

# International Day of Women and Girls in Science 2023

An event by ICTP & OWSD



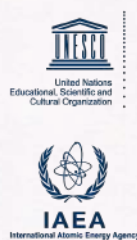
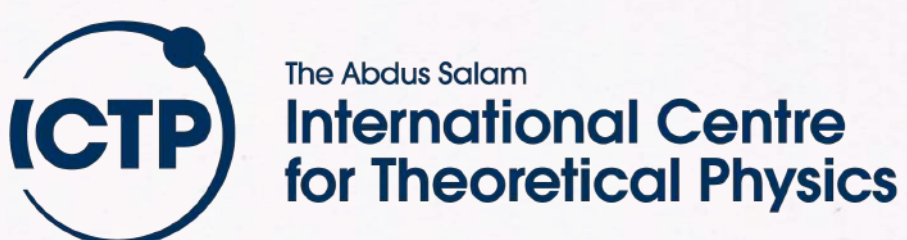
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Friday 10 February  
2pm - 4pm  
Budinich Lecture  
Hall, ICTP

Short-films and  
panel discussion

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The International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP) and the Organization for Women in Science for the Developing World (OWSD) are pleased to invite all students, staff, researchers, guests and any interested persons to attend a short-films showcase followed by a panel discussion on the occasion of the International Day of Women and Girls in Science (11 of February).

This event aims to promote a discussion around the role of women in science, highlighting success stories and sharing actionable solutions that increase women's leadership, voices and representation in science systems.

## AGENDA

### 14:00 Welcome and introduction

Sandro Scandolo, Senior Coordinator, Research & Partnerships, ICTP  
Erika Coppola, Research Scientist, Earth Systems Physicist ICTP  
Tonya Blowers, OWSD Coordinator

### 14:15 Screening of 2 short films

- Sayipjamal Dulat, China (From Theory to Reality: ICTP at 50, 2015)
- Maryse Nkoua Ngavouka: an experimental physicist in the Republic of Congo (OWSD Visions, 2022)

### 14:30 Discussion with panelists and audience Q&A

### 15:30 Light refreshments

### 16:00 OWSD Italy National Chapter

Open meeting for interested participants to discuss the potential establishment of an OWSD National Chapter in Trieste

### Moderator:

Tonya Blowers, Coordinator, OWSD

### Panelists:

- ICTP: Sandro Scandolo, Erika Coppola
- TWAS: Payal Patel, Associate Programme Officer
- Behnaz Abbasgholi-Na, Researcher, synthesis, characterization, and application of nanoparticles (Iran)
- Nicole Leghissa, Director OWSD Visions project and filmmaker, Trieste