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A Seat at the Table with Her Royal Highness Princess Reema bint Bandar, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the United States of America Women in Global Leadership Series Continues with Guest Speaker Princess Reema on May 25

Washington, DC – The new, monthly webinar series: A Seat at the Table – Women in Global Leadership, presented by World Trade Center Washington, DC (WTCDC) and World Trade Center Dublin (WTCD), continues through May with guest speaker, Her Royal Highness Princess Reema bint Bandar Al Saud, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia joining on Tuesday, May 25, 2021. As with past webinars in the series, the dynamic conversation with Her Royal Highness will focus on women's leadership in diplomacy and share her personal journey and insights on the evolving role of women in Saudi Arabia.

Appointed Ambassador to the U.S. in February 2019, Her Royal Highness is the first woman in Saudi Arabia's history to serve in this role. From 1983 to 2005, she lived in Washington, DC, when her father Prince Bandar was Ambassador. When Princess Reema returned to Saudi Arabia she focused on private sector initiatives and the empowerment of women. In 2013, she founded Alf Khair, a social enterprise elevating the professional capital of Saudi women through a curriculum enabling financial self-sufficiency.

Moderated by author Susan Sloan, the series launched in March coinciding with Women's History Month to feature unique perspectives and experiences from former and current ambassadors, dignitaries and global leaders who have made an impact in their respective careers and areas of expertise. Sloan's book "A Seat at the Table: Women, Diplomacy, and Lessons for the World" shares the impact of gender-diversified leadership and highlights stories from women ambassadors and government officials.

Past guest speakers have included Ambassador Swanee Hunt – an activist; philanthropist; scholar; artist; internationalist; and former U.S. Ambassador to Austria and Ambassador Capricia Penavic Marshall, former White House Social Secretary, United States Chief of Protocol, and Author of "Protocol – The Power of Diplomacy and How to Make It Work for You."

With an unprecedented 30+ women leading diplomatic missions in Washington, DC, join the next conversation in this series for a unique opportunity to hear from another dynamic leader! To view past webinars in the series, click **here**.

Who: Her Royal Highness Princess Reema, Guest Speaker

Susan Sloan, Series Moderator

What: A Seat at the Table – Women in Global Leadership webinar series

When: May 25, 2021 at 11:00 AM EST

Why: WTCDC convenes global conversations and launches this new series to share insights,

advice and lessons learned from women leaders.

Where: Webinar registration link is available <u>here</u>.

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