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NEW : A TOUR IN THE UNIGE LIBRARIES

The project *100 women and thousands more* is touring in the libraries of the University of Geneva. The project will have a stand where it will make available books selected by the various libraries on the theme of women role models, the publication *100 women* to consult (copies available on request at the library reception desk) and the bookmarks *100 women*. A screen will also allow you to view the 28 video portraits that have been filmed as part of the project



You will find the stand in the different libraries on the following dates :

From October 14 to November 11 : **Ernst & Lucie Schmidheiny Library (Sciences II)**

From November 11 to December 11 : **CMU Library**

February 15 to April 1 : **Uni Mail Library**

From April 15 to May 15 : **Uni Bastions Library (Philosophers' Area)**

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UPCOMING EVENTS*

**Events will be held in full compliance with protective measures*

Online, november 20 | 13:30 - 15:00 | *Le manque de femmes « role models » : comment y remédier et changer le système* | Conférence dans le cadre du colloque Think Tank Critical Gender & Diversity Knowledge, UNIGE

Costanza Bonadonna, professor of Geological risks in the Department of Earth Sciences, Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Science and Director of CERG.

Isabelle Harsh, director of Henri Harsch HH SA.

Evie Vergauwe, professor at FPSE and Researcher in Cognitive and Developmental Psychology.
Cristina Zanini, Civil and Municipal Engineer of Lugano.

Moderation: Brigitte Mantilleri and Klea Faniko, Service égalité & diversité UNIGE

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AROUND THE ROLE MODELS: FOCUS ON...

...the 100 women at EPFL:

Rizlan Bernier-Latmani was President of the Commission on the Status of Women Professors at EPFL. The report and recommendations resulting from this commission were approved by the EPFL management. [More information...](#)

Camille Brès was distinguished by being elected a member of the Optical Society. [More information...](#)

Anna Fontcuberta i Morral has been appointed Deputy Vice-President for Research Centers and Platforms at EPFL. [More information...](#)

Kathryn Hess has been appointed Associate Vice-President for Student Affairs and Outreach at EPFL. [More information...](#)

...a project: Les sans pagEs | The project "Les sans pagEs" started in 2016 on the French-speaking Wikipedia. It is the result of a first local initiative, in the French-speaking part of Switzerland, in Geneva, and aims to reduce the gender gap on Wikipedia by producing articles on the encyclopedia, and organizing events and training to promote the participation and visibility of women in Wikimedia projects.

Call for participation! Write the profiles of 100 women and thousands more: [become a contributor on Wikipedia by participating in Wikimidis!](#)

[More information about "Les sans pagEs"...](#)

...a comic book: *Les Découvreuses, 20 destins de femmes pour la science*, Moinard Marie and Christelle Pécout (2019)

Behind the strong and emblematic personality of Marie Curie, the comic book "Les Découvreuses" presents the exceptional adventure of 20 women who have enabled humanity to make leaps forward in the most varied scientific disciplines: physics, chemistry, telecommunications, biology, space exploration...

REVIEW OF PAST EVENTS

Gaming, informatique : comment être une scientifique de pointe ? A la rencontre de trois professeures « branchées » | Webinaire, UNIGE



On October 13, a webinar, introduced by an inspiring speech by UNIGE vice-rector Brigitte Galliot, brought together three "connected" women: [Daphné Bavelier](#) (professor of cognitive neurosciences at FPSE), [Isabelle Collet](#) (computer scientist, professor at FPSE and associate researcher in Gender Studies) and [Katarzyna Wac](#) (professor and researcher in computer science at GSEM). Specialized in computer science or gaming, they shared their experience and research on women in scientific fields.

Forme, immagini e materiali | Serata tematica su architettura, arte e ingegneria, USI

To launch the campaign *100 women and thousands more* in Ticino, a theme event on architecture, art and engineering was held in Mendrisio on October 6. On this occasion, the portraits of the ten Ticinese women of the *100 Women and Thousands more* campaign were exhibited with the contribution of the USI Academy of Architecture. Brigitte Galliot, UNIGE vice-rector, was present on this occasion and introduced the event.



Moderated by the USI vice-rector, Daniela Mondini, the round table brought together four model roles from Ticino : Cristina Zanini Barzaghi (civil and municipal engineer in Lugano), Donatella Fioretti (architect and professor at the Kunstakademie in Düsseldorf), Gianna Antonia Mina (art historian and director of the Vincenzo Vela Museum in Ligornetto) Ludovica Molo (architect and President of the Federation of Swiss Architects).

[Video of the event](#)

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