



Diana International Research Conference 2016

University of Nordland, Bodø, Norway, June 12-14, 2016

Theme: Gender in family business & Gender and innovation

The Diana-project was established in 1999, by Professors Brush, Carter, Gatewood, Green and Hart – in partnership with ESBRI, Stockholm. The Diana Research Project has led the research agenda in women's entrepreneurship across continents, cultures and contexts. During these years, the Diana conferences have brought together more than 100 scholars from 16 different countries worldwide, providing an arena to share a global research agenda dedicated to answering questions about women entrepreneurs and growth-oriented businesses. For the first time, the 9th Diana International Conference will be held in Norway, in Bodø. The conference will be hosted by Research Professor Elisabet Ljunggren (Nordland Research Institute) and Professor Gry Agnete Alsos (University of Nordland Business School).

We invite papers that broadly fit with the overarching themes of conference, and seek contributions based on rigorous research that explores how family businesses are gendered and how innovation could be understood and studied with gender perspectives. We also invite papers on other topics within the scope of the Diana International Research Conference related to gender and entrepreneurship. Submitted papers may be conceptually or empirically based, and employ quantitative or qualitative methods.

The 2016 Diana International Conference will take place just after the Babson College Entrepreneurship Research Conference (June 8-11, 2016). Submissions of abstracts are welcome from November 1st, 2015 and will close December 15, 2015. For further information, see the conference web page.

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