Call for Contributions to the 2020 ITF Compendium on “Gender and Transport”:
“Transport Innovation for Sustainable Development: A Gender Perspective”

Scope and format:
ITF would like to invite all stakeholders to contribute to the 2020 ITF Compendium on “Transport Innovation for Sustainable Development: A Gender Perspective”. The Compendium is planned as a compilation of transport sector perspectives on how questions related to gender interface with the theme of the 2020 ITF Summit on “Transport Innovation for Sustainable Development”.

Innovation is transforming the transport sector at an unprecedented pace, offering opportunities for the future of mobility to be more inclusive and sustainable. Women as transport users can benefit from the various services provided by new technologies and other innovations to adapt mobility options to their needs. Innovation can also open new opportunities for women’s employment in transport. The Compendium will highlight how innovation can have a positive impact both on women as transport users and as professionals. In this context, and if relevant, you may also wish to share your observations regarding how the COVID-19 crisis is affecting women in transport and what measures can be taken to address related challenges.

Contributions should be a minimum 700 words and must not exceed two pages in Word. They should target a non-specialist readership, identifying what you think the main issues related to the topic above are, how you/your company or institution addresses them, and how you believe ITF can contribute to the body of knowledge in this area. You may wish to provide relevant links for further reading (1-3 links at the end of your text), please do not include any graphs, pictures nor footnotes. Please avoid using citations or quoting other sources to support the text as we are looking for your organisation’s unique perspective.

Deadlines:
- If you are interested in submitting an article for this Compendium, please confirm by Friday, 15 May 2020 to Magdalena.Olczak@itf-oecd.org.
- Please submit your final article in a Word file, no later than Friday 3 July, 2020.
- The publication is planned for launch in November/December 2020.

Background:
This is the third edition of the ITF Compendium, after the 2019 Women’s Safety and Security. A Public Transport Priority and the 2018 Women’s Safety and Security: A Public Transport Priority.

To highlight the importance of gender equality in transport, the ITF launched a series of discussions on gender and transport issues at its 2015 Summit, providing an opportunity for all stakeholders to promote their initiatives, exchange best practices, and ultimately to enhance greater gender equality in the sector. These discussions have stimulated a number of formal and informal debates since then on a broad range of topics across the entire spectrum of stakeholders, including transport ministers, international organisations and ITF business and civil society partners.

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