

# 55<sup>TH</sup> WORLD CONGRESS OF WORLD ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS

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**Femmes Chefs d'Entreprises Mondiales**

EBWA

**THEME: "Women's Empowerment to Meet the  
Millennium Development Goals MDGs"**

**NOVEMBER 23 -28, 2008**

**MENA HOUSE OBEROI HOTEL  
CAIRO, EGYPT**

The Femmes Chef d' Entreprises Mondiales and the Egyptian Business Women Association invite you to participate in the 55<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the World Association of Women Entrepreneurs in Cairo, Egypt. Join us in the pharaoh's land where civilization started thousands of years ago to discuss women's economic empowerment, establish business contacts and network with women business owners and leaders from throughout Africa and around the world. The congress program will focus on: **Economic Women Empowerment; The Role of Business Women in Social Development; Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs); New Methods of Finance; Women Innovation; and Women in Trade & Marketing.** The program also includes Match Making Meetings and an Exhibition. A highlight of the program is the Gala Dinner themed "A Thousand and One Nights" that will take place at the foot of the Pyramids (*bring your National Costume for fashion show & an article to contribute in the Charity Auction during the Gala Dinner*) and the daily tours

## Who Should Attend the Congress?

- Women Entrepreneurs
- Business Women Leaders
- Business Women Associations
- Chambers of Commerce
- Agencies & Organizations supporting SMEs

For more information, please email: [portmgmt@starpower.net](mailto:portmgmt@starpower.net) or call 202-659-8006

**Register and Book your travel now for this historical event at the pyramids of Giza while  
Egypt is crossing the 7<sup>th</sup> Millennium!!!**

**ONLY THE FIRST FIFTEEN [15] REGISTRANTS WILL BE QUALIFIED TO REGISTER FOR THIS UNIQUE  
PROGRAM.**

*Please kindly forward this flier to your colleagues who may be interested.*

## PACKAGE INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING

**AIRFARE:** Economy from Washington Dulles International (IAD) and are subject to availability. Please email us @ portmgmt@starpower.net or call us on 202-659-8006 for rates from other locales.

**LODGING:** Seven nights hotel accommodation at Mena Oberoi House (5 star) in Cairo, Egypt, including complimentary breakfast, service charge and taxes. This palatial hotel in the shadow of the Great Pyramids in Cairo has enchanted guests since 1869. Located on forty acres of jasmine scented gardens, Mena House Oberoi has played host to Kings and Emperors, Heads of State and celebrities. Its royal history is reflected in luxurious interiors that are embellished with exquisite antiques, handcrafted furniture and rich textiles. A variety of international as well as Egyptian cuisine is on offer at the excellent restaurants and bars in the hotel. This is the perfect place to begin your explorations of Cairo.



[www.oberoimenahouse.com](http://www.oberoimenahouse.com)

**GROUND TRANSPORTATION:** Transfers from the airport to the hotel and from the hotel back to the airport in Cairo.

**REGISTRATION FEES for World Congress which includes the following:**

- Admission to Sessions and Exhibition
- Congress Package – Name badge, Congress Bag and Program
- Coffee Breaks and Lunches during the Congress
- Cocktail Reception and Gala Dinner

**PACKAGE PRICE = \$2,699.00 SINGLE OCCUPANCY/ \$2,299.00 DOUBLE (from IAD)**

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### OPTIONAL TOUR PROGRAM AND EXHIBITION (not included in the package)

**EXHIBITION FEES:** \$ 325USD includes Table & Chair

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#### Daily Tours (Half Day)

#### Price per person

Tour 1: Egyptian Museum

\$ 38.00 USD

Tour 2: Pyramids and Sphinx

\$ 40.00 USD

Tour 3: Memphis and Sakkara

\$ 47.00 USD

Tour 4: Pharaonic Village

\$ 44.00 USD

Tour 5: Old Cairo, Citadel & Khan El Khalili Bazaar

\$ 40.00 USD

Tour 6: Coptic Cairo, Hanging Church & Coptic Museum

\$ 37.00 USD

Tour 7: Overday Alexandria (Full day including Lunch)

\$ 137.00 USD

Tour 8: Dinner Nile Cruise

\$ 50.00 USD

#### Other OPTIONAL Tours

Nile Cruise, Hurghada or Sharm El Skeikh: email or call for itineraries and prices

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

(Please print or type)

Title (please circle) Mr. Mrs. Ms. Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Family Name) \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Organization  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization  
Website: \_\_\_\_\_

### **PASSPORT REQUIRED**

**Registration fee payment is due by November 9, 2007**

#### **PAYMENT OPTIONS:**

Money Order/Cashier's Check

Wire Transfer

Discover

American Express

MasterCard

Visa

TOTAL CREDIT CARD CHARGE: USD\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Cardholder \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All requests for refunds must be submitted in writing and approved by Portfolio Management Group, Ltd. (PMG) prior to November 9, 2008. There will be a cancellation fee of \$100USD for those whose requests were approved. No-shows and those who apply for a refund beyond the deadline will not receive refunds. Itinerary – Airline schedule and hotel arrangement are subject to change, due to circumstances beyond the organizer's control. PMG will not be held liable for any of the changes.

**Please return by email or fax to:**

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**IMMUNIZATION**: All Participants are advised to consult their physician for advice on specific vaccinations required for Egypt before departure from the United States.

**ENTRY VISA REQUIREMENT FOR EGYPT**

A valid passport is required for all travelers. U.S. citizens may obtain their visa at the port of entry at no cost. Non US citizens may require a visa and are advised to contact the Egyptian Embassy or Consulate, to obtain a travel visa prior to departure.

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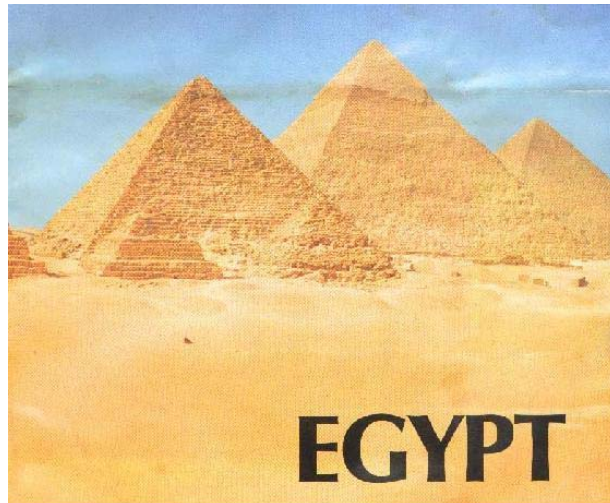
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**WEATHER IN CAIRO**

The sun always shines in Cairo, and the weather is constantly warm to hot with cool nights. The city experiences only two seasons, which are a blisteringly hot summer between May and October, and an only slightly cooler winter between November and April. Rain is not a feature in the climate of Cairo, which receives less than half an inch a year. Humidity can reach 77 percent in summer, but is very low in winter, making this the most comfortable time to travel to Cairo. The city is also subject to occasional strong hot winds, called “sirocco,” during April. In November you can expect average highs of 75 degrees and lows of 57 degrees.



**Women's Empowerment Congress 2008**  
**Cairo, Egypt**

COMPANY  
NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARTICIPANT  
Information: Mr. Ms.

Last name	Middle initials	Given name
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ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

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**COMPANY PROFILE:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Agro –Food  | <input type="checkbox"/> Tourism        | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Industry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate    | <input type="checkbox"/> Printing         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Furniture   | <input type="checkbox"/> Handicrafts    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Packaging   | <input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry        | _____                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Textile     | <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Design | _____                                     |

You are:     Manufacturer     Contractor     Subcontractor     Other

Describe your business: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Purpose of participation:     Invest     Technology Transfer     Know-how Transfer  
                                   Networking     Export & Import