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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Training on Women in AI - 31 - PRO540SCA-2024

With reference to the above-mentioned procedure, please find below the answers to the questions posed by the interested companies:

REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATIONS Nr. 1 (dated Thursday 26/09/2024 14:19)

Question 1: Do you have more information regarding the women participants? What's their level of education, what kind of professional duties they have, and what's their level of understanding of AI and/or technical skills, so we can properly adapt our proposal to them?

Answer: The participants will be

- 1) women entrepreneurs/CEO working in the MENA region, and they are expected to have a basic to medium understanding of AI and/or technical skills
- 2) members of women business organizations
- 3) members of networks on women in tech, Fintech etc

Their professional duties are diverse, ranging from managing startups to leading small businesses, which may vary in terms of sector focus. The women participants in the training are a mix of those already part of the UfM network and others that will be identified in the coming weeks. Some participants may also be identified in collaboration with the expert(s) involved in the organization of the training, in accordance with section 2.2 of the Terms of Reference.

As outlined in the Terms of Reference, the expert(s) will work closely with UfM to refine the content, agenda, and concept note of the training based on the finalized participant list — which will be provided at a later stage-, to ensure that the training is appropriately tailored to the women entrepreneurs participants' needs.

Question 2: How and who are reaching out to them, and how will they know about the session and the logistics to connect to the session?

Answer: The UfM will be responsible for managing the online platform and ensuring simultaneous translation services in Arabic, French, and English during the session in accordance with section 2.2 of the Terms of Reference.