

Friends,

Join me on **Friday, March 31st for the second annual Women's Symposium and Networking Fair** in Charlotte. The event will be held from **1:15-4:00PM at Little Rock AME Zion Church, 401 North McDowell St, Charlotte.**

Our distinguished panel of guests will discuss issues that matter to women: healthcare, equal pay, entrepreneurship, business development, public education, and paid family leave-just to name a few. There will also be an opportunity to network with local women's organizations, the panelists, and other women to learn from our collective experiences.

March is Women's History Month, a time to recognize and remember the women who came before us to shatter glass ceilings. Already this year, we have seen the power of female voices. You organized to lobby your representatives to vote against the repeal of the Affordable Care Act and won!

This year we also celebrate 100 years since the first woman was elected to Congress, 97 years since women got the right to vote, and one year since a woman served as the nominee for President from a major political party for the first time ever. Despite all of our progress made, women are still fighting for equal representation, respect, and rights.

Together, we can and will continue to elevate our concerns and take our rightful seats at the decision making table.

Let's not allow our momentum to slow down-join me on Friday to continue moving the women's agenda forward.

Best,



Congresswoman Alma S. Adams, Ph.D.



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Panelists

- Jess George, Google Fiber
- Jennifer Byrd, UNCC Gen-X Learning Community
- Dr. Jessica Saxe, Family Medicine
- Astrid Chirinos, Latin American Development Corporation
- Amy Chiou, Queen City Forward
- Natalie Williams, Women's Business Center of Charlotte

Organizations

- YWCA of Central Carolinas
- Women's Inter-Cultural Exchange
- Women's Business Center of Charlotte • EmpowHERment
- Latin American Women's Association • Junior League of Charlotte
- National Association of Women Business Owners - Charlotte
- League of Women Voters of Charlotte-Mecklenburg
- National Organization of Women - Charlotte
- American Association of University Women - Charlotte

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