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Resume of Sandra Feliciano, from the Knowledge Innovation Centre, question/comment for Noelia Garcia Nebra during the Morning panel on gender responsive standards at the WP.6 2019 Annual Session

I congratulate ISO for the initiative on analysing Technical Committees' representation and would like to suggest that, when analysing women representation on Standardization Technical Committees, ISO considers that there are differences between:

- **being nominated as Delegates/Experts;**
- **attending meetings;**
- **actively participating in meetings;**
- **being heard and taken seriously**
- **having leading roles (Convenorship, Secretariat, Chairwomanship)**

I would also like to alert that some data can only be collected through direct observation inside the "black box" – in other words, during meetings – participant observation being probably the best method to apply in these cases.