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Tips for Skills for women in the construction sector

In the frame of the High Heels project Militos SA and knowl Social Enterprise are co-organizing the «Tips 4 Skills» conference aiming to offer skills development, practical solutions and knowledge, networking with professionals working in the sector and a useful workshop offering practical knowledge to the participants who will attend the conference in Collage, on 15 February 2015.

The «**Tips 4 Skills**» conference will focus on the “barriers” of women professionals in the male dominated construction sector. It aims to showcase the points that differentiate women from men and the soft skills which, if developed, can offer women a competitive advantage over their male competitors. The conference will be moderated by the renowned internal spaces decorator Sissy Feida. Please register [here](#).



The conference will be completed with the delivery of a free training session for cultivating communication, negotiation and leadership attributes aiming at developing sound interpersonal skills for women pursuing a successful professional career in the construction sector. The facilitator of the sessions Mr. George Vlachos is the Business Development Consultant and former CEO of Lafarge. An early roundtable discussion will precede the conference, moderated by Dimitris Zafeiriadis, Vice President of knowl. Professionals and academics from the construction sector will participate in the discussion, with the aim to explore the special characteristics and conditions for the employment of women in the construction sector.

The conference will be implemented within the frames of the European project High Heels, which has developed innovative educational material in fundamental soft skills for women who wish to be employed or already are in the male dominated construction sector. High Heels offers women the necessary tools and skills to effectively deal with gender stereotypes that are obstacles to their professional advancement in the construction sector.



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