“Ring the Bell for Gender Equality 2018”
An event hosted by the Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)
In collaboration with UN Women Asia and the Pacific and the Embassy of Sweden
Thursday March 8, 2018
13.30 – 16.30 hrs.
Sukree Kaewcharoen Auditorium
The Stock Exchange of Thailand
3rd Floor, Building B

Venue: Sukree Kaewcharoen Auditorium,
3rd floor, SET building, Ratchadaphisek Road
Date and time: 8 March, 13.30-16.30 hrs.

PROGRAM:

13.30 – 14.00  Registration of participants and journalists

14.00 – 14.15  Welcome and introductions
  ● Mrs. Kesara Manchusree, the SET President
  ● Dr. Miwa Kato, UN Women Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific
  ● Mr. Staffan Herrström, the Swedish Ambassador to Thailand

14.20 – 14.29  Prepare for “Ring the Bell for Gender Equality 2018”

14.29 – 14.39  Bell-ringing ceremony and group photo

14.40 – 16.00  Panel discussion on the future of work for women, moderated by
Ms. Anna-Karin Jatfors, Deputy Regional Director, UN Women Asia and the Pacific

  Discussants:
  ● “Women Empowerment Principles: What are they, Why are they Important and How can we Achieve them? Showcasing best practices and tools for achieving gender equality in private sector driving commercial value” Ms. Fiza Farharn, a member of UN Secretary General’s High-Level Panel on Women’s Economic Empowerment/Global Advisor on Energy and Women’s Economic Empowerment
  ● “Parental Leave at IKEA: Why It Makes Economic Sense” Mr. Lars Svensson, Sustainability and Communication Director, IKEA Southeast Asia
  ● “Promoting Gender Equality in the Workplace: Experiences from Japan” Ms. Mariko Kawaguchi, Senior Researcher, Daiwa Institute of Research, Board Member Global Compact Network Japan and Councilor for Plan International Japan
  ● “Women’s Economic Empowerment from a Man’s Perspective” Mr. Pita Limjaroenrat, Executive Director for Grab (Thailand) Ltd.

16.00-16.30  Q & A session/ End of the program

Simultaneous translation will be available throughout the program.