

# Overcoming Structural Barriers for Women in Entrepreneurship: A Workshop Shared Resources

*This list of resources on women in entrepreneurship was compiled during the workshop planning and event activities.*

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### **Projects and Programs Supporting Women Entrepreneurs**

Diana International Research Institute at Babson College: <https://www.babson.edu/academics/centers-and-institutes/center-for-womens-entrepreneurial-leadership/diana-international-research-institute/#>

Diana International Research Institute (DIRI) at Babson College LinkedIn Group:

<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/3382502/>

- The DIRI LinkedIn group allows you to follow what's happening in our global community—events, research, policy. The Diana/DIRI network includes over 600 entrepreneurship scholars worldwide and a growing list of other stakeholders, including policymakers, educators, investors, and entrepreneurs.

The Bean Path: <https://thebeanpath.org/>

- A tech literacy non-profit organization based in Jackson, MS founded by workshop speaker, Dr. Nashlie Sephus

The State of Black and Latinx Women Founders. Project Diane: <https://www.projectdiane.com/>

United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) National Council for Expanding American Innovation: [www.uspto.gov/ExpandingAmericanInnovation](http://www.uspto.gov/ExpandingAmericanInnovation)

Women in Cloud Community on #WiCDigitalNetwork: <https://women-in-cloud-network.mn.co/>

Women in Cloud: Microsoft Cloud Accelerator: <https://www.womenincloud.com/initiative-cloud-accelerator/>

## **K-12 Educational Resources**

Abby Invents: <https://www.abbyinvents.com/>

- Abby Invents is a K-5 invention education company founded by workshop speaker, Dr. Arlyne Simon.

EngineerGirl – Engineer Entrepreneurs. National Academy of Engineering:

<https://www.engineergirl.org/141894/Engineer-Entrepreneurs>

- A K-12 resource to engage girls in entrepreneurship and innovation in the engineering fields.

Venture Lab: <https://venturelab.org/>

- Venture Lab is a non-profit organization focused on K-12 entrepreneurial education founded by workshop speaker, Dr. Cristal Glangchai