### Invitation March 4, 2010

What if... more women could build their own businesses & expand market opportunities?

Strengthening Export Competitiveness of Women Bead Workers in Kenya





Strengthening the Economic Empowerment of Women Urban Property Owners in Peru

#### Building Skills through Business Incubators in Tanzania



#### **Speakers:**

- •Mayra Buvinić, Director, Gender and Development, World Bank
- •Inés Alberdi, Executive Director, UNIFEM
- •Ingrid Fiskaa, State Secretary, Ministry for Foreign Affairs,
- Government of Norway
- •Amy Ndungu, Assistant Director for External Trade and Gender Officer, Ministry of Trade, Kenya RBI
- •Norma Añaños Castilla, Vice Minister, Ministry for Women and Social Development, Peru RBI
- •Daniela Colombo, Director, Italian Association Women for Development (AIDOS), Tanzania RBI
- •McKinsey & Co., TBD
- •Anju Malhotra, Vice President, Social and Economic Development, International Center for Research on Women (ICRW)

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# Women's Business Incubators – Innovation & Results

(Parallel Event during the 54<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission on the Status of Women)

12,30 p.m. - 3,00 p.m. March 4, 2010

(Light snacks will be provided)

## Millennium United Nations Plaza Hotel

(44th Street between First and Second Avenue New York, NY)



