

EVENT

Regional Tripartite Knowledge Sharing Forum: Innovative Approaches to Promote the Transition to Formality

Virtual agenda	
Day 1: Wednesday, November 27, 2024	
08:30 – 08:40	Accreditation
08:40 – 09:00	Welcome Remarks ▶ Ana Virginia Moreira, ILO Regional Director for Latin America and the Caribbean ▶ Frédéric Lapeyre, Director of the ILO Priority Action Programme on the Transition from the Informal to the Formal Economy
09:00 – 09:05	Forum Briefing ▶ Efraín Quicaña (ILO Regional Specialist in Rural Economy, Productive Development, and Formalization)
09:05 – 10:00	Plenary (hybrid) Framework Theme: Situation and Challenges of the Transition to the Formal ▶ Presentation on the situation and challenges of the transition to the formal economy in LAC - Efraín Quicaña (ILO) ▶ Hybrid interactive plenary to exchange expectations and emerging challenges. ▶ Moderators: Jorge Ramírez and Vitor Días (International Training Centre of the ILO)
10:00 – 10:25	Break
10:25 – 12:30	Specialized Panel 1 (hybrid) Integrated approaches to the transition to the formal economy. What are the challenges in strengthening the link between productivity, formalization and decent work? ▶ Presentations: • "Impact of formalization policies in Latin America and the Caribbean" - Verónica Escudero (ILO) • "Challenges to strengthen the link between productivity and formalization" - Gabriel Ulyseas (University College London) • "Overview of productive development policies and their link to formalization in Latin America and the Caribbean" - Marco Llinás (ECLAC) ▶ Video: FORLAC 2.0 ▶ Questions and answers with speakers ▶ Tripartite panel: Government, employers' organization, and workers' organization ▶ Audience comments ▶ Videos: Intervention model for formalization in the Dominican Republic and Integrated approaches in other regions (ITCILO) ▶ Moderator: Tulio Cravo (ILO)
Day 2: Thursday, November 28, 2024	
08:30 – 09:00	Attendance Registration

09:00 – 09:55	Plenary (hybrid) Framework Theme: Approaches that have gained importance to promote the transition to the formal economy in LAC through digital technologies and innovation. ▶ Presentation of the approaches that have gained importance to promote the transition to the formal economy in LAC through digital technologies and innovation – Gerson Martínez (ILO) ▶ Hybrid interactive plenary to exchange expectations and emerging challenges. ▶ Moderators: Jorge Ramírez and Vitor Días (International Training Centre of the ILO)
09:55 – 10:20	Break
10:20 – 12:35	Specialized Panel 2 (hybrid) Potential of digital technologies and innovation to accelerate the transition to the formal economy. ▶ Presentations: • Experiences on innovative solutions for formalization based on digital technologies in LAC and EU countries: Toolkit for Formalization – Juan Manuel García (ILO) • Anti-fraud tool – Juan Luis Martínez de Vega Llorente (Ministry of Labour and Social Economy of Spain) • Labour Registration Credential – Eleonora Peliza (International Labour and Employment Relations Association) and Marta Pujadas (Construction Workers Union of the Argentine Republic) • Digital Inspector: Joel de Rosa (Ministry of Human Capital of Argentina) ▶ Video: MAIA (Hacer Perú-OIT) ▶ Questions and answers with speakers ▶ Tripartite panel: Government, employers' organization, and workers' organization ▶ Audience comments ▶ Exposition: Experiences of Domestic Workers' Unions in Latin America on the Use of Digital Technologies: Challenges and Opportunities - Ruth Esther Díaz Medrano (Member of the Global Executive Committee of the IDWF, representing Latin America) ▶ Moderator: Gerson Martínez (ILO)
Day 3: Friday, November 29, 2024	
08:30 – 09:00	Attendance Registration
09:00 – 11:00	Specialized Panel 3 (hybrid) Transition to the formal economy from a sectoral approach through social dialogue and inter-institutional coordination mechanisms that include workers and informal economy units ▶ Presentations: • "The importance of promoting the transition to the formal economy from a sectoral approach through social dialogue" - Waltteri Katajamäki (ILO) • "Implications of the European directive on sustainability in value chains, and its contribution to the transition to formalization" - Ralf Sauer (EU) • "How to promote value chains for productivity and formalization?" - Piero Ghezzi (International Expert on Economic Development and Informality) ▶ Video: "Harvesting Decent Work" in the Coffee Value Chain in Huila, Colombia (ILO) ▶ Questions and answers with speakers ▶ Tripartite panel: Government, employers' organization, and workers' organization ▶ Audience comments ▶ Experience: "Transition to Formality for Self-Employed Workers in the Informal Economy: Reality and Opportunities" – Carmen Roca (WIEGO) ▶ Moderator: Virginia Rose Losada (ILO)

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