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Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
► Knowledge resources					
Geneva, 28–30 June	Virtual meeting on the revision of the International Standard Classification of Occupations-ISCO-08: First technical working group (TWG) meeting	Regular budget: US\$20,000	Argentina, Australia, Bahrain, Brazil, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, China, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Eswatini, France, Germany, Ghana, Guatemala, India, Iraq, Italy, Jordan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Madagascar, Maldives, Mexico, Morocco, New Zealand, Nigeria, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Tunisia, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Uruguay, Viet Nam	Tripartite: G: 38 E: 2 W: 2	English

¹ All Employer and Worker participants to be invited to the events in this paper would be nominated in accordance with the usual procedure.

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Geneva, 1 July– 31 August	Virtual training on guiding decent work policies through research and data	Regular budget: US\$30,000	Interregional training with Member States from all regions as well as employers' and workers' organizations from: Africa, Asia and the Pacific, Americas, Eastern Europe and Western Europe	Tripartite: G: 15 E: 15 W: 15	English
Geneva, 1–29 September	Virtual Pacific Islands regional training on evidence-based policymaking for decent work	Regular budget: US\$30,000	Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu	Tripartite: G: 11 E: 11 W: 11	English
Geneva 1 September– 15 October	Online subregional tripartite training on evidence-based policymaking for decent work in South Asia	Regular budget: US\$30,000	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka	Tripartite: G: 14 E: 14 W: 14	English

► **International labour standards**

San José (Costa Rica), 4 May	Webinar on Social Dialogue and International Labour Standards Commissions – Prevention and solution of conflict in the new normality	No cost	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Panama	Tripartite: G: 9 E: 9 W: 9	Spanish
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► **Employment policy**

San José (Costa Rica), 13–29 April	Virtual regional symposium on national employment policies for an inclusive and resilient recovery from the COVID-19 crisis	RBSA and Government of Sweden: US\$13,000	Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama	Tripartite: G: 40 E: 40 W: 40	English, French, Spanish
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Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
Moscow (Russian Federation), 29 April	Web conference on labour market structure: The importance of investing in the labour force and people capabilities	LUKOIL: US\$7,000	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan	Tripartite: G: 20 E: 10 W: 10	English, Russian
Geneva, 17 May	Promoting social cohesion and peaceful coexistence through TVET at the International Day of Living Together in Peace	Webinar, no cost	This is a global meeting	Tripartite: G: 2 E: 1 W: 1	English
Geneva, 18 May	Final Project online closure workshop – Applying the G20 training strategy: A partnership of the ILO and the Russian Federation	Govern- ment of the Russian Federation: US\$5,000	Armenia, Jordan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Viet Nam. Invitation will also be extended to development partners, TVET institutions, and experts who participated in the project implementation since 2017	Tripartite: G: 30 E: 30 W: 30	English, Russian
Port of Spain (Trinidad and Tobago), 18–20 May	Regional virtual symposium: From recovery to resilience – Decent work for a resilient Caribbean	RBSA: US\$69,800	Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, as well as the following non-metropolitan territories: Anguilla, Aruba, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Curaçao, Montserrat, Sint Maarten, Turks and Caicos Islands	Tripartite: G: 22 E: 22 W: 22	English
Moscow (Russian Federation), 19 May	Webinar II: Monitoring labour markets and new trends on employment	LUKOIL: US\$7,500	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan	Tripartite: G: 20 E: 10 W: 10	English, Russian

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Port of Spain (Trinidad and Tobago), 7–11 June	Virtual training on labour market contingency plan (LMCP) and post-disaster needs assessments (PDNA)	RBSA: US\$2,000	Dominica, Guyana, Saint Lucia	Tripartite: G: 24 E: 12 W: 12	English

► Enterprises

Kathmandu (Nepal), 17–19 March	Virtual, Second United Nations South Asia Forum on Business and Human Rights	No cost	As a subregional event, the Forum covers all countries in South Asia. This Forum led by UNWG and UNDP will gather representatives of governments, national human rights institutions (NHRIs), businesses, industry associations, trade unions, civil society organizations (CSOs), academia, international and regional bodies, and indigenous peoples. In previous annual business and human rights forums organized at the global level, representatives of governments, employers' and workers' organizations have taken part. The ILO cannot guarantee tripartite representation from every country since there is no budget allocated to this inter-agency activity	Tripartite: Regional	English
Geneva, 21 April	Virtual regional launch on advancing climate action, a just transition, and decent work in Africa	Government of France: US\$16,000	Algeria, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Morocco, Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, South Africa, Zimbabwe	Tripartite: G: 54 E: 27 W: 27	English, French

► Governance and tripartism

Lima (Peru), 28 April	Webinar on regional celebration of the World Day for Safety and Health at Work 2021	RBTC: US\$3,260; RBTC TURIN: US\$20,000	Barbados, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Paraguay, Uruguay	Tripartite: G: 5 E: 3 W: 3	English, Spanish, Portuguese
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Bangkok, Thailand 1-4 June	2021 United Nations Responsible Business and Human Rights Forum, Asia-Pacific	European Union: US\$8,000	China, Fiji, Japan, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam. The event is for Asia and the Pacific. It is expected that participants will join globally	Tripartite: G: 4 E: 4 W: 4	English

► **Sectoral activities**

Buenos Aires (Argentina) 30 June–2 July	Tripartite regional meeting on the future of work and sustainable COVID-19 recovery in tourism	Regular budget: US\$52,000	Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Tripartite: G: 64 E: 64 W: 64	English, Spanish, Portuguese
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► **Employers' activities**

Lima (Peru), 6 May	Webinar: International European, Latin American and Caribbean Business Women Forum	European Union: US\$15,700	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Jamaica, Uruguay, as well as EU countries	Employers: 1,000	English, Spanish, Portuguese
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► **Workers' activities**

Moscow (Russian Federation), 29 March	Webinar: ILO–ACTRAV UN Cooperation Framework Reference Manual Launch	RBTC: US\$200	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan	Workers: 41	English, Russian
Cairo (Egypt), 5 April	Webinar on the UN Development Cooperation for the achievement of Agenda 2030: What role for trade unions?	RBTC: US\$600	Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia	Workers: 30	English, Arabic

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Geneva, 6 April	Webinar: ILO-ACTRAV UN Cooperation Framework Reference Manual Launch	RBTC: US\$600	Bahrain, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Yemen, as well as the Occupied Palestinian Territory	Workers: 30	English, Arabic
Moscow (Russian Federation), 21 April	Webinar: Skills development and lifelong learning: The role of trade unions	RBTC: US\$200	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan	Workers: 41	English, Russian
Bangkok (Thailand), 27 April	Webinar: ILO-ACTRAV UN Cooperation Framework Reference Manual Launch	No cost	Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Cambodia, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Japan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Viet Nam	Workers: 100	English
Geneva, 12 May	ILO-ACTRAV Virtual Launch Event of the Trade Union Reference Manual on UN Reforms and Decent Work for Latin America and the Caribbean Region	Regular budget: US\$3,200	Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay	Workers: 60	English, Spanish

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Geneva, 17 May	Trade Unions and SDGs in Africa and Regional Launch of UN Cooperation Framework: A Trade Union Reference Manual	RBTC: US\$900	Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cabo Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe	Workers: 200	English, French, Portuguese