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**Eufemia IPPOLITO, Candidate for Executive Finance Officer, BPW International**

<b>Last name and first name</b>	IPPOLITO, Eufemia
<b>Member of</b>	BPW Gravina
<b>Nominated by</b>	Maria Concetta Oliveri, National President FIDAPA-BPW Italy
<b>Consent of own Affiliate</b>	Nominated by her own Affiliate
<b>BPW Offices held</b>	<p><b>Federation: BPW Italy</b></p> <p>National Member of the “Environment Committee” From 1992 to 1994            Federation BPW Italy National Member Committee “Legislation”            From 2003 – 2005            Federation BPW Italy National Member Committee “Relations With EU”            From 2005 to 2007            Federation BPW Italy National Executive Finance Officer            From 2000 to 2002            Federation BPW Italy National Executive Secretary Officer            From 2007 to 2009            Federation BPW Italy National Vice President            From 2009 to 2011            Federation BPW Italy National President            From 2011 to 2013            Federation BPW Italy Past National President            From 2013 to 2015</p> <p><b>Region:</b> President South East District From 1996 to 1998</p> <p><b>International:</b></p> <p>BPW International Legal Advice Taskforce Chair            From 2017 to 2020</p>





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	<p>BPW International -BPW Europe: EWL (European Women’s Lobby) Brussels Board Member From 2002 to 2008</p> <p>BPW International – BPW Europe: EWL Membership Committee EWL (European Women’s Lobby) : “Relations with the Executive of the EWL” From 2002 to 2004</p> <p>BPW International- BPW Europe Membership Committee EWL (European Women’s Lobby) Brussels for checking of the Constitutions Member States and financial statement analysis From 2004 to 2006</p> <p>BPW International Representative to the Council of Europe - Conference of NGOs in Strasbourg From 2008 to 2020</p> <p>BPW Europe: BPW Europe Member Group:“Brussels Follow-up # 5: “Women on Boards” From 2016 to 2017</p> <p>BPW Europe: Member Group Committee “Women on Boards” From 2018 to 2020</p>
<p><b>Positions in other Voluntary Organizations</b></p>	
<p><b>Related Experience / Qualifications (e.g. CV, resume)</b></p>	<p><b>Professional Experience:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Attorney at law (specialising in company law, EU law, International law)</li> <li>- Professor of company law – retired</li> <li>- Professor of French and English Language and Literature - retired</li> </ul> <p><b>Education:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Graduated in Law</li> <li>- Graduated in French and English language and Literature</li> </ul> <p><b>Positions covered within Council of Europe:</b> 2008/2020 Representative of BPW International in the Conference of INGOs to the <b>Council of Europe in Strasbourg</b></p> <p><b>Positions covered within EWL (European Women’s Lobby) - Brussels</b> 2002 – 2008 EWL Board Member (BPW International - BPW Europe</p> <p>2004 -2006 Membership Committee ( EWL) for checking of the Constitutions Member States and financial statement analysis . 2002-2004 Membership Committee ( EWL) : “Relations with the Executive of the EWL”</p>





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<p><b>Statement by Candidate (Maximum 500 words)</b></p>	<p>I have been a BPW member since April 15, 1987 and have dedicated a lot of my time to promoting BPW values and ideas through my engagement, for instance, as Executive Finance Officer (to 2000 - 2002), National President FIDAPA- BPW Italy ( to 2011-2013), Past National President (to 2014-2020), BPW International Legal Advice Taskforce Chair (to 2017-2020). I am a lawyer specialising in Company law, International law and European law. I was also Professor of Company Law and Professor of French and English language and Literature, now retired.</p> <p>I would like to make my contribution to BPW International and so I submit my candidature as an Executive Finance Officer from 2020 to 2023. The opportunity to serve as Executive Finance Officer will be a pleasure for me and a challenge. Based on years of experience in legal and economic matters, I believe my skills will be useful to BPW International. In drafting</p>





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	<p>each financial plan in my profession, I have always respected the principles of clarity, transparency and financial consolidation. I have a track record of well-kept accounts at FIDAPA BPW Italy when I was Executive Finance Officer and of the various companies that I followed from a legal-economic point of view.</p> <p>The role of BPW Executive Finance Officer is very important for all of us members of the International Federation because it is necessary to ensure excellent management of the fees and funds that are paid. It is necessary to verify that the bookkeeping is always transparent by monitoring expenses and optimising resources. I am willing to invest the time needed to implement and to improve the systems in place in respect of legality and of accounting. If elected I will manage the budget effectively and efficiently, taking into account that fees and funds are subject to restrictions and taking into account that there are countries that face many difficulties in paying fees. I learned to evaluate a business plan and to verify short, medium and long term results. In all these years of my commitment, I have worked with great enthusiasm looking to promote the 'empowerment of women'. I have promoted and ensured good governance in accordance with the ethical principles and legal norms; I have participated in the evaluation of the management performance in the implementation of the strategy and execution, I have set targets and I have checked the results. I will do my best to be in contact with all countries to help every club who needs to have a contact or a link.</p> <p>I have always promoted teamwork, implemented mediation and negotiation skills. I have an ability to work on planning and time management. I'm competent with most Microsoft Office Programs and Access Program; I use the internet easily and communicate on social networks.</p> <p>I would appreciate your vote for Executive Finance Officer and I would be honored to serve BPW International in that capacity. Thank you.</p>
<p><b>A written Supporting statement (Maximum 200 words) by nominating affiliate</b></p>	<p>FIDAPA BPW Italy is proud to endorse <b>EUFEMIA IPPOLITO</b> as the candidate for the position of <b>BPW International Executive Finance Officer</b> for her professionalism, depth of knowledge, dedication and willingness to help BPW International prosper in this new upcoming term. Extensive experience in executive roles in the professional world coupled with long term membership in BPW is a guarantee for our organization to achieve excellent results in friendship and collaboration.</p> <p>We are sure that <b>EUFEMIA IPPOLITO</b> will be able, with her knowledge and dedication, to work day to day to handle the financial activities for our organization.</p> <p>On behalf of all the FIDAPA BPW Italy members and National Council FIDAPA-BPW Italy we are honored to present her candidacy to the BPW International General Assembly.</p> <p><i>Maria Concetta Oliveri, President BPW Italy</i></p>

