

Women in STEM: Driving Change in Higher Education

4 – 6 November 2026, Hotel Loft

Wednesday, November 4, 2026

3:30 PM – 4:00 PM Registration
4:00 PM – 4:30 PM Introduction, opening remarks
4:30 PM – 5:30 PM Panel discussion
5:30 PM – 5:50 PM Short break
5:50 PM – 6:30 PM Erasmus+ session
6:30 PM – 7:30 PM Dinner

Thursday, November 5, 2026

9:00 AM – 09:30 – Introduction
09:30 -10:15 AM How to Retain Women in STEM part I, (equality, ethical codes, creating a supportive environment at universities in STEM fields)
10:15 AM – 10:30 AM Coffee break
10:30 AM – 11:30 AM How to Retain Women in STEM part II
11:30 AM – 1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM – 2:30 PM Project ST(R)E(A)M IT
2:30 PM – 3:00 PM Coffee break
3:00 PM – 4:30 PM Good case practices and networking
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM Discover Bratislava
7:30 PM – 9:00 PM Dinner in Restaurant Parlament

Friday, November 6, 2026

9:00 AM – 9:45 AM Storytelling
9:45 AM – 10:30 AM How Slovak Ministry of Education, Research, Development and Youth supports school girls to join STEM field
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM Coffee break
11:00 AM – 12:30 AM Building the pipeline: How early engagement attracts high school girls to IT, Veronika Pizano
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM Wrap-up + conclusion
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Lunch and departure