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Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
▶ Future of work					
Virtual, ITC-ILO Turin Centre (Italy)	Creating a sustainable future of work and a just transition towards blue economy in African Island states	Programme Support Income (PSI): US\$30,000	Cabo Verde, Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Madagascar, Mauritius, Sao Tome and Principe, Seychelles, As well as two youths each from the participating countries	Tripartite G: 21 E: 14 W: 14	English French Portuguese

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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► Employment policy					
Virtual, Geneva (Switzerland) 15–16 November 2021	Fourth ILO Employment Policy Research Symposium – Employment policies for a job- rich recovery and a better future of work	European Union US\$19,600	Global meeting	Tripartite G: 4 E: 4 W: 4	English French Spanish
Virtual, Moscow, (Russian Federation) 18 November 2021	Webinar fifth CIS series 2021: Economic growth and employment creation in the CIS countries: pro- employment policies boosting the labour demand	LUKOIL: US\$7,500	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan	Tripartite G: 20 E: 10 W: 10	English Russian
Virtual, Gaborone (Botswana) 29–30 November 2021	Towards a pro- employment macroeconomic policy framework for African countries	RBTC: US\$80,000	Botswana, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Egypt, Ethiopia, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Rwanda, Senegal, Uganda	Tripartite G: 21 E: 11 W: 11	English French Portuguese
Virtual, Moscow, (Russian Federation) 2 February 2022	Regional launch of the ILO World Social Protection Report 2020–22: Regional Companion Report for Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	RBTC: US\$1,000	Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Czechia, Estonia, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Republic of Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan	Tripartite G: 50 E: 40 W: 40	English Russian

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Virtual, Bangkok (Thailand) 22–23 March 2022	Subregional Web-meeting on Skills and Human Resources Development for Green Jobs and Greening of Economies in Asia	Government of Japan US\$21,500	Indonesia, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam	Tripartite G:4 E: 4 W: 4	English

▶ **Enterprises**

Virtual, ITC–ILO Turin Centre (Italy) 15 Nov–10 Dec 2021	Tripartite training for West African Economic and Monetary Union (UEMOA) Members States "Multinational Enterprises, Development and Decent Work: the approach of the MNE Declaration"	RBTC, and Regular budget: US\$33,965	Benin, Burkina Faso, Côte d'Ivoire, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Togo	Tripartite G: 50 E: 40 W: 40	French Portuguese
Virtual, ITC–ILO Turin Centre (Italy) 1–3 March 2022	Achieving decent work for all – Guidance from the ILO Tripartite Declaration of Principles concerning Multinational Enterprises and Social Policy (MNE Declaration): a tripartite awareness-raising workshop for Cabo Verde and Mozambique	European Union and Government of Finland US\$13,525	Cabo Verde, Mozambique. The following three countries will attend as observers: Angola, Guinea-Bissau and Sao Tome and Principe	Tripartite: G: 10 E: 10 W: 10	English Portuguese

Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
Hybrid, Dhaka, Bangladesh 28–30 March 2022	Third United Nations South Asia Forum on Business and Human Rights	Regular budget US\$15,000	All countries in South Asia. Forum led by UNWG and UNDP with representatives of the Governments, national human rights institutions (NHRIs), businesses, industry associations, trade unions, civil society organizations (CSOs), academia, international and regional bodies, indigenous peoples.	South Asia Region	English

▶ **Social protection**

Virtual, Abidjan, (Côte d'Ivoire) 16–17 November 2021	Social protection – Africa's hope for achieving the SDGs: Launch of the regional Strategy for accelerating social protection coverage in Africa	RBTC: US\$42,270	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, United Republic of Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe, as well as the following European Union and donor countries: with delegations in Africa, Belgium, Canada, France, Ireland, Netherlands and Switzerland	Tripartite G: 60 E: 60 W: 60	English French Arabic Portuguese
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Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
Virtual, Beirut (Lebanon) 30 November 2021	High Level Ministerial forum: The future of Social Protection in the Arab Region: building a vision for a post-COVID-19 reality – Ministerial Forum and Technical Meeting 2021	RBTC: US\$20,000	Algeria, Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen, as well as the Occupied Palestinian Territory	Tripartite G: 22 E: 1 W: 1	English French Arabic
Virtual, Bangkok, (Thailand) 7–9 December 2021	Regional conference on extending social health protection in the Asia Pacific Region towards Universal Health Coverage	Regular budget: US\$10,000 Government of Luxemburg: US\$10,000	Regional – Asia and the Pacific regions	Tripartite: G: 2 E: 1 W: 1	English French Chinese Vietnamese

► **Governance and tripartism**

Virtual, Lima (Peru) 9 November 2021	Tripartite discussion meeting on the structuring and operation of the Latin American and Caribbean network for occupational safety and health	RBTC: US\$1,960	Argentina, Barbados, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Guyana, Mexico, Peru, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay	Tripartite: G: 14 E: 14 W: 14	English Spanish Portuguese
Hybrid, Addis Ababa, (Ethiopia) 15–16 November 2021	Africa–Arab States Tripartite Interregional Meeting on Labour Migration	Government of Switzerland: US\$83,300	Algeria, Bahrain, Burkina Faso, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Madagascar, Morocco, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Republic of Tanzania, Tunisia, Uganda, United Arab Emirates	Tripartite: G: 24 E: 24 W: 24	English French Arabic

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Virtual, Lima (Peru) 16–17 November 2021	Americas Regional Consultation in preparation of the V Global Conference on Child Labour hosted by South Africa in 2022	RBTC: US\$33,021	Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, Plurinational State of, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, 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, United States, Uruguay, Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	Tripartite: G: 35 E: 34 W: 34	English French Spanish
Hybrid, Johannesburg (South Africa) 18–19 November 2021	Africa regional consultation in preparation of the V Global Conference on Child Labour	RBTC: US\$100,000	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, United Republic of Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe	Tripartite: G: 54 E: 54 W: 54	English French Arabic Portuguese
Virtual, Suva (Fiji) 22–24 November 2021	Second United Nations Pacific forum on business and Human Rights – Pacific region	No cost for the ILO	Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, The Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Pacific Island Countries	Tripartite: G: 1 E: 1 W: 1	English

Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
Virtual, Port-of-Spain (Trinidad and Tobago) 23 November 2021	Meeting of Caribbean Ministers of Labour in preparation for the 109th International Labour Conference (ILC) Part II, 25 November to 11 December 2021	Regular budget US\$1,400	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	G:22	English French Dutch
Virtual, Lima (Peru) 30 November 2021	Peer to peer technical exchange for Ibero-American network of Labour Inspection	No cost	Argentina, Bolivia, Plurinational State of, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Spain, Uruguay,	G: 20	Spanish
Face-to-face Dead Sea (Jordan) 6-9 December 2021	Effective teleworking, occupational safety and health (OSH) and working conditions	Regular budget US\$90,000	Bahrain, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, Yemen, as well as the Occupied Palestinian Territory	Tripartite: G: 24 E: 12 W: 12	English Arabic
Virtual, Mexico City, (Mexico) 7 December 2021	COFFEE AND OSH: Conversation for stakeholders: What works in the promotion of occupational safety and health	European Union US\$3,000	Global meeting	Tripartite G: 1 E: 1 W:1	English Spanish

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Virtual, Moderated from Bangkok, New Delhi, Geneva and Turin	Asia and the Pacific Regional consultation in preparation of the V Global Conference on Child Labour hosted by South Africa in 2022	Regular budget: US\$6,512: Government of Japan: US\$19,500 Government of the United Kingdom: US\$6,000	Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Kiribati, Republic of Korea, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, The Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Viet Nam, as well as South Africa	Tripartite G: 37 E: 37 W:37	English
Virtual, ITC-ILO Turin Centre (Italy) 13-14 December 2021	Europe and Central Asia regional consultation in preparation of the V Global Conference on Child Labour (South Africa, 2022)	Regular budget US\$33,000	Albania, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Republic of Moldova, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, the United Kingdom, Uzbekistan, as well as South Africa, as host country	Tripartite G: 51 E: 51 W:51	English French Russian

Place, date	Title of meeting	Financing	Geographical coverage	Composition	Languages
Virtual, ITC-ILO Turin Centre (Italy) 15-16 December 2021	Arab States Regional Consultation in Preparation of the V Global Conference on Child Labour (South Africa, 2022)	Regular budget US\$29,500	Bahrain, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, Yemen, – The Government of South Africa, invited as the host country of the conference in 2022. The Occupied Palestinian Territory invited as well	Tripartite G: 12 E: 12 W:12	English Arabic
Virtual, Geneva (Switzerland) 29 March 2022	ILO Global Webinar: Launch of the ILO's Forced Labour Observatory (FLO)	Government of the United States US\$5,200	Global event with three tripartite panellists	Tripartite: G: 1 E: 1 W: 1	English
► Conditions of work and equality					
Virtual, Bangkok (Thailand) 18 November 2021	Opportunities and solutions of women entrepreneurs in the Asia and Pacifics	The JPMorgan Chase Foundation project US\$2,400	Bangladesh, Cambodia, Fiji, Malaysia, Nepal, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam	Bipartite: G: 10 E: 10	English
Face-to-face Nairobi (Kenya) 29 November – 1 December 2021	IGAD high level experts workshop on formulation of the plan of action for the Djibouti Declaration on Labour, Employment and Labour Migration	European Union US\$73,655	Djibouti, Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Uganda	Tripartite G: 21 E: 7 W:7	English French Arabic
Virtual, Geneva (Switzerland) 1 December 2021	Launch of the report entitled “the ILO Global HIV Discrimination in the World of Work survey”	No cost	China, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Mali, Mauritius, Morocco, Myanmar, Namibia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Congo, Romania, Russian Federation,	Tripartite: G: 1 E: 1 W: 1	English

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			Saudi Arabia, Senegal, South Africa, United Republic of Tanzania, Thailand, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United States, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe		
Virtual, Geneva (Switzerland) 8 March 2022	International Women's day – Investing in care for all: Our common agenda	Regular budget US\$10,500	Global meeting 4 Governments: (Mexico, Senegal, Thailand and European government) and social partners	Tripartite: G: 4 E: 1 W: 1	English French Spanish As well as ISL and video captioning
Hybrid, Lima (Peru) 22–25 March 2022	On the Road to Integration: Decent work as a strategic axis to promote the socio-labour integration of the migrant and refugee population in the Andean countries	Government of the United States US\$10,400	Ecuador, Peru	Tripartite: G: 24 E: 24 W: 24	English Spanish
Hybrid, Abidjan (Côte d'Ivoire) 24–25 March 2022	Virtual regional conference of the Fair Recruitment Initiative (FRI) (Phase II, 2021–2025, for the African region	Government of the United Kingdom; US\$45,000 Government of Sweden US\$54,845	Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan, United Republic of Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe	Tripartite: G: 28 E: 28 W: 28	English French Arabic Portuguese
Hybrid, Johannesburg (South Africa) September 2022	High-Level Tripartite Political Meeting “Labour migration governance in the SADC region”	European Union US\$:250,000	Angola, Botswana, Comoros, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Eswatini, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe, plus one Employer from the SADC Private Sector Forum (SPSF)	Tripartite: G: 32 E: 33 W: 33	English French Portuguese

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			and plus one Worker from the Southern African Trade Union Coordination Council (SATUCC)		

► **Employers' activities**

Virtual, Bangkok (Thailand) 11 March 2022	Regional Conference of EBMOs in Asia and the Pacific Towards greater resilience, innovation and value: Strategic and innovative approaches to organizational development and management of Employer and Business Membership Organizations	RBTC: US\$1,000	Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Kiribati, Republic of Korea, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, The Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Viet Nam	E: 70	English
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▶ Workers' activities					
Virtual training, 25 October – 12 November 2021	Decent work for platform workers: a sectoral approach on social dialogue, due diligence and collective bargaining	Responsible business conduct project: US\$25,392	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Mexico, Panama, Peru	W: 50	Spanish
Virtual, (Singapore) 26–28 October 2021	ILO–SNTUC regional trade union workshop on the global call to action for a human-centred recovery from Covid-19	RBTC: US\$10,000	Australia, Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kiribati, Republic of Korea, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, The Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Viet Nam	W: 60	English Thai Bahasa
Virtual, Bangkok (Thailand) 16 November 2021	Regional trade union workshop for promoting decent work and socially responsible labour practices in global supply chains	No cost	Australia, Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Japan, Republic of Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam	W: 51	English
Virtual, New Delhi (India) 23 November – 1 December 2021	Training on occupational safety and health (OSH) for youth trade union volunteers in South Asia	ACTRAV–ACFTU Project US\$25,928 Government of Japan US\$9,791	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka	W: 80	English

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Virtual, Bangkok (Thailand) 2 March 2022	ACTRAV regional webinar for "Promoting decent work for gig workers through legal frameworks and organizing"	No cost	Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Cambodia, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Japan, Republic of Korea, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, The Kingdom of Tonga, Viet Nam	W: 80	English
Virtual, Lima (Peru) 17 March 2022	Webinar on the labour market integration of Venezuelan migrant and refugee workers in Latin America: the role of trade unions	Government of Canada US\$5,000	Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahamas, Barbados, Bolivia, Plurinational State of, Brazil, Canada, 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, United States, Uruguay, Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	W: 33	English Spanish
Virtual, moderated from several locations 4-29 April 2022	Reconciliation of work and family life regional workshop for employees organizations.	European Union: US\$22,000	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Mexico, Panama, Peru	W: 50	Spanish