

## Liza Howe-Walsh

Liza Howe-Walsh is a Senior Lecturer in the Department of Organisation Studies and Human Resource Management at the University of Portsmouth in the UK.

I am passionate about supporting women in their careers. I have benefitted from 15 years' experience as a practitioner, including working globally for PwC and over a decade in academia at the University of Portsmouth in the UK. I have seen differing approaches to developing women and building networks of support and taking best practice from both offer a wealth of opportunity. I believe ILA's Women & Leadership Affinity Group (WLAG) offers a natural home to support other women to develop as well as provide great opportunities for my own development.

I have led workshops globally including Canada, Cayman, the Middle East and UK, to develop competencies for women aspiring to leadership positions. I have chaired and participated in Institutional reviews for the Ministry of Education in Bahrain and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to advance opportunities in women's higher education. I am a strong advocate for increasing international participation in WLAG initiatives and learning from global experiences.

I have published numerous internationally recognized journal articles in a range of top-rated journals such as *International Journal of Human Resource Management*, *Journal of International Management*, and *Studies in Higher Education* on the topic of women and global mobility. Additionally, I have presented my research at various international and national conferences as well as invited key notes for both academic and practitioner audiences nationally and internationally. I believe I can provide an additional voice for the WLAG as part of disseminating my research.