



Cordially invite you:

LABOUR INSPECTION AS AN INSTRUMENT TO PROTECT WORKERS IN INFORMAL ECONOMY: CHALLENGES, OPPORTUNITIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Workshop

In conjunction with 106th Session of the International Labour Conference

Wednesday, 7 June 2017

9:30 - 13:30

A welcome coffee will be served at 9:00 and light refreshments offered at 13:30 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.
Please confirm your attendance at:
secretariat@ccig-iccg.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), World Movement of Christian Workers (WMCW), Caritas Internationalis (CI), and International Catholic Migration Commission (ICMC)

In collaboration with
Migrant Forum in Asia (MFA)

And with the support of
World Council of Churches (WCC)

In conjunction with the 106th International Labour Conference, this event seeks to raise awareness about the opportunities and the challenges of labour inspection, highlighting its potential and its limits in our societies, as well as to touch upon the debate over social auditing versus labour inspection. While allowing remarkable speakers the opportunity to share best practices and challenges faced in different regions of the world, the Panel discussion will be based on the position paper “Labour inspection in a globalized world”, recently published by Trade Unions and Catholic Organizations in Germany.

PROGRAM

9:30 – Welcome and Opening Remarks

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

Ms. Maria D’Onofrio, Secretary General, International Catholic Center of Geneva

9:45 – Introduction: *Challenges in protecting the rights of migrant workers*

Ms. Jasmine Lidasan, Migrant Forum in Asia

10:15 – Testimonies from:

Africa - Ms. Prossy Nambatya, Joint Action Committee on Decent Work in Uganda

Latin America - Mr. Berhanu Sinamo, Int. Coordination of Young Christian Workers

South East Asia - Ms. Apinya Tajit, Caritas Thailand

Moderation: **Ms. Sarah Prenger**, International Young Christian Workers

11:00 – Questions and Discussion

11:15 – Coffee Break

11:30 – Presentation of “Labour inspection in a globalised world”

Position paper from the German Confederation of Trade Unions (DGB) and the German Commission for Peace and Justice (GCJP)

Mr. Markus Demele, Kolping International

11:45 – Panel Discussion followed by Plenary Debate

Mr. Arsenio Fernandez Rodriguez, Technical Specialist, ILO

Ms. Martine Combemale, Human Resources without Borders

Ms. Nicola Piper, Sydney Asia Pacific Migration Centre

Mr. Markus Demele, Kolping International

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

13h15 – Concluding Remarks

Ms. Marilea Damasio, General Secretary, World Movement of Christian Workers