You are cordially invited to the third RDW conference

Regulating for Equitable and Job-Rich Growth

(3-5 July 2013, ILO, Geneva)

Day 1 (3 July 2013), Wednesday

08:00-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:30 Opening ceremony

09:30-11:30 Plenary I

Hau-Joon Chang (U. Cambridge) & David Kucera (ILO)

Political economy of equitable development

Laikness, entrepreneurship, and jobs: Why do we need collective productive capabilities if we want decent work and economic growth?

Economic development, trade union rights and democracy: When FDI meets Intentional Labour Standards

11:30-12:00 Break

Room IX

12:00-14:00 Lunch break

(Book launch) A. Rossi, A. Lumeire, & J. Pichlitz, eds. Toward Better Work: Understanding Labour in Apparel Global Value Chains

14:00-15:30 Parallel session 2

Decent work: New approaches, new measurements

Assessing and conceptualizing informality

Economic developments and employment growth

Segmentation and informal economy

Symposium: Governance to promote decent work in global value chains (I)

15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30 Parallel session 3

Symposium: Regulatory dilemmas in SMEs? – concept, theory and evidence

From the ground up: Empirical assessments of street vending and other informal work

Gender equality: China and India

Problems in promoting diversity and dignity at work

No planned session

17:30-19:00 Welcome reception, hosted by the ILO

Room IX

Day 2 (4 July 2013), Thursday

08:00-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:30 Plenary II

Zhiyuan Cui (Tsinghua U., Room IX) & Kamala Santaran (Delhi U.)

Evaluating recent economic developments: Lessons from China and India

Addressing the Decent Work Deficit in informal employment: The role of labour law

10:30-12:00 Break

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12:00-14:00 Lunch break

(Book launch) C. Fagan, M. Gonzales Menendez & S. Gomez Arsen, eds. Women on Corporate Boards and in Top Management

14:00-15:30 Parallel session 4

Comparing labour regulation systems: New evidence

Symposium: Health inequalities, work and access to social security of informal workers

Evolution of industrial relations and labour market institutions

Symposium: Inequality – causes, effects, responses

No planned session

15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30 Parallel session 6

Symposium: The evolution of labour law in the Asia-Pacific region – Methodological and comparative perspectives

Symposium: Public sector pay and procurement

Immigrant workers

Challenges for the creation of inclusive and fair labour markets?

No planned session

17:00-18:30 Plenary III

Ingrid Woolard (Cape Town U.) & Ali Rubery (U. Manchester)

An inclusive labour market: Ideologies and policy experiences

Institutional wage-setting in the context of high inequality and unemployment: The case of South Africa

Beyond the outsider/insider divide: Regulating for inclusive labour markets

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19:00-21:00 Conference reception, hosted by U. Manchester & U. Duisburg-Essen

RDW (North): Restaurant

Day 3 (5 July 2013), Friday

08:00-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:30 Plenary IV

Panel discussion: What future for industrial relations?

Richard Hyman (LSIE) & Edward Welzler (U. Witten-Herdecke) & Maarten Keune (AIAS) & Rehana Seri (Retired professor. IISWBM, Calcutta U.)

Symposium: How do economic crises polarize the labour market? - The case of Korea

Symposium: Informality and inequality dynamics in Latin America in the new millennium: Characteristics and associated factors

Symposium: Promoting fairness at work

No planned session

12:00-14:00 Lunch break

(Special lecture) Nelson Barbosa (Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; former deputy minister, Ministry of Finance)

Macroeconomic policy for growth and employment

14:00-15:30 Parallel session 7

Workshop: Labour law vs. immigration law

Regulation and informality: Country experiences and outlook

Multinational enterprises and social dialogue

Quality of the workplace

Growth in non-standard and low wage employment

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15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30 Parallel session 8

Inequality, growth, and labour market institutions: How much can they help?

New policy strategies for informal workers: The case of home workers

Wage setting regimes and wage measurement

Segmentation in and after the great recession

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17:30-19:00 Closing ceremony

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