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Colleagues,

I have six brief announcements for May:

**First**, for those who work in higher education settings, the [Women in Higher Education Leadership Summit](#) at USD will engage, challenge, and grow your leadership capacity. It is hosted by the Center for Women's Leadership at the University of San Diego and will be held August 5-8, 2018 with a second session on August 12-15, 2018 for those who have attended the first and want more advanced work. Here is a link to their [Eventbrite page](#) with some details as well.

**Second**, Peju Oti, from Venue Lead City University (Ibadan, Nigeria) is inviting you to attend their RAGA 2018 International Conference titled "[Equipping Girls for Involvement in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics](#) (STEM) for Sustainable Development." The conference will be held October 10-12 at Venue Lead City University. If you have questions, you can contact Peju Oti at [pejuoti2002@yahoo.com](mailto:pejuoti2002@yahoo.com).

**Third**, I was asked to let you know about the [Vital Voices/Hilton Global Freedom Exchange 2018](#) program for emerging women leaders. It looks like the deadline for applications and nominations has now passed, but there is contact information at the link if you have questions. You may want to suggest it to others for next year.

**Fourth**, I wanted to highlight an innovative way that one scholar (Dr. Shari Carpenter) is putting her women and leadership scholarship into practice. She has leadership gatherings linked with horsemanship in her unique programs this summer: <https://www.cornucopialodge.com/bebetter/>.

**Fifth**, for those of you not aware, the [NASPA Journal About Women in Higher Education](#) (NJAWHE) focuses on issues affecting all women in higher education: students; student affairs staff; faculty, and other administrative groups. The journal is published on behalf of NASPA, the foremost professional association for student affairs administrators, faculty, and graduate and undergraduate students, and is intended for both practitioners and researchers, and includes articles that focus on empirical research, pedagogy, and administrative practice. It is designed to increase interest in research about women faculty, students and administrators in higher education and to highlight current examples of this research. NJAWHE offers research reflecting a variety of paradigms and issues affecting women in higher education in all their diversity. You may want to check it out.

**Finally**, if you see any [published reports](#) or [women's groups](#) around the world that are not listed on these pages, let me know!

My announcements emails from past months can be found [here](#). Enjoy May!

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