



WOMEN FOR WOMEN
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helping women to help themselves

**A call to re-engineer European Family Policy:
to enable Self-sufficient, wealthy & resilient families**

Prague 15th June 2016 | Today WOMEN FOR WOMEN's CEO James Stuart Duffin will be speaking on **Family Futurology- trends, concerns and policy impacts** at the international conference on Society, Jobs and Families in Transition, an Erasmus + funded initiative.

'In today's European economy and society that the distribution of (and control over) resources determine the levels of inequality in society.'

'Increasing in popularity among policy formers and makers is the acknowledgement that early experiences shape later life. However, they need to further recognise that families are impacted by macro influences and that family lives are linked. Therefore, we need a focus on the interdependence in families, which is consistent with demographic reality of families today.'

He will ask to conference, 'Has the special daddy quota in the Nordic countries, for fathers made men more caring?'

In conclusion he will call for the re-engineering of family policy which will enable

1. Self-sufficient, wealthy & resilient families
2. Healthy & educated children
3. Improved access to decent work
4. Better work-family balance
5. Gender equality
6. Stronger intergenerational bonds....

Which are all part of the UN sustainable development agenda and the future we want for our families.

About W4W

Who we are and what we do | Established in 2012, Women For Women is a leading national organisation whose overall mission is to work with and on behalf of one parent families; women experiencing disadvantage and women who have ambition. We are a private philanthropic organisation founded by Ivana and Pavel Tykac. **We stand for Leadership:** We are strategic and work towards being a centre of influence in the Czech Republic. Our work is characterised by learning, risk-taking, mutual respect and a spirit of inquiry; and **Capacity-building:** We value supporting women and helping families succeed, enabling them to benefit from life's opportunities, to fulfil their potential. Enabling families to secure a home provides the foundation for our work. **Our vision** | An environment in which all women and families, without exception, can prosper from life's opportunities. **Our mission** | To ensure that women and one parent families have the support, contacts, and confidence needed to play a full part in the Czech Republic's economic and social life.

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