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Innovation, Gender & Growth (IGG)

- state of the art in EU and beyond

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First of all – I am honoured !

Themes covered

Macro-level: Gender still a non issue

Meso-level: Gendered institutions and gendered innovations

Micro-level: Women as inventors and entrepreneurs

Macro-level

Gender? Harvard professor in Brussels in October 2014

Knowledge societies vs industrial societies

Urban vs rural areas

Unequal gender contracts vs modern contracts

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Meso-level

A lot of knowledge from studies of gender and organisations

Gendered infracturies vs inclusive stuctures for innovation support

Gendered organisations vs inclusive organisations

Gendered innovations – Stanford University + EU (Horizon 2020)

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Micro-level

Women as innovators and as entrepreneurs is not the same

Women have less, get less and pay more for capital as a general rule – but exceptions

Women is seen as less innovative – no evidence in research

Women inventors are in all fields – a lot of new ideas in the care sector not acknowledged

The power of technology rules and the dichotomy male-female is strong