HIGH-LEVEL EVENT ON GENDER EQUALITY AND GLOBAL CALL TO ACTION ON EQUAL PAY

WEDNESDAY, 16 MARCH 2016
12.00 to 1.30 PM
ECOSOC Chamber, United Nations Secretariat, New York, NY

Part I. Armchair Conversation on Gender Equality | 12.00 – 12.45 p.m.
• JUSTIN TRUDEAU, Prime Minister of Canada
• PHUMZILE MLAMBO-NGCUKA, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director of UN Women

Part II. A Global Call to Action on Equal Pay | 12.45 – 1.30 p.m.
• Video Messages from SIGMUNDUR DAVÍD GUNNLAUGSSON, Prime Minister of Iceland and STEFAN LÖFVEN, Prime Minister of Sweden
• RENANA JHABVALA, Self-Employed Women’s Association (SEWA)
• JILL SHENKER, International Organizing Director, National Domestic Workers Alliance
• ABBY WAMBACH, Olympic gold medalist, World Cup winner and US football icon

Moderator: SADE BADERINWA, News Anchor at New York’s WABC Channel 7

A two-part event with the first part being a high-level dialogue on gender equality; and the second part a moderated interview-style discussion with UN Women Executive Director Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka and key stakeholders on a global call to action on equal pay for work of equal value, organized by UN Women.

Guests will be seated on a first come-first serve basis. Seating must be completed by 11.45 a.m.