

Women and their environment across the ages

The German cooperation is celebrating women's day with a day of discussions around the change women face due to a changing natural environment and changes in the legal situation of women in the past hundred years in Europa and in Africa. University students will raise the question on why and what we are celebrating every year on Women's day, panelists will discuss the effects of climate change on women and their responses to it and a poster exhibition will show how the right to vote for women has been visualized and discussed in Germany.



PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES - SATURDAY 09 MARCH

15:00H

Opening words by the director of the regional programm of KAS in Cameroon

15:05H

"Welt-was?-Tag"

Short theater piece by students of Yaoundé 1

Language: German

Cooking, cleaning, caring for children... This is the woman's daily life. 8 of March - day of liberation? - day when SHE can have fun, drink, go out, celebrate? But is this really the meaning of this day?

Organised by DAAD e.V. Cameroon

15:45H

"Women's perspectives on climate change and energy security"

Languages: French and English

A discussion panel in English and French on why gender matters in discussions about climate change.

Organised by Konrad Adenauer Stiftung's regional programm energy security and climate change in Sub-Saharan Africa in cooperation with Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH



17:30H

"Campus-Schach"

Short theater piece by students of Yaoundé 1

Language: German

The student's daily life is for a woman here unveiled. Between prejudices and insults she suffers because of her dressing habits and her disappointments resulting from her romantic relationships, she feels oppressed and defends herself with the help of the famous saying "clothes (don't) make people"

Organised by DAAD e.V. Cameroun

18:15H

"Women and their environment across the ages"

Reception: Exhibition « 100 years of Women's voting rights » in Germany

Opening words by representatives from the German Embassy and FES Cameroon

Languages: French, English and German

Women's voting right is one of the greatest achievements in Germany during the 20th century. This year marks its 100th anniversary. Visit a photo exhibition depicting the progress of women's voting right in Germany through a century that witnessed major political and democratic upheavals of the 20th century.

Organised by the German Embassy in cooperation with Friedrich Ebert Stiftung Deutschland