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Online Event | 25th May 2021

09.25 Welcome from Dods D&I

Chair's Introduction & Opening Remarks: Examining the current landscape for women in education

- 09.30**
- Understanding why women are underrepresented in senior positions
 - Addressing the cultural and practical obstacles to leadership
- CHAIR: **Anita Devi**, CEO & Founder, #TeamADL*

- 10.00**
- ##### **The Power of Storytelling: using storytelling to overcome self-imposed barriers**
- How stories shape our identities as leaders and as individuals
 - Interrogating the stories you tell about yourself
 - Re-shaping your narratives to empower yourself to grow, achieve and inspire
- SPEAKER: **Joy Maitland**, Executive Coach and Leadership Development Consultant, Inemmo*

10.45 Comfort Break

- 11.10**
- ##### **Preparing for success: laying the groundwork to communicate with impact**
- Structuring your meetings and preparatory work for maximum effect
 - Managing adrenaline to think clearly under pressure
 - Holding attention in a virtual environment
- SPEAKER: **Cath Baxter**, Professional Voice and Public Speaking Consultant & former Head of Voice, Mountview Academy of Theatre Arts*

12.10 Comfort Break

12.20 **Thinking strategically: using self-awareness to drive better decision-making**

- Knowing your purpose and understanding your strengths
- Working parents: identifying strategies to create the balance you need
- Dreaming big: having the confidence to aim high and get up when you fall

*SPEAKER: **Professor Shân Wareing**, Deputy Vice Chancellor, University of Northampton*

13.15 Break for Lunch

Panel Discussion:
Resilience in uncertainty: key lessons to take forward from COVID-19

- Protecting your mental health and wellbeing in the face of adversity
- Asking for what you need, at home and at work
- Maintaining confidence in your abilities and worth during difficult times

*SPEAKER: **Charlotte Briscall**, Director of Customer Experience, Design, Digital & Data (CEDD), Education and Skills Funding Agency*
*SPEAKER: **Viv Grant**, Director, Integrity Coaching*
*SPEAKER: **Sinéad Mc Brearty**, Chief Executive Officer, Education Support*

15.20 Comfort Break

15.40 **Leading a change in culture: where do we go from here?**

- Raising the visibility of women as senior leaders in education
- Intersectionality at work: appreciating the impact of different characteristics in shaping one's experience
- You've got a friend in me: being an ally to others and lifting others as you climb
- Authentic leadership: finding the courage to lead authentically

*SPEAKER: **Mary Stiasny**, Pro Vice-Chancellor (International) and Chief Executive of University of London Worldwide*

16.15 Chair's Closing Remarks
*CHAIR: **Anita Devi**, CEO & Founder, #TeamADL*

16.30 Conference Close

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