



International Association of Women in Radio and Television

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Dear Member,

We are pleased to announce that IAWRT will hold a triple event in **Johannesburg, South Africa** from **26th to 28th of October, 2016**.

The event will include our traditional regional meeting. The theme of this year's conference is:

THE AFRICAN WOMAN AND THE MEDIA: THE PRISON OF PORTRAYAL.

In addition, we will hold a **GENDER MAINSTREAMING IMPLEMENTATION WORKSHOP**. The workshop is a follow-up of the success of the IAWRT Gender Mainstreaming report showing media monitoring research in eight countries. The aim of the workshop is to develop common strategies to get state broadcasters and other media institutions to implement gender policies.

Proudly, we will also launch the first IAWRT-sponsored film festival in Africa, "**HER AFRICA**" **FILM FESTIVAL**, in Johannesburg on Oct 28th - 29th, 2016.

So, Dear Members, get ready to be a part of this enchanting, stimulating conference.

Because of funding constraints IAWRT will only be able to sponsor one representative from each Chapter, but welcome self sponsored members to attend. A further condition for chapter sponsorship is that the chapter has fulfilled its obligations according to the IAWRT Statutes (activity report, financial report and chapter fee)

Participants are expected to arrive on the 25th October and leave on the October 29th. Please let the Secretariat (secretariat@iawrt.org) know before **August 31st**, so we can send a registration package.

We will send more information including the conference programme in due course.

Regards,

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Gunilla Ivarsson,
IAWRT President