



# Asia-Pacific Women in Leadership (APWiL)

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# **APRU Gender Gap Report**

### 2013 vs 2018

- No significant change.
- Men still dominate university leadership positions.
- Women in executive positions decreased by 5.2% (statistically insignificant).

## **Next Steps**

96% of APRU member respondents indicated support for an APWiL initiative in leadership, development, and work life balance.

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The APWiL Mentoring Program Pilot provides international and intercultural opportunities for the empowerment, professional growth and development of aspiring women leaders within APRU. In particular, the program intends to:

- · Grow the pipeline of aspiring women leaders within APRU.
- Identify professional opportunities for growth and skills development of APRU aspiring women leaders.
- Increase awareness of challenges that aspiring women leaders face within the region.
- · Learn about successful strategies used by APRU senior leaders.
- Connect senior leaders at APRU institutions with emerging women leaders to create an effective network.
- Introduce global and intercultural dimensions (of women leadership) to leaders across the APRU network and beyond.
- Advance ethnic, cultural, and gender diversity of participants' institutions.

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# **Participating Universities**





















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