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Global Goal and a National Reality”

“Making Decent Work a Global Goal and a National Reality” 18-20 September 2007

In collaboration with other organizations, the ILO will hold an international conference on Making Decent Work a Global Goal and a National Reality during the largest safety and health exhibition in the world at Messe Düsseldorf in Germany.

The conference will highlight the challenges of strengthening labour inspection systems, strategies and practices within the context of the Decent Work agenda and Decent Work Country Programmes in particular. The conference will specifically focus on prevention and social security and using the supply chain to improve standards, with particular reference to safety and health for airport staff. Other key themes include the reform of labour inspection systems and issues of good governance and ways for advancing the concept of Decent Work at international, national and enterprise levels. High-ranking officials from governments, social partners and international organizations will also take part in a round table discussion at the end of the conference to deliberate further on issues raised during the proceedings.

Our special thanks go to the sponsors of this conference:

- Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Germany
- Ministry of Labour and Social Solidarity, Portugal
- Berufsgenossenschaftlicher Arbeitsmedizinischer und Sicherheitstechnischer Dienst (BAD): Gesundheitsvorsorge und Sicherheitstechnik GmbH, Germany

- Deutsche Gesetzliche Unfallversicherung, Germany
- Fraport AG, Germany
- Messe Düsseldorf GmbH, Germany
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- Bundesarbeitsgemeinschaft für Sicherheit und Gesundheit bei der Arbeit (Basi) e.V., Germany
- European Agency for Safety and Health at Work
- Directorate General for Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, European Commission
- International Association of Labour Inspection (IALI)
- Industrial Accident Prevention Association, Canada (IAPA)
- International Social Security Association (ISSA)
- International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH)
- Team Prevent
- World Health Organization (WHO)

With good will and the participation of all, we will make Decent Work a global goal and a national reality. I am counting on every one of you to help us reach this objective.

Mr. Assane Diop

Executive Director
Social Protection, ILO, Geneva

Conference Programme

“Making Decent Work a Global Goal”

Tuesday, 18 September 2007, Day 1

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| 12.00 - 18.00 | Registration of conference participants in the main entrance hall of the conference centre, CCD Süd |
| 14.00 - 17.00 | Opening of the A+A International Congress “International and European Occupational Safety and Health Strategies” Room 3, CCD Süd |
| 19.00 - 22.30 | Boat Reception for ILO conference participants on the MS-Riverstar |

Wednesday, 19 September 2007, Day 2

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| 08.00 - 08.50 | Registration of conference participants in the main entrance hall of the conference centre, CCD Süd |
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09.00 - 10.45 Opening Session

Chairman: Mr. Gerd Albracht

Coordinator, Development of Inspection Systems,
International Labour Office (ILO), Geneva, Switzerland

- **Dr. Toru Itani**
Director, Labour Protection Department, ILO, Geneva
- **Mr. Kajo Wasserhövel**
Administrative Secretary of State, Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Germany
- **Mr. Fernando Medina**
Secretary of State for Employment,
Ministry of Labour and Social Security, Portugal
- **Ms. Michele Patterson**
President, IALI, South Australia
- **Dr. Jürgen Brauckmann**
Member of the Board of Management, TÜV Rheinland, Germany
- **Mr. Hans-Horst Konkolewsky**
Secretary-General, International Social Security Association,
Geneva, Switzerland
- **Ms. Lenia Samuel**
Deputy Director General, Directorate General for Employment,
Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities, European Commission, Belgium

10.45 - 11.15 Coffee Break and Press Conference

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11.15 - 12.45

Session 1: Decent Work - A Global Goal

Chairman: Mr. Wolfgang Heller

Director, ILO Berlin, Germany

Rapporteur: Mr. Paul Weber

Secretary-General, International Association of Labour Inspection (IALI) and
Director, Inspection du Travail et des Mines, Luxembourg

Keynote Address: Good Governance at Work in a Global Economy

• **Prof. Michael Piore**

David W. Skinner Professor of Political Economy,
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA

International Labour Standards for Decent Work Country Programmes

• **Ms. Cleopatra Doumbia-Henry**

Director, International Labour Standards Department,
ILO, Geneva, Switzerland

Ms. Renate Hornung-Draus

Member of the ILO Governing Body and Director of European Union and
International Social Policy, Confederation of German Employers (BDA), Berlin,
Germany

Dr. Ursula Engelen-Kefer

Member of the ILO Governing Body,
Former Deputy Chairperson of the Board of Management,
German Confederation of Trade Unions (DGB), Berlin, Germany

WHO Global Plan of Action for Workers' Health

• **Dr. Maria Neira**

Director, Public Health and Environment, WHO, Geneva, Switzerland

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12.45 - 14.15

Lunch

14.15 - 15.45

Session 2 : Decent Work – A National Reality? The Value of Effective Labour Inspection

Chairperson: **Ms. Michele Patterson**

President IALI and Executive Director, SafeWork, South Australia

Rapporteur: **Dr. Bernd Brückner**

Vice-President, IALI and Director, Labour Inspection, Hesse, Germany

Keynote Address: Strategies for Effective Labour Inspection

· **Mr. Gerd Albracht**

Coordinator, Development of Inspection Systems, ILO, Geneva

Increasing Impact through Innovation

· **Ms. Helle Tosine**

Assistant Deputy Minister, Ontario Ministry of Labour, Canada

Labour Inspection Partnership between Portuguese Speaking Countries

· **Mr. Paulo de Carvalho**

Chief Labour Inspector, Portugal

Decent Work Country Programmes in Latin America

· **Dr. Valentina Forastieri**

Senior Occupational Safety and Health Specialist for Latin America, ILO, Costa Rica

Achieving Best Practice in CIS Countries

· **Mr. Wiking Husberg**

Senior Occupational Safety and Health Specialist for Eastern Europe and Central Asia, ILO, Russia

Labour Protection and Vulnerable Groups

· **Mr. Wolfgang von Richthofen**

Technical Adviser to IALI, France

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15.45 - 16.15 Coffee Break

16.15 - 17.30 Good Governance for Labour Inspection

• **Mr. Jean Bessière**

Deputy Director, Directorate-General of Labour, Ministry of Labour, Social Relations and Solidarity, France

Promoting Decent Work in English-Speaking African Countries

• **Mr. Sammy Nyambari**

Vice-President of IALI and Director of African Regional Labour Administration Centre, Harare, Zimbabwe

Strategies for Promoting Decent Work in Brazil

• **Mr. Fernando Coelho Neto**

Health Services Executive Manager, National Industrial Social Services Department, Brazil

Modernizing Labour Administration in Francophone African Countries

• **Mr. Moussa Oumarou**

Senior Specialist, Labour Law and Labour Administration, ILO, Geneva

Reforming Labour Inspection in Morocco

• **Mr. Abdelaziz Addoum**

Director of Labour, Ministry of Employment and Vocational Training, Morocco

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09.00 - 10.30

Session 3: Decent Work on the Enterprise Level in the Logistics and Transport Industry and in the Supply Chain

Chairman: Mr. André Cano

Director, Institute of Labour, Employment and Vocational Training, Lyon, France

Rapporteur: Mr. Leonard Sassano

Director, Strategic Alliances, Industrial Accident Prevention Association (IAPA), Ontario, Canada

Keynote Address: The Benefits of Good Safety and Health for Staff in International Airports

· **Mr. Herbert Mai**

Member of the Board of Management and Labour Director, Fraport AG, Frankfurt Airport Services Worldwide, Germany

Multi-National Cooperation Towards Achieving Decent Work in Airports

· **Mr. Georges Toussaint Gnablohou**

Head of Administration and Personnel, Agence pour la Sécurité de la Navigation Aérienne en Afrique et à Madagascar (ASECNA)

Aerial Safety for Logistic and Airfreight Companies, Problems and Solutions

· **Mr. Christian Buchenthal**

Aviation Security Expert, TÜV Rheinland, Germany

Occupational Health and Safety within a Major Airline

· **Dr. Eckhardt Müller-Sacks**

Head of B.A.D. centre, Düsseldorf, Germany

A Global Company Commitment to Corporate Health

· **Dr. Andreas Tautz**

Chief Medical Officer, Deutsche Post World Net, Germany

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee Break

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Thursday, 20 September 2007, Day 3

11.00 - 12.15

A Comprehensive Approach to Safety and Health in the Supply Chain

· Mr. Michael Abromeit

Vice-President Operations, IAPA, Canada

Incentives for Safety and Health Management in SMEs in Singapore

· Mr. Ho Siong Hin

Commissioner for Workplace Safety and Health and Divisional Director,
Occupational Safety and Health Division, Ministry of Manpower, Singapore

Reaching Small Firms through the Supply Chain in South Africa, Mexico and Brazil

· Ms. Elke Sebold-Tanski

Head of Department, Occupational Safety Brand / Group –
Strategy and Coordination, Volkswagen AG, Wolfsburg, Germany

Establishing a Management System for Safety and Health in Rwanda

· Prof. Bernd Tenckhoff

Senior HSE Expert, GTZ project, Rwanda

A Comprehensive Approach to Operational Safety and Health Management

· Dr. Ulrike Roth

Business Field Manager, Occupational Medicine, TÜV Rheinland, Germany

12.15 - 13.30

Lunch

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13.30 - 15.45

Session 4: Prevention and Social Security

Chairman: Mr. Hans-Horst Konkolewsky

Secretary-General, International Social Security Association (ISSA),
Geneva, Switzerland

Rapporteur: Ms. Patricia Weinert

Senior Programme Manager, ISSA, Geneva, Switzerland

**Does Safety Pay? Internationally Renowned Speakers will Showcase
the Important Contribution of Prevention to Social Security.**

• **Ms. Maureen Shaw**

President and Chief Executive Officer, IAPA, Canada

• **Dr. Joachim Breuer**

Managing Director, DGUV, Germany

• **Dr. Zofia Pawlowska**

Head of Department of Occupational Safety and Health Management,
Central Institute for Labour Protection, Poland

• **Dr. Mohammed Azman Bin Aziz Mohammed**

Head of Medical and Rehabilitation Division,
Malaysian Social Security Organisation (PERKESO), Malaysia

Discussion

15.45 - 16.15

Coffee Break

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16.15 - 17.15

Round Table Discussion

Chairman: Mr. Stephen Pursey

Director of the Policy Integration and Statistics Department, ILO,
Geneva, Switzerland

- **Mr. Brent Wilton**
Deputy Secretary-General, International Organization of Employers, Geneva
- **Ms. Fiona Murie**
Director of Health and Safety, Building and Woodworkers' International,
Geneva
- **Ms. Michele Patterson**
President, IALI, South Australia
- **Mr. Gerd Albracht**
Coordinator, Development of Inspection Systems,
ILO, Geneva
- **Mr. Herbert Mai**
Member of the Board of Management and Labour Director, Fraport AG,
Germany
- **Representative of the Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs,
Germany**

17.15 - 17.30

Closing Address and Final Statement “Making Decent Work a Global Goal and a National Reality”

- **Dr. Sameera Al-Tuwaijri**
Director, Safety and Health at Work and the Environment
(SafeWork), ILO, Geneva

Maps & Directions

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How to get to the Messe Congress Centre CCD South

By plane:

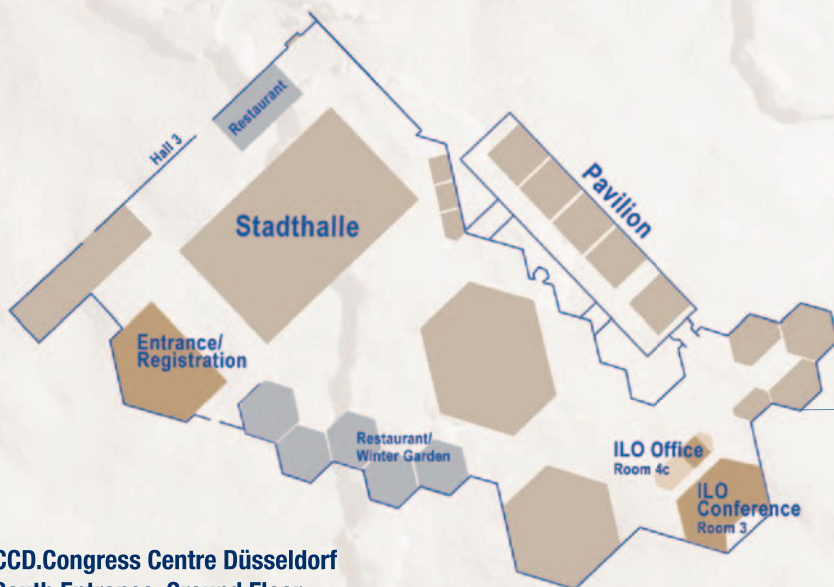
The airport is located three kilometers from the Congress Centre.
You can reach the centre in a matter of minutes by taking the no. 896 bus or a taxi.

From the city centre:

Take U78 or U79 tram. At the „Messe Ost“ stop, you can switch to the no. 722 bus, which stops directly in front of the administration buildings as well as at the South Entrance.

By car:

The route to the Messe Congress Centre will be marked by signs on the highway to Düsseldorf.
A detailed map can be found at www.aplusa-online.de.



CCD.Congress Centre Düsseldorf
South Entrance, Ground Floor

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How to get to the Boat Reception on 18 Sep. 2007

Pier location: Leaving the CCD south-entrance, go straight down to the river (Rhine) and you will find the embarkation point of the MS-Riverstar.



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