



## ***Multisectoral public services and telecoms social dialogue project conference***

### **The role of social partners in preventing third-party violence & harassment at work**

**Friday 25 November 2022, Madrid, Spain**

National Occupational Health and Safety Institute (INSST), 73 Torrelaguna Street

#### **Agenda**

##### ***Background conference documents:***

- ✓ *Multisectoral social dialogue Guidelines to tackle third-party violence and harassment at work adopted in 2010 by the European social partners for healthcare, education, local and regional government, commerce and private security, and in 2018, central government are available [here](#) in 21 languages*
- ✓ *Project research report including recommendations for improvements to the Guidelines by Dr. Jane Pillinger*
- ✓ *Project Steering Group's action plan*
- ✓ *Questions for the working groups*
- ✓ *Reports of project theme-based webinars are available in EN [here](#)*

**Interpretation:** DE -EN - ES- FR-IT- SV

**8h30 Registration of delegates**

**9h00** *Chair, Karin Brunzell, ST, Sweden, vice-chair of EPSU's committee for central governments*

- **Welcoming words**, Ms. María Hernando Fernández-Cortacero, General Secretary of INSST
- **Project overview and conference objectives**, Jan Willem Goudriaan, EPSU General Secretary

**9h15** **The role of collective bargaining in preventing and tackling violence and harassment at work**, Spain's Public Administration Secretary of State, Lidia Sanchez

**9h30** **Latest EU-wide data on the scale and impact of third-party violence and harassment at work in public services**



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- ✓ Initial sectoral findings and insights from EWcTS, Eurofound, Viginta Ivaskaite-Tamosiune
- ✓ Project research findings, Dr. Jane Pillinger, project researcher

Q&A

10h15 **Implementation of the 2010 multisectoral guidelines and recommendations for improvements**, Dr. Jane Pillinger

**Action plan by the steering group** (doc)

Q&A

11h15 *Coffee break*

11h45 **Working groups on the action plan** –1 multilingual & two English only

13h00 *Lunch at the conference venue*

14h30 *Chair, Leonie Martin, HOSPEEM policy officer*  
**Reports of working groups**

15h00 **What more can social partners do to prevent and protect workers from violence and harassment at the workplace?**

Panel

*Moderator, Nadja Salson, EPSU policy officer*

European Commission, DG Justice, gender equality unit, policy officer **Bianca Farragau** (online): the draft directive on combating violence against women and domestic violence and role of social partners.

ETUC Women's Committee Chair **Gloria Mills** and SGI-Europe Senior Policy Advisor Social Affairs **Guillaume Afellat** (online): implementation of the EU cross-sector social partners' agreement on violence and harassment at work (2007)

EU Occupational Safety and Health Agency official, **Michaela Seiffert** – Enforcing the EU legal requirement on risk assessment through the OiRA tool in cooperation with governments and social partners in the EU

Discussion

16h30 **Recap of follow-up action plan** - Project Partners

17h00 **Closing** – At 18h30, Gran Via – Pza Espana, conference delegates are welcome to join the 25.11 rally in Madrid to mark International Day for the elimination of violence against women.



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