EU-ILO project “Building Partnerships on the Future of Work”

Technical workshop on “Practices towards algorithmic management and their impact on workers”

Agenda

Day 1: June 15, 2021, 13:00 – 16:00 (CEST)

Algorithmic management in digital labour platforms and beyond

12:55 – 13:00 Connection and audio/video tests

13:00 – 13:15 Opening by Enrique Fernández Macías (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)

13:15 – 14:25 Algorithmic management evolution and policy implications

- Algorithmic management at the workplace and in platform work
  Alex Wood (University of Birmingham)
- Policy implications and government perspectives on algorithmic management
  Annarosa Pesole (Italian Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs)
- Risks of discrimination in algorithmic management
  Adrián Todoli Signes (University of Valencia)
- Open discussion (20 minutes)
  Moderated by Sara Baiocco (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)

14:25 – 14:35 Break

14:35 – 15:55 Advancing knowledge on algorithmic management practices

- Platformisation of work in traditional sector: Proposed study on the health and logistic sector in different country-contexts
  Uma Rani (International Labour Organisation)
- Conceptualising the crossroad between automation, digitisation and platformisation of work
  Enrique Fernández Macías (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
Open Discussion (45 minutes)
Moderated by Guillaume Delautre (International Labour Organisation)
15:55 – 16:00 Concluding remarks by Cesira Urzi Brancati (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)

Day 2: June 16, 15:00 – 18:00 (CEST)

New forms of management and algorithmic surveillance

14:55 – 15:00 Connection and audio/video tests
15:00 – 15:15 Opening by Enrique Fernández Macías (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
15:15 – 16:15 Digital monitoring and surveillance in digital labour platforms
   Kirstie Ball (St Andrew's University)
   Open discussion (30 minutes)
   Moderated by Cesira Urzi Brancati (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
16:15 – 16:25 Break
16:25 – 17:55 Roundtable on Developments in digital forms of management and impact on workers
   Uma Rani (International Labour Organisation)
   Konstantinos Pouliakas (Cedefop)
   Sara Riso (Eurofound)
   Emmanuelle Brun (European Agency for Safety and Health at Work)
   Cesira Urzi Brancati (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
   Open Discussion (20 minutes)
   Moderated by Sara Baiocco (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
17:55 – 18:00 Concluding remarks by Sara Baiocco (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)