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Media Release

Tech4Girls: Connecting Girls, Creating Brighter Futures!

A Girls in ICT Day event Saturday, April 17th, 2021 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

The Telecommunications Authority of Trinidad and Tobago (TATT) in collaboration with the Ministry of Public Administration and Digital Transformation (MPADT), CANTO, GSMA, Verizon, Equals Global Partnership, Restore A Sense of I Can (RSC) and Tobago Information Technologies Limited (TITL) is hosting an online workshop titled *Tech4Girls: Connecting Girls, Creating Brighter Futures!* on Saturday, April 17th, 2021.

The participants will be female entrepreneurs between the age of eighteen to twenty-five who are interested in learning how to design and create their online stores using Shopify.

This fun interactive workshop also provides the opportunity for the participants to explore some of the technologies and tech skills that e-commerce requires.

This event commemorates the 10th Anniversary of the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) backed initiative *Girls in ICT Day*.

Girls in ICT Day seeks to encourage girls and young women to consider studies and careers in information and communication technologies (ICT).

Senator the Honourable Allyson West, Minister of Public Administration and Digital Transformation has been invited to deliver the Feature Address at the Formal Opening Ceremony scheduled to take place at 8:30 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.

Assemblyman Marslyn Melville-Jack, Secretary of Education, Innovation and Energy at the Division of Education, Innovation and Energy, Tobago House of Assembly and representatives Verizon and GSMA will also deliver Remarks.

All media are invited to log-in and cover this event.

Directors: Mr. Gilbert Peterson, S.C. (Chairman), Dr. Kim Mallalieu (Deputy Chairman), Ms. Fatima Aziz-Mohammed, Mr. Keyun Boatswain, Mr. Rhondall Feeles, Mr. Devon Seale.

The nature of this online event requires all attendees, including media, guest speakers and volunteers, to pre-register to the secure and closed-source e-learning platform <u>https://tech4g.edukadu.com</u> on or before April 16th, 2021.

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