



# Afghan Women and Economic Empowerment

## Thinking outside the box



Tuesday 17 November - 17:30 - 19:00 Kabul Time  
(13:00 - 14:30 GMT/14:00 - 15:30 CET/08:00 - 09:30 EST)

Join us for an online event including a panel discussion featuring prominent Afghan professionals who have successfully taken forward initiatives towards job creation and skills building, a presentation on a nationwide survey on women's businesses and discussion on women's employment with special guests

Hosted jointly by  
the Agency Coordinating Body for Afghan Relief and Development (ACBAR)  
Afghanistan Women's Chamber of Commerce and Industries (AWCCI)

### Panel Members



Fereshteh Forough, Founder, Code to Inspire, a coding school for women and girls in Herat, Afghanistan



Marghuba Safi, Founder, Peshraft Zanan, an organic beauty product company based in Kabul



Sara Wahedi, Founder and CEO, Ehtesab, a civic technology startup



Farzana Fazli, Independent Jewelry Designer and entrepreneur



Moderated by Manizha Wafeq, President, Afghanistan Women's Chamber of Commerce and Industries (AWCCI)

and



Thomas ten Boer, Country Director of Welthungerhilfe in Afghanistan joins Manizha Wafeq for an engaging discussion on tax incentives as a way to stimulate women entrepreneurship in Afghanistan

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