Newsletter

May 2022

Dear CSNOW community,

We hope that you enjoyed the Easter break and regain fresh energy for the rest of the semester! We are exited to present to you Laura who recently joined our team. There are also multiple CSNOW events coming up in may. Read further to learn more.

– the CSNOW team

Welcome Laura!

Hi everyone! I'm Laura and I newly joined CSNOW this semester. I joined because I am concerned about the impact gender inequality will have on our digitalized future. As algorithms and ADM systems interfere with increasingly more areas of our life I strongly believe we have to ensure that those systems are created by people from diverse backgrounds as their experiences and beliefs always influence final products. I enjoy the CSNOW events because they address such questions while bringing women in tech together. It's a great network with great people involved.

Woman in lead: Julia Dannath-Schuh

Following the successful "*Tea time with Sarah Sprigman*", we are organizing another moderated Q&A session with a woman in the ETH lead. Julia Dannath-Schuh, the Vice President for Personnel Development and Leadership of ETH, will be our guest this time. The conversation will be moderated by Ece and Kristina, the co-leaders of CSNOW. Don't miss the great

opportunity to hear about Julia Dannath-Schuh's career path, her insights about women in **leadership** positions, **diversity** strategy of ETH, or any other topic you want to bring up. The event is followed by an **apéro**!

- **9.5.2022**
- 🕐 12:00 - 13:30
- All members of D-INFK
- ✏ Please register to the event (even if you registered to the previous date as well)!

Register

CSNOW Career panel

The yearly CSNOW career panel event is back! This year, we are focusing on the topic *"Women in Lead"*!

Join us at the panel on **May 17th**, where men and women of diverse backgrounds, from both academia and the industry, will gather to share their knowledge, perspective, and invaluable experiences! Over two hours, you can gain insight into the work life and career opportunities that await you, ask your own questions, and benefit from the wisdom of our panelists. There will also be an **apero** following the event, where you can get to know others and engage in friendly discussion while enjoying the appetizers.

- **17.5.2022**
- 🕐 16:30 - 17:30 + apero
- All members of D-INFK
- ✏ Please register to the event via the link below!

Though the focus is on women in Computer Science, we welcome everybody who would like to join our panel. Bring all your friends along!

Register

Program a Drone

The ETH Future Computing Laboratory (EFCL) and CSNOW would like to invite you to a hands-on hardware workshop. Hear from researchers working across multiple hardware disciplines and get the chance to program your very own hardware device!

This workshop is for Computer Science students who would like to experiment more with hardware. Hardware is fundamental to many aspects of human life, ranging from medical applications to entertainment purposes. We invite you to learn more about the fundamentals of hardware, and how research into hardware impacts your daily life.

- 21.5.2022
- 🕐 9:15 - 14:00
- Female members of D-INFK

- ✏ Please register to the event via the link below!

The full program of the event can be found on our [website](#).

Register

Student research assistant needed

To help with running this year's Gender & Science Lecture Series, SWiSH is looking for a student research assistant. This position is open to any Master's and advanced Bachelor's student at ETH. The deadline to apply is May 31, 2022. More details and registration information can be found [here](#).

Women in Data Science

On **May 6**, the fourth edition of Women in Data Science (WiDS) Zürich will take place. WiDS Zürich aims to support and empower data scientists and provide visibility for women's contributions in the field. The latest data science related research and applications in a broad set of domains will be presented by outstanding female speakers. WiDS Zürich 2022 will feature a varied program with speakers from Roche, AWS, Databricks, Disney Research, META AI, ETH, EPFL, … Participants, regardless of gender, can have in-depth discussions and be inspired during mentorship sessions and a networking reception. The poster session provides a unique opportunity to present your research to experts from academia and the industry. To make participation in the conference more accessible to participants with families, we offer free on-site child care in English and German during the conference day. Register for the event [here](#).

WomenTech Global Conference 2022

WomenTech Network is hosting the third edition of the largest virtual tech conference for women, minorities, and their allies in tech, [WomenTech Global Conference 2022](#) **June 7-10**. The conference is aiming at uniting once again 100 000 women in tech from all over the world. The theme for this year's conference is evolving around the Future of Work, Open Collaboration, Tech Innovation, and how we as a community can make an impact and change in the world. #WTGC2022 will feature tech professionals, industry innovators, +5900 WomenTech Network Ambassadors, and +500 speakers from all over the world. Some of the speakers are the most accomplished women in tech from companies like Amazon, Discovery, Disney, Facebook, Google, IBM, Microsoft, and many more.

Present your thesis

The [EDM Council](#) recently founded a working group ['Women in Data'.](#) The working group's goal is to advance the role of women in data management. As part of the initial activities, Women in Data are organizing a conference in Q3 for their members (female leaders in the financial information industry) and would like to invite female students to present their master's thesis (centered around data

management / ESG Data). The goal is to expose female students to a network of mentors and promoters of innovative ideas and new approaches to data management.

Are you interested in presenting your thesis? Then reach out to the organizers.

BCG Ladies Night

How do we as women build on our strengths, connect our various roles, and grow with each other?

Join the BCG Ladies Night on **May 19** and meet the main speaker Antonella Mei-Pochtler, Senior Advisor BCG & Supervisory Board Member, who will address these and other questions. She will happily share her inspiring story of how she joined BCG, opened BCG's office in Austria, became a member of the firm's Executive Committee, and is now on the advisory board of a variety of companies such as Westwing and Generali. More details and application information can be found here.

UBS networking event

Join the UBS networking event on May 11 to learn more about UBS as a technology employer. More information and a registration link can be found here.