

Growing in **COURAGE** and **COMPETENCE**



8-12 OCTOBER 2025 | BUDAPEST

Hope for Europe – Women in Leadership invites you to be part of our upcoming conference in Budapest from October 8 to 12.

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Europe does need hope. Things are changing so rapidly and many countries on our continent are facing new challenges both from outside and inside. Our churches need hope. We as individuals need hope. How can we as women of faith be hopeful and bringers of hope? How can we grow in our competency and be more courageous in our testimony?

Speakers

Our Bible Expositors will be Dr. Seble Daniel and Connie Main Duarte.

Dr. Seble Daniel is an Ethiopian theologian with expertise in contextual theology. She trains North Africans going into mission and has been involved in various initiatives advocating to overcome traditions that are harmful to women. As the director of the WEA Women's Commission she is a voice for women across the world. Seble is married with three children.

Connie Main Duarte is the Co-General Secretary of the European EA and a pastor in Portugal. She speaks at conferences around Europe especially on missions and has a heart for cross-cultural work (she is originally from Canada). She longs to see more young people and women fully using their gifts to grow the church. Connie is married and has two sons.

Other speakers will include **Jolanda Nooteboom** (xpanse NL), **Christina Büchi** (Moms in Prayer) and members of our European leadership team. One afternoon will be reserved for sightseeing, shopping, spa, networking etc. On the Saturday we will be welcoming women from the region, a tradition that we in Hope for Europe – Women in Leadership cherish a lot.

Here is the link to our registration page:

Register here:

<https://forms.gle/xXb92Atp2kj5TMBF6>



Hotel

We will be staying in **Hotel Rubin, Budapest.**

The conference starts on **October 8 at 7.30 pm** and ends on **October 12 at 11.30 am.**

Please plan your travels accordingly.

We will forward your room choice to the hotel.

You will have to pay your room at the reception desk of the hotel upon arrival.



Here are the prices that you will have to pay per person to the hotel **according to your booking in our registration form:**

+ Single room 410 Euro

+ Double room 230 Euro

+ Triple room 166 Euro (as long as available)

It is possible to stay extra nights at the hotel, but be aware that the hotel may charge you the single-room rate if you arrive earlier or leave later.

Cancellation: Only in exceptional cases we can accept cancellation. Please contact us if applicable (elkwerner@gmx.net)

Conference fee

The conference fee of **150 Euros has to be paid to this account:**

**WINGS, IBAN: DE24 5335 0000 0010 0040 20, BIC HELADEF1MAR,
please mark HfE 2025.**

Your registration is **only valid** once the conference fee is confirmed on that account.

The conference fee entails all meals from breakfast on the 9th to breakfast on the 12th of October.

This reduced price of 150 Euros conference fee for everyone was made possible by 6.800 Euro donations that we have already received for the 2025 conference.

We will confirm your booking as soon as the money is in our account. You will receive a confirmation letter with more details on program and directions for your travel after your registration is complete.

Here is the link of the hotel:

**Hotel Rubin Budapest:
www.hotelrubin.com/en**



Any questions? Please write to elkwerner@gmx.net.

We look forward to hear from you and to see you in Budapest!
Blessings from all of us in our team!



Elke Werner, Germany

Evódia Budai, Romania

Kristina Ecis, Latvia

Amanda Jackson, UK

Viktória Kulcsár, Romania

Gaby Reid, Germany

Jenn Williamson, France

And our support and prayer team:

Romkje Fountain, Netherlands

Hannelore Illgen, Germany

Ksenija Sabo, Serbia

Marja Toukola, Finland

Please help us to advertise the conference and send the info to women leaders in your country!

Check out our new website, and follow us on facebook and instagram!

The poster features a stylized graphic on the left with three overlapping silhouettes of women's heads in shades of orange and yellow. The text on the right is set against a white, crumpled paper background. The title 'Growing in' is in a cursive script, followed by 'COURAGE' in large, bold, orange capital letters, and 'and' in a smaller cursive script, followed by 'COMPETENCE' in large, bold, orange capital letters. Below the title, the dates '8-12 OCTOBER 2025' and the location 'BUDAPEST, HOTEL RUBIN' are listed in a sans-serif font. At the bottom left is the logo for 'Women in Leadership EUROPE for EUROPE', and at the bottom right are icons for Facebook, Instagram, and a globe, followed by the website 'womeninleadership.eu'.

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