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The role and importance of women leaders in economics and health

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Abstract

The many challenges in recent years in the economies of states, including economic and health, as well as the change of women in society, have made women leaders in recent years and not only receive special attention, supported by the promotion of principles both at European level as well as globally, respectively the principle of gender equality. For example, the American Economic Association (AEA) has taken steps to respond to criticism of economic discipline, namely that the involvement of women and their underrepresented minorities is not welcome. Moreover, in the field of health, the protective role of women has been recognized since ancient times, and the share of women leaders in this field has also increased in recent years.

The AEA papers of Ellen E. Meade, Martha Starr, and Cynthia Bansak lead us to present in this paper the evolution of the published contributions of women economists over a period of 110 years.

According to empirical research in the field, it should be noted that the share of women professors and associate professors has increased even more in recent years, this aspect being supported on the one hand by continuous scientific progress (quotas remain well below one third of new PhD students being represented by women), as well as the transition of women from work to career, which has led to the development of feminist leadership in these sectors of activity.

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