the audience animated by **Chema Caballero**, Journalist specialized in development and childhood

- **Iván Mauricio Ojeda**, Directorate of Social and Demographic Statistics of Paraguay
- **Fernanda Catalina Yépez Calderón**, Under Secretariat of Inclusive Education of Ecuador (TBC)
- **Boukary Savadogo**, Permanent Secretary of National Multisectoral Committee for the Protection and Promotion of Persons with Disability (COMUD/Handicap)
- **Nora Groce**, University College of London (TBC)



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## 12:10 **Roundtable II – Mainstreaming gender and disability in inclusive education: the experience of the international cooperation**

Dialogue with the audience animated by **Vicky Bendito**, Journalist and disability activist

- **Lola Martín Villalba**, Head of Gender Unit at the Spanish Agency of Development Cooperation (AECID)
- **Beatriz Martínez**, Project Officer, Fundación ONCE para América Latina
- **Nikoleta Nikisianli**, Programme Officer, Austrian Partnership Programme in Higher Education & Research for Development (APPEAR), Austrian Development Agency
- **Ola Abu Alghaib**, Director, Global Influencing and Research, Leonard Cheshire, and IDDC

## 13:10 **Conclusions and closing remarks**

- **Anna Terrón**, FIIAPP, General Director, or **Germán García da Rosa**, FIIAPP, Director of Department of Social Affairs and Public Administration

## 13:20 **Inclusive performance (TBC)**

## 13:30 **End of the event**

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