

# THE PRIMARY GOAL OF THE ILO TODAY IS TO PROMOTE OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN AND MEN TO OBTAIN DECENT AND PRODUCTIVE WORK, IN CONDITIONS OF FREEDOM, EQUITY, SECURITY AND HUMAN DIGNITY.

JUAN SOMAVIA, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE ILO

## 31.OCTOBER

WEDNESDAY AM

### SIDE EVENTS

- 9.00 // 13.00** CONFERENCE ROOM III  
// PRE-MEETING OF PARLIAMENTARIANS ORGANIZED BY THE INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION (IPU). BY INVITATION
- 9.00 // 16.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VIII  
PUTTING THE PUZZLE TOGETHER: POLICY COHERENCE FOR DECENT WORK A DECENT WORK, DECENT LIFE CAMPAIGN EVENT ORGANIZED BY THE DECENT WORK DECENT LIFE CAMPAIGN LED BY THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE UNION CONFEDERATION, THE GLOBAL PROGRESSIVE FOUNDATION AND SOLIDAR. BY INVITATION
- 13.00 //** RESTAURANT  
LUNCH WITH MEMBERS OF THE WORLD COMMISSION ON THE SOCIAL DIMENSION OF GLOBALIZATION. BY INVITATION
- 15.00 // 17.00** CONFERENCE ROOM IV  
INFORMAL MEETING OF ILO GB EMPLOYERS' GROUP. BY INVITATION
- 16.00 // 17.00** CONFERENCE ROOM III  
INFORMAL MEETING OF ILO GB WORKERS' GROUP. BY INVITATION

## 31.OCTOBER

WEDNESDAY PM

- FROM 8.00** REGISTRATION
- 17.00 // 18.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VI, VII  
OPENING PLENARY SESSION:  
// MR JOSÉ ANTÓNIO VIEIRA DA SILVA, MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND SOCIAL SOLIDARITY, PORTUGAL  
// DR DAYAN JAYATILLEKA, CHAIRPERSON, ILO GOVERNING BODY  
// MR DANIEL FUNES DE RIOJA, EMPLOYER VICE-CHAIRPERSON, ILO GOVERNING BODY  
// SIR ROY TROTMAN, WORKER VICE-CHAIRPERSON, ILO GOVERNING BODY
- 18.00 // 19.00**  
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS  
// MR JUAN SOMAVIA, ILO DIRECTOR-GENERAL  
// MR SURIN PITSUWAN, SECRETARY-GENERAL DESIGNATE, ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN NATIONS (ASEAN)  
// JOSÉ SÓCRATES, PRIME MINISTER OF PORTUGAL
- 19.00 // 21.00** FOYER  
WELCOME RECEPTION

## FORUM PROGRAM 31.OCTOBER

## 01.NOVEMBER

THURSDAY AM

- 9.00 // 10.15** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 1  
**EMPLOYABILITY: EDUCATION, SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY**  
BRIDGING KNOWLEDGE GAPS  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR FRANÇOIS PERIGOT, HONORARY PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION OF EMPLOYERS (IOE)  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MS MARIA JOÃO RODRIGUES, SPECIAL ADVISER TO THE PORTUGUESE PRIME MINISTER FOR THE EUROPEAN PRESIDENCY  
// MR MARK RICHMOND, DIRECTOR FOR THE COORDINATION OF UNITED NATIONS PRIORITIES IN EDUCATION, UNESCO  
// MR PHIL O'REILLY, CEO, BUSINESS NEW ZEALAND  
// MS JAN EASTMAN, DEPUTY GENERAL SECRETARY, EDUCATION INTERNATIONAL
- 9.00 // 10.15** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 2  
**UPGRADING WORK AND ENTERPRISES IN THE INFORMAL ECONOMY**  
ORGANIZING FOR VOICE AND PARTICIPATION  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR MANUEL VIAGE, GENERAL SECRETARY, NATIONAL UNION OF ANGOLAN WORKERS  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MR YASH TANDON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, SOUTH CENTRE  
// MR CHARLES GORE, CHIEF, RESEARCH AND POLICY ANALYSIS, DIVISION FOR AFRICA, LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND SPECIAL PROGRAMMES, UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT (UNCTAD)  
// MS ZODWA MABUZA, CEO, FEDERATION OF SWAZILAND EMPLOYERS & CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
// MS HILDA SÁNCHEZ, SENIOR ECONOMIST, INTER-AMERICAN REGIONAL ORGANIZATION OF WORKERS OF THE ICFTU (ICFTU-ORIT)
- 10.15 // 10.45** FOYER  
COFFEE BREAK
- 10.45 // 12.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 1 // CONTINUED
- 10.45 // 12.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 2 // CONTINUED
- 12.00 // 12.30** CONFERENCE ROOM VIII  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER (PLENARY)  
// VLADIMÍR ŠPIDLA, EU COMMISSIONER FOR EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES
- 12.30 // 14.00** RESTAURANT  
LUNCH

## 01.NOVEMBER

THURSDAY PM

- 14.00 // 14.30** CONFERENCE ROOM VIII  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER (PLENARY) (TBO)  
// LENNART BÅGE, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT (IFAD) AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE HIGH-LEVEL COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMME (HLCP) OF THE UN SYSTEM CHIEF EXECUTIVES BOARD FOR COORDINATION (CEB)
- 14.30 // 14.45** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 3  
**MIGRATION FOR WORK, WITHIN BORDERS AND INTERNATIONALLY**  
SECURING THE BENEFITS, DIMINISHING THE RISKS OF WORKER MOBILITY  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR JOHN SWEENEY, PRESIDENT, AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOUR AND CONGRESS OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS (AFL-CIO)  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MR FRANZ MÜNTEFERING, MINISTER OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND VICE-CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY  
// MR JESUS CALDERA SÁNCHEZ CAPTÁN, MINISTER OF LABOUR OF SPAIN  
// MR ESTEBAN CONEJOS, UNDERSECRETARY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS FOR MIGRANT WORKERS AFFAIRS, PHILIPPINES (TBO)  
// MR SVERKER RUDEBERG, HEAD, BUSINESS EUROPE POLICY COMMITTEE ON MIGRATION
- 14.30 // 14.45** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 4  
**SOCIAL PROTECTION POLICIES FOR SOCIAL COHESION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**  
MOVING TOWARDS A GLOBAL SOCIAL FLOOR?  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR CARLOS TOMADA, MINISTER OF LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY OF ARGENTINA  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MR AART DE GEUS, DEPUTY-SECRETARY GENERAL, OECD  
// MR ROBERTO BISSIO, COORDINATOR, SOCIAL WATCH AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, THIRD WORLD INSTITUTE  
// MS SUDHA PILLAI, SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT, INDIA  
// HELMUT SCHWARZER, SEC DA PREVIDENCIA SOCIAL, MINISTERIO DA SEGURANCA SOCIAL, BRASIL  
// MR JOÃO PROENÇA, GENERAL SECRETARY, GENERAL WORKERS UNION (UGT), PORTUGAL
- 15.45 // 16.15** FOYER  
COFFEE BREAK
- 16.15 // 18.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 3 // CONTINUED
- 16.15 // 18.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 4 // CONTINUED

## FORUM PROGRAM 01.NOVEMBER

## 02.NOVEMBER

FRIDAY AM

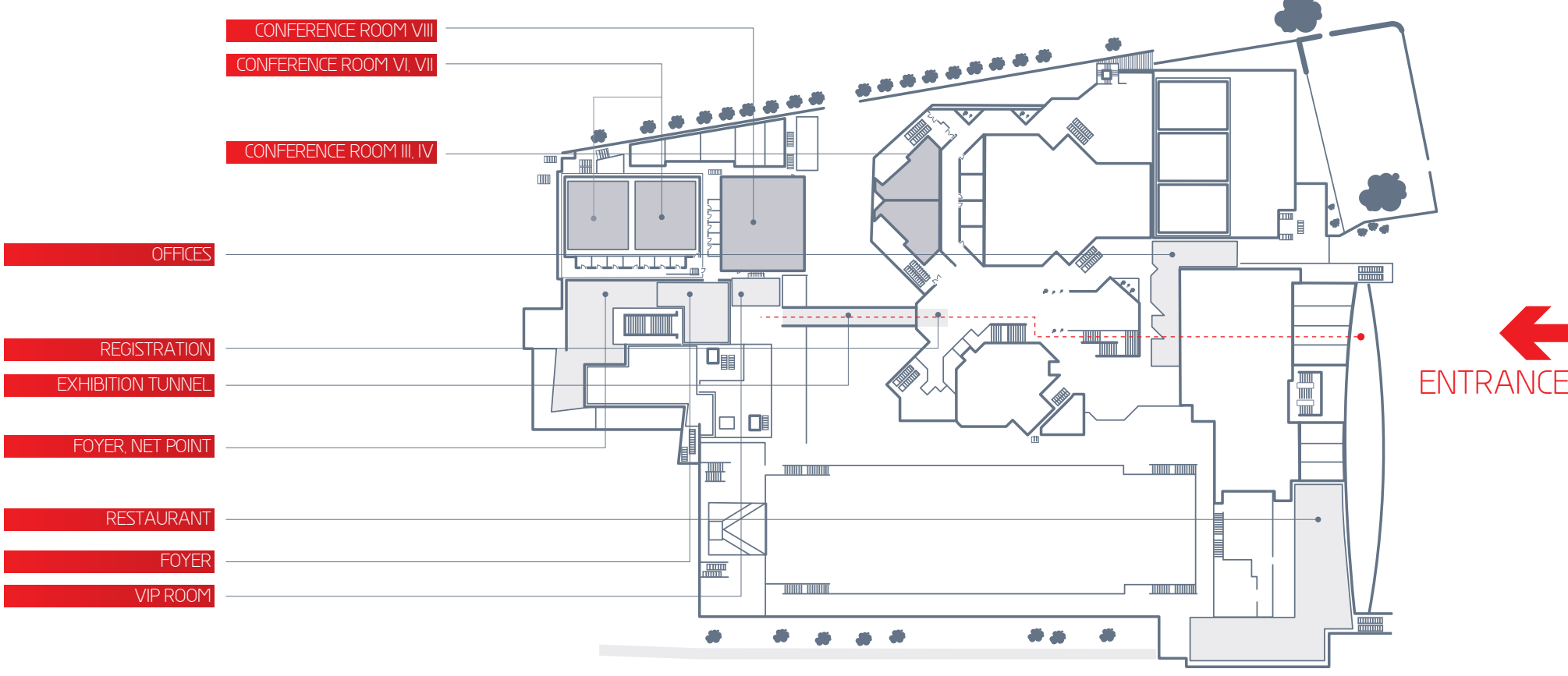
- 9.00 // 10.15** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 5  
**POLICY COHERENCE AMONG INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**  
CREATING THE TOOLS TO MAKE IT WORK  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR SHA ZUKANG, UN UNDER-SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MR JOSEF BORRELL, PRESIDENT, COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, AND CHAIR OF THE GLOBAL PROGRESSIVE FORUM (GPF)  
// PROFESSOR RAYMOND PARSONS, MEMBER OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OF BUSINESS UNITY SOUTH AFRICA (BUSU) AND OVERALL BUSINESS CONVENOR AT THE NATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND LABOUR COUNCIL (NEDLAC)  
// MR SALEH NSOULI, DIRECTOR, OFFICES IN EUROPE, INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND (IMF)  
// MR RICARDO MELÉNDEZ-ORTIZ, CHIEF EXECUTIVE INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR TRADE AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (ICTSD)  
// MR ZWELINZIMA VAVI, GENERAL SECRETARY OF CONGRESS OF SOUTH AFRICAN TRADE UNIONS (COSATU)
- 9.00 // 10.15** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 6  
**DECENT WORK OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG WOMEN AND MEN: OVERCOMING DISCRIMINATION AND DISADVANTAGE**  
EQUALITY IN DIVERSITY: A DREAM OR A NECESSITY?  
CHAIRPERSON  
// MR ASHRAF TABANI, PRESIDENT, EMPLOYERS FEDERATION OF PAKISTAN  
PANEL MEMBERS  
// MR CARLOS LUPI, MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT OF BRAZIL  
// MR ANTÓNIO D. PITRA NETO\*, MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, ANGOLA (TBO)  
// MR GILLES DE ROBIEN, AMBASSADOR WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROMOTING SOCIAL COHESION, FRANCE  
// MS BARBARA BYERS, EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT, CANADIAN LABOUR CONGRESS (CLO)  
// MR CARVALHO DA SILVA, GENERAL SECRETARY, GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF THE PORTUGUESE WORKERS (GCTP)  
// MR ARIOSTO MANRIQUE, PRESIDENT, YOUTH COMMISSION OF THE MEXICAN EMPLOYERS CONFEDERATION
- 10.15 // 10.45** FOYER  
COFFEE BREAK
- 10.45 // 12.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VI  
SESSION 5 // CONTINUED
- 10.45 // 12.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
SESSION 6 // CONTINUED
- 12.00 // 12.30** CONFERENCE ROOM VIII  
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS (PLENARY)  
// MR ABRAHAM KATZ, PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION OF EMPLOYERS (IOE)  
// MR GUY RYDER, GENERAL SECRETARY, INTERNATIONAL TRADE UNION CONFEDERATION (ITUO)
- 12.30 // 14.00** RESTAURANT  
LUNCH

## 02.NOVEMBER

FRIDAY PM

- 14.00 // 14.30** CONFERENCE ROOM VIII  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER (PLENARY)  
// MS MARY ROBINSON, PRESIDENTE, ETHICAL GLOBALIZATION INITIATIVE
- 14.30 // 15.00** CONFERENCE ROOM VII  
PANEL OF PARLIAMENTARIANS  
**ACCOUNTABILITY AND COHERENCE OF PUBLIC POLICY FOR DECENT WORK AND A FAIR GLOBALIZATION: THE ROLE OF PARLIAMENTS**  
// MS SHARON CARSTAIRS, SENATOR, CANADA  
// MR HERÁCLITO FORTES, SENATOR, BRAZIL  
// MR POUL NYRUP RASMUSSEN, MEMBER OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, AND PRESIDENT OF THE PARTY OF EUROPEAN SOCIALISTS
- 15.00 // 15.30** FOYER  
COFFEE BREAK
- 15.30 // 17.30** CONFERENCE ROOM VI, VII  
REPORT-BACK SESSION AND DISCUSSION ON NEXT STEPS
- CLOSING SESSION**  
// CHAIRED BY MR JOSÉ ANTÓNIO VIEIRA DA SILVA, MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND SOCIAL SOLIDARITY, PORTUGAL

## FORUM PROGRAM 02.NOVEMBER



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