



A1

SEMINAR 6 Gender – Answer Key

Tasks 1,2 & 3 – based on class discussion

Task 4a – True or false?

- | | | |
|------|------|-------|
| 1. F | 4. T | 7. F |
| 2. F | 5. F | 8. F |
| 3. T | 6. T | 9. F |
| | | 10. T |

Task 4b – Compound adjectives

all-women	full-time	under-represented
non-white	low-paid	male-dominated

Task 4c – Compound adjectives

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1. Women are <i>under-represented</i> . | 4. Four <i>non-white</i> top FTSE directors. |
| 2. A <i>male-dominated</i> culture. | 5. <i>Full-time</i> staff. |
| 3. <i>All-women</i> shortlists. | 6. <i>Low-paid</i> jobs. |

Task 4d & 4e – Missing words and matching the expressions

- ... if women from different backgrounds are able to enjoy an equal **voice** (c)
- ... no-one can afford to **fish** in half the talent **pool** (d)
- ... and then slip further down the career **ladder** (a)
- Asking for flexible working still **spells** career **death** for too many women. (b)

Task 5 – 1 c (or f); 2 f (or a); 3 b (or d); 4 e

Task 6

1 1946	6 45	11 homemakers	16 choose
2 support	7 two	12 unfair	17 maternity
3 14	8 08 700 100 444	13 mothers	18 £15
4 less	9 equal	14 thirteen	19 reputation
5 choices	10 part-timers	15 birth	20 proving

Task 7

1 i	6 e	11 q	16 r
2 f	7 j	12 n	17 b
3 k	8 g	13 a	18 o
4 c	9 l	14 h	
5 m	10 p	15 d	

Task 8 a) firefighters; b) spokesperson; c) cleaning person; d) staffed; e) flight attendants;
f) police officers; g) nurse, doctor; h) working hours; i) humanity; j) ordinary people have; k)
Customers who fail to pay will find their wheels clamped. (use plural)