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United Kingdom Association of Women Judges 2011 Conference and AGM

will be held on
Friday, 1st April 2011
at
Aspire
2 Infirmary Street
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The theme of this year's conference is

'Women and Mental Health in the Justice System'

Speakers will include:

Dr. Angelika Wieck, consultant psychiatrist who will address Psychiatric Referral, Assessment and Management of Mothers and Babies in care and other proceedings

Professor Sue Bailey of Greater Manchester West Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust will consider young offenders and issues of capacity, the age of criminal responsibility and the venue for trial of children and young persons charged with serious offences.

Jonathan Butler, Barrister of Deans Court Chambers, Manchester, a part-time President of the MHRT will provide an introduction to issues of mental health and mental capacity throughout the justice system

Law Commissioner Frances Patterson QC will deal with Adult Social Care and Women in an ageing society

In the afternoon there will be an International Panel including Judges from Germany and Egypt.

Other speakers are to be confirmed but will include an adult forensic consultant psychiatrist.

The Conference fee is £75 for members and £85 for non-members. The final programme will be available early in the New Year but meanwhile we invite you to book your place.

The conference dinner will be on Friday 1st April at 7.00 at a cost of £60 each in

The Oriental Gallery
at
The Royal Armouries

There will be a pre-dinner drinks reception in the **Tournament Gallery** and a "live interpretation" provided by the Royal Armouries

Numbers for the dinner are limited so book early to avoid disappointment!

Those interested should complete the booking form and return it together with a cheque for the fee to:
Mathu Asokan, Birmingham Civil Justice Centre, 33 Bull Street, Birmingham, B4 6DS