



FINAL REMINDER

OMBUD TRAILBLAZERS: Special Celebration of the Contributions of Pioneers

A key highlight of the **Second International Ombud Expo** holding in **Gaborone, Botswana** from **29th July – 2 August 2024** is a special celebration of the pioneers of our various institutions.

If you have not already done so, Expo organisers seek your support and assistance in the compilation of a Directory of all first incumbents and appointments as heads of office.

To enable the completion of relevant data on your office, Expo organisers request that you forward the following information:

1. Official name of your office and country
2. Full names and title of the first incumbent/appointment as head of the institution
3. Gender description/preference
4. Dates of tenure, including month and year of start and demitting
5. Brief description of contribution and accomplishment
6. Attached Photo image of the first incumbent, if available

Kindly email the information to: ioe2024@gmsiuk.com by **Friday 28th June 2024** at the latest.

When completed, the **Directory of Pioneers** will provide a permanent record of essential data on the trailblazers of our institution, and publicly accessible for your use as well as of policy makers, practitioners, and scholars around the world.

This Directory will complement an identical permanent record of Women Ombud Leaders available at: <https://gmsiuk.net/ombuds-women-gallery/>

Lastly, if you have not already done so, the Ombudsman and Human Rights Commissioner of Botswana invites you to register for the Expo at; <https://www.internationalombudexpo.com/registration/>



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