

Dr. Farzanna Haffizulla's meeting with the Prime Minister of Trinidad & Tobago and with the Consul General



On Monday Sept. 29, Dr. Farzanna Haffizulla, AMWA President, was invited to attend a special gala event that celebrated the 38th anniversary of the acquisition of republic status for her native country, Trinidad & Tobago. Dr. Haffizulla met with Consul General Dr. Anil Ramnanan and she was privileged to meet with the honorable Prime Minister, Kamla Persad-Bissessar. Prime Minister Persad-Bissessar is the first woman to lead Trinidad & Tobago and with her empowering leadership, she swept the nation with great, positive change including revamping and revitalizing the education system and exponentially increasing opportunities for advancement for women and their families.



Dr. Haffizulla meets with the Prime Minister of her native country Trinidad & Tobago, honorable Kamla Persad-Bissessar. The Prime Minister lauds Dr. Haffizulla's book "Lead With Your Heart" stating "In short, you were able to express, in very relatable terms, the requisite balance to facilitate holistic progress and the innumerable strengths of a woman leader." To read the Prime Minister's letter to Dr. Haffizulla, [click here.](#)





Brief Biography of Honorable Kamla Persad-Bissessar: She became the first woman Attorney General of Trinidad and Tobago; served as Minister of Legal Affairs, Minister of Education, the first woman acting Prime Minister, the first woman of a political party (the United National Congress), and the first woman Leader of Opposition.

Having participated at various levels of government Persad-Bissessar was able to broaden and deepen her vision of how her political leadership should and could be used to provide equal opportunities for all. Throughout her political career, she maintained her passion for women's political participation, stating that women politicians should contribute to decisions that improve the lives of women and girls.

Now, as Prime Minister of Trinidad and Tobago, Persad-Bissessar views her role as pivotal in building a society that respects diversity, redresses inequalities, and promotes good governance that tackles corruption and addresses human and citizen security."