**SHAPING A BRIGHTER FUTURE OF WORK FOR THE CARIBBEAN**
Accra Beach Hotel and Spa, 14-15 May 2019

**ANNOTATED PROGRAMME**

**Tuesday 14 May**

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<td>12.30 – 14.00</td>
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<td><strong>Jobs and future of work</strong></td>
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<td>• Exploring new job opportunities for the Caribbean and how to support</td>
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<td>transitions. Focus on three areas of job creation – digital economy;</td>
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<td>Chair: Mr Juan Felipe Hunt Ortiz, Officer-in-Charge, ILO Regional</td>
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**Presenters:**

- Mr. Diego Rei, Employment and Labour Market Specialist, ILO Caribbean (Presentation: Defining Employment)
- Mr Roland Haggins, CARICOM Director, Aion Foundation, Barbados (digital economy)
- Ms Maria Arteta, Senior Gender Specialist for Central America and Panama, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Mexico and Cuba, ILO San José (care economy)
- Dr Diana Thorburn, Director, Caribbean Policy Research Institute (CaPRI), Jamaica (care economy)
- Ms Ana Sanchez, Green Jobs Specialist, RO-Latin America and the Caribbean, ILO Mexico (green/blue economy)
- Mr David Staples, Director, Williams Industries Inc., Barbados (green/blue economy)
15.00 – 17.30  **Jobs and future of work (cont’d)**
- **World Café to chart a way forward**  
  *(The coffee break will be integrated in the session)*

**Table Digital economy**  
Moderator: Mr Roland Haggins  
  o Table Host: The Honourable Steadroy C. Benjamin, Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, Public Safety and Labour, Antigua and Barbuda

**Table Green/blue economy**  
Moderators: Mr David Staples; and Ms Ana Sanchez  
  o Table Host: The Honourable Kirk Humphrey, Minister of Maritime Affairs and the Blue Economy, Barbados

**Table Care economy**  
Moderators: Dr Diana Thorburn; and Ms Maria Arteta  
  o Table Host: The Honourable Shahine Robinson, Minister of Labour and Social Security, Jamaica

18.00 – 20.00  **Cocktail reception** - hosted by the Government of Barbados and the International Labour Office

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**Wednesday 15 May**

08.00 – 9.00  **Breakfast meeting**  
Closed session for Ministers / Heads of Delegations (CARICOM)

9.00 – 11.00  **Adapting institutions of work**  
- Ministers will share experience with new emerging forms of employment and how best the institutions of work can adapt to it  
  Moderator: Ms Toni Thorne, Journalist

  ILO Presentation: Mr. Shingo Miyake, Specialist for Labour Law and International Labour Standards, ILO Caribbean

  Panel members:
  o Senator the Honourable Dr Carla Barnett, Minister of Labour, Local Government and Rural Development, Belize  
  o The Honourable Stephenson King, Minister of Infrastructure, Ports Energy and Labour, Saint Lucia  
  o Senator the Honourable Jennifer Baptiste-Primus, Minister of Labour and Small Enterprise Development, Trinidad and Tobago

11.00 – 11.30  **Coffee break**
11.30 – 13.00  
**Fair share of progress for all**
  - The session will explore what Governments, social dialogue and existing tripartite bodies can do to articulate a renewed social contract
  - Moderator: Her Honour Deborah Thomas-Felix, President, Industrial Court, Trinidad and Tobago

  First round of participants in Fishbowl:
  - The Honourable Keith Scott, Minister of Social Protection with responsibility for Labour, Guyana
  - The Honourable Vance Amory, Minister of Labour, Saint Kitts and Nevis
  - Ms Lima Cooper-Frederick, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Labour, Grenada
  - Representative from CEC
  - Representative from and CCL

13.00 – 14.30  
**Lunch**

14.30 – 15.30  
  - Presentation of ILC and topics, including new labour standard on violence and harassment in the world of work (second discussion)

15.30 – 17.00  
**Final outcome document**
  - Discussion and adoption
  - Chair: The Honourable Colin Jordan, Minister of Labour and Social Partnership Relations, Barbados; and Ms Claudia Coenjaerts, Director, ILO Decent Work Team and Office for the Caribbean

17.00 – 17.30  
**Closing**