

THE IMPORTANCE OF ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS

MAY 3, 2021 10:00 (LISBON TIME)



10:00 - Opening Session

PROGRAMME

- **Francisco André**, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Portugal and President of the Portuguese National Human Rights Committee
- **Michelle Bachelet**, UN High-Commissioner for Human Rights - pre-recorded address
- **Nicolas Schmit**, European Commissioner for Jobs and Social Rights - pre-recorded address
- **Maurizio Bussi**, Deputy Regional Director for Europe and Central Asia at the International Labor Organization (ILO)

10:20 - Discussants

Moderator: Isabel Nery (Journalist)

- **Olivier De Schutter**, UN Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights and Chairman of the Council of Europe's high-level group of independent experts to strengthen, protect and promote social rights
- **Virgínia Brás Gomes**, Senior Social Policy Adviser and former Chair of the UN Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
- **Luca Visentini**, Secretary-General of the European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)
- **Jean Marc Roirant**, President of the Civil Society Europe
- **Teresa Pizarro Beleza**, Full Professor, Nova School of Law, Universidade Nova de Lisboa

11:10 - Q&A

11:25 - Closing Session

- **Gabriel Bastos**, Secretary of State for Social Security

11:30 - End

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