AS/COA Eighth Annual Women’s Hemispheric Network Conference
680 Park Avenue – New York City
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8:30 to 9:00 a.m.  Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 to 9:10 a.m.  Opening Remarks
                Cecilia Tornaghi, Managing Editor, Americas Quarterly

9:10 to 9:35 a.m.  Keynote Remarks
                Marian Salzman, Senior Vice President of Global Communications, PMI

9:35 to 10:25 a.m.  Panel: Making the Ask, Closing the Gender Gap
How can you ask for what you want and have the desired result? What happens when you’re told no? What’s the most important thing you have asked for? What’s something that professional women should ask for that most are not?

Professor Maja, Sociologist, Confidence-Researcher, McMaster University
Samar Maziad, Vice President, Senior Analyst, Moody’s
Arpita Mazumdar, Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, US Regional Sales, Goldman Sachs
Gabriela Skouloudi, Partner and Co-head of the Corporate Investment Banking Practice, McKinsey & Company, Inc.

Moderator: Chris Michel, Head of Diversity & Inclusion for the Americas, Bloomberg LP

10:25 to 11:10 a.m.  Coffee and Networking Break

11:10 to 12:00 p.m.  Panel: Managing Stress in the Age of the Hustle
Research shows that women are more than twice as likely than men to suffer from severe stress and anxiety. How can high achievers develop sustainable healthy habits and avoid burnout? Which stress management techniques have worked well for you? Is there a way to leverage stress to benefit your career?

Katia Bouazza, Head of Global Banking, Latin America, HSBC
Taisa Markus, Partner, White & Case LLP
Michael C. Pergine, Policy and Government Lead for Human Health Commercial, Merck
Moderator: Cecilia Tornaghi, Managing Editor, Americas Quarterly

12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Lunch Keynote and Conversation with Table Leaders
Professor Maja will frame the lunch conversation with a presentation on failure and confidence. Leaders from a variety of sectors will then facilitate an informal conversation with conference participants during lunch.
• Claudia Caffuzzi, Vice Chair, Asset & Wealth Management, JP Morgan
• Jacqueline Endriss Ricciani, Managing Director, Head of Debt Advisory Americas, Santander Bank N.A.
• Bilal Ezzeddine, Legal Counsel and Director of External Affairs, Braskem America
• Stacy Gee, Senior Vice President, HSBC
• Cristina Gil, Vice President of Sustainability, Orbia
• Professor Maja, Sociologist, Confidence-Researcher, McMaster University
• Taisa Markus, Partner, White & Case LLP
• Samar Maziald, Vice President, Senior Analyst, Moody’s
• Michael C. Pergine, Policy and Government Lead for Human Health Commercial, Merck
• Cindy Shimoide, Head of Multi-Asset Portfolio and Investment Consulting Group for Latin America, BlackRock
• Cecilia Tornaghi, Managing Editor, Americas Quarterly

1:00 to 1:10 p.m. Closing Remarks
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1:10 to 2:00 p.m. Networking Dessert Reception

Thank you for attending today’s conference and mark your calendars for our next WHN program in Mexico on November 20th. For more information and to register, visit us online at as-coa.org/women.