



Inspectorate
Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment

Two-day thematic conference Promoting Decent Work

Better compliance and enforcement

Program

Chair of the conference: Koos Richelle, former Director-General Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion of the European Commission

Date: **Monday 8 and Tuesday 9 February 2016**
Venue: **Europe building, Kattenburgerstraat 7, 1018 JH Amsterdam**

Monday, February 8, 2016

08.30 – 09.30 **Reception/registration**

09.30 – 09.45 **Official opening**
by Lodewijk Asscher, Minister of Social Affairs and Employment

09.45 – 10.00 **Welcome address**
by Michel Servoz, Director-General Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission

10.00 – 10.45 **Labour mobility and posting within the EU**

Mobility and posting of workers: a right and achievement
by David Foden (Eurofound)

EU mobility and posting of workers after the enlargement in 2004
by Prof. Maciej Duszczek (University of Warsaw)

10.45 – 11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30 – 12.30 **Panel discussion with social partners**
with Werner Buelen (EFBWW), Liina Carr (ETUC), Mario van Mierlo (BussinessEurope), Catelene Passchier (FNV) and Maxime Verhagen (FIEC) chaired by Koos Richelle

12.30 – 14.00 **Lunch**

14.00 – 17.00 **Knowledge Market-Sharing information and best practices**
(You can choose 2 or 3 of the following parallel presentations)

- *Inspections across borders: cooperation between France, Portugal and Spain* by Yves Calvez, Joanna Amorim and José Ignacio Martín Fernández
- *Information exchange: the case of IMI* by Marie-Hélène Anselme, Dariusz Gorski and Daniel Xirau
- *Implementation of the Enforcement directive in France* by Yves Calvez
- *Possible issues for a targeted review of the Posting directive* by Fernando Pereira
- *Working together with the Benelux for honest and decent work* by Bart Tommelein, State Secretary for combating Social Fraud, Belgium

- *Raising awareness: examples of information campaigns* by Tom Deleu, Kristel Plangi, Urszula Kozłowska and Bettina Wagner
- *LIMOSA: reporting duty for foreign employees and self-employed persons* by Ingrid Verbeeck
- *Exploitation of foreign workers: an EU study* by Alice Hamilton
- *Looking for shared definitions: undeclared work and related issues* by Davide Venturi
- *Combating undeclared work in Spain* by José Ignacio Martín Fernández
- *Registration of posted workers in Sweden and Finland* by Claes Rydin and Lars Alback
- *The EESSI project* by Gary Taylor
- *How to tackle fraud and error: the approach in the UK* by Ashley Sawyer
- *Carrot or stick: different approaches of enforcement* by Karin Buhmann

17.00 – 19.00 **Boat trip canals of Amsterdam & cocktail**

19.00 – 21.00 **Dinner - Krasnapolsky Hotel**, Dam square 9, 1012 JS Amsterdam

Tuesday, February 9, 2016

08:30 – 09.15 **Reception**

09.15 – 12.15 **Workshops - Development of compliance and enforcement**

Parallel interactive workshops:

- *Implementation challenges of the Enforcement directive*
by Fernando Pereira chaired by Rits de Boer
- *Monitoring compliance: social security and/or labour law*
by Bruno de Pauw chaired by Pieter Idenburg
- *European Platform to tackle undeclared work*
by Carita Rammus and Isabella Billea chaired by Colin C. Williams
- *Letterbox companies and circumvention practices*
by Katrin McGauran and Hilaire Willems chaired by Jan Cremers
- *The Multidisciplinary approach: the need for cooperation*
by Yves Jorens chaired by David Foden
- *The hard core of labour conditions (art. 3 of the Posting Directive)*
by Mijke Houwerzijl chaired by Stephan Lalanne
- *New world of work: legal certainty and enforcement challenges*
by Muriel Guin and Irene Mandl chaired by Roel Gans

Time schedule workshops

09.30 - 10.30 Session 1

10.30 - 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 - 12.15 Session 2

12.15 – 13.00 **Summary and close**

Chairman's summary

Koos Richelle

Close of the conference

Lex van Dijk, Acting Inspector-General Inspectorate Social Affairs and Employment

13.00 – 14.30 **Lunch**



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