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## TRIPARTISM PLUS - RETHINKING SOCIAL DIALOGUE IN TIMES OF GLOBALIZATION AND INFORMALIZATION

### Workshop

In conjunction with 107<sup>th</sup> Session of the International Labour Conference

Wednesday, 30 May 2018

10:00 - 13:00

A welcome coffee will be served at 9:30 and light refreshments offered at 13:00 upon conclusion of the workshop

Main Hall  
World Council of Churches  
1 Route des Morillons  
1218 Grand Saconnex, Switzerland  
Bus 5 and F – Stop: “Crêts des Morillons”

### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Simultaneous interpretation in  
English and French.

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[secretariat@ccig-iccq.org](mailto:secretariat@ccig-iccq.org).

### ORGANIZERS

International Catholic Center of Geneva (CCIG), Kolping international/German Commission for Justice and Peace (GCJP), International Coordination of Young Christian Workers (ICYCW), International Young Christian Workers (IYCW), and World Movement of Christian Workers (WMCW)

### In cooperation with

Women in Informal Economy: Globalizing and Organizing (WIEGO)

### And with the support of

World Council of Churches (WCC)

Social dialogue includes all types of negotiation, consultation and exchange of information between or among representatives of governments, employers and workers on issues of common interest relating to economic and social policy. Social dialogue gives people a voice and a stake in their societies and workplaces. It is, therefore, central to the functioning of the ILO itself.

In conjunction with the 107th International Labour Conference, this event seeks to raise awareness about opportunities and challenges associated with social dialogue, highlighting its potential and limits in our societies, as well as to facilitate a creative discussion on the different positions and approaches to reinforcing Social Dialogue within and beyond the ILO, at the national and local level. The event also intends to focus on cases where social dialogue is important to create new understandings for the need to protect informal workers and other vulnerable groups in precarious work situations.

For more information on the topic, consult ILO Reports “[Social Dialogue and Tripartism](#)” and “[Ending violence and harassment in the world of work](#)”.

### PROGRAM

Moderation: **Ms. Hildegard Hagemann**, Kolping International/GCJP

#### 10:00 – Welcome

**Prof. Dr. Isabel Apawo Phiri**, Deputy General Secretary for Public Witness and Diakonia, World Council of Churches

**Ms. Maria D’Onofrio**, Secretary General, CCIG

#### 10:10 – Opening Remarks

**H.E. Mgr. Ivan Jurkovič**, Apostolic Nuncio, Permanent Observer of the Holy See at the UN

#### 10:20 – Keynote speech: *Social Dialogue as a means to promote decent work for ensuring non-violent places of work?*

**Ms. Jane Hodges**, Former Director, Gender Equality, ILO

#### 10:40 – Sharing of experiences of especially vulnerable groups challenging Social Dialogue:

**Addressing Gender based violence at the workplace - Ms. Leizyl Salem**, Asia Pacific Coordinator, IYCW

**Empowering migrant workers – Ms. Floriane Rodier**, National Secretary, YCW France

**Collective bargaining and self-employed informal workers - the example of street vendors - Ms. Lorraine Simbanda**, President of StreetNet, ZIMBABWE – partner of WIEGO

#### 11:00 – Questions and Discussion

#### 11:30 – Panel Discussion followed by Plenary Debate

**Ms. Jane Hodges**, Former Director, Gender Equality, ILO

**Ms. Odile Frank**, Representative, Global Coalition for Social Protection Floors

**Ms. Anna Biondi**, Deputy Director, Bureau for Workers’ Activities, ILO

**Ms. Sarah Prenger**, International President, IYCW

#### 12h55 – Concluding Remarks

**Ms. Marilea Damasio**, General Secretary, WMCW



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