Draft Agenda

Tuesday, 28 November 2006

16:00 – 18:00  Registration

Wednesday, 29 November 2006

08:30 – 09:30  Registration

There will be interpretation English / French / Spanish in all sessions.

Morning Session  09:30 – 12:30: in plenary

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Room II (R3 – South)

09:30 – 10:00  Welcome / Opening

Juan Somavia, Director General, International Labour Office

Gerry Rodgers, Director, International Institute for Labour Studies

Global Production, Social Models and Development

Presentations and Q&A

Keynote Speakers

10:00 – 11:15  José Antonio Ocampo, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Gerhard Bosch, Professor of Sociology, Institute for Work and Technology, Gelsenkirchen, Germany

11:15 – 12:30  Gary Gereffi, Professor of Sociology, Duke University, Durham, United States

Ha-Joon Chang, Assistant Director of Development Studies, Cambridge University, United Kingdom
### ISSUE FOCUS 1: Changing Social Models in Europe and Latin America

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#### 14:30 – 17:30

**National Models’ Responses to Globalization.** This session will feature short (15 minute) presentations on selected countries in both regions followed by general comments from discussants.

#### 14:30 – 16:00

**Europe**

- **Sweden**
  - Dominique Anxo, Växjö University

- **Germany**
  - Steffen Lehndorff, Institute for Work and Technology, Gelsenkirschen

- **Southern Europe**
  - Maria Karamessini, Panteion University, Athens

Comments and discussion, with the participation of:

- Jelle Visser, University of Amsterdam

#### 16:00 – 17:30

**Latin America**

- **Chile**
  - Manuel Riesco, National Center for Alternative Development, Santiago

- **Brazil**
  - Márcio Pochmann, University of Campinas

- **Uruguay**
  - Fernando Filgueira, University of the Republic, Montevideo

Comments and discussion, with the participation of:

- Guillermo Campero, University of Chile
 ISSUE FOCUS 2: Global Production Networks and the Local Creation of Decent Work

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14:30 – 17:30 Short presentations and discussion.

Challenges for Decent Work in Global Production: Impacts on Employment and Income

Trade and GPNs: Implications for labour and wages in developing countries
Raphael Kaplinsky, The Open University, United Kingdom

Global producers and their impacts upon national manufacturing capabilities and jobs in Kenya
Dorothy McCormick, Institute of Development Studies, University of Nairobi, Kenya

The Mexican Maquila model is exhausted? The limits of Industrial upgrading and industrial policy
Jorge Carrillo, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Tijuana, Mexico

Policies for Global Production Networks and Local Decent Work

The resurgence of industrial development policies: Strengthening national industries and improving the quality and quantity of employment
Mario Cimoli, CEPAL

Industrial clusters in China: Building local innovative capacity and jobs through global linkages
Jici Wang, Department of Geography, Beijing University

Four generic models in global production networks: Experience of the semiconductor industry in East Asia
Dong-Sung Cho, Seoul National University, Rep. of Korea

Comments and discussion, with the participation of:
Afonso Fleury, Polytechnic School, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil

Cocktail hosted by the Director of the IILS
Thursday, 30 November 2006

Morning Session 09:30 – 12:30: in plenary

PLENARY Room II (R3 – South)

09:30 – 12:30 Perspectives on the Research Needs of the Decent Work Agenda

Keynote Speakers:

09:30 – 11:00 Renate Hornung-Draus, Director, European and International Affairs, Confederation of German Employers

Ida Regalia, Professor of Labour Studies, University of Milan, Italy

Csilla Kollonay Lehoczky, Professor of Law, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

11:00 – 12:30 Evance Kalula, Professor of Law, University of Cape Town, and Director of The Institute of Development and Labour Law, South Africa

Sandra Polaski, Senior Associate and Director Trade, Equity and Development Project, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, United States

Jayati Ghosh, Professor of Economics, Centre of Economic Studies and Planning, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India
**Afternoon Session** 14:30 – 17:30: the Conference splits into two focus groups

**ISSUE FOCUS 1: Changing Social Models in Europe and Latin America**

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National labour law, social rights and market concerns in Europe  
*Silvana Sciarra, University of Florence, Italy*

Social rights in the context of labour law reforms in Latin America  
*Adrián O. Goldin, University of San Andrés, Buenos Aires, Argentina*

Revisiting the labour market effects of employment protection legislation in Latin America  
*Adriana Marshall, National Council of Scientific and Technical Research & Institute for Economic and Social Development, Buenos Aires, Argentina*

Social rights protection in Europe  
*Marc Rigaux, University of Antwerp, Belgium*

The social dimension of Mercosur  
*Oscar Ermida, University of the Republic, Montevideo, Uruguay*

Monetary union and the European social model  
*Jean-Paul Fitoussi & Éloi Laurent, Paris Institute for Political Studies, France*
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**Governance and the Role of Social Actors in Promoting Decent Work in GPNs**

- Global Network firms and Global Networks of NGOs: Towards a New Mode of Regulation?
  *Florence Palpacuer, University Montpellier 1 – ISEM, France*

- Participation in the global garment and textile value chain: Implications for firms and workers
  *Khalid Nadvi, School of Environment and Development, University of Manchester, United Kingdom (invited)*

- Indian policies toward the IT sector: The role of employers
  *Shaurab Srivastava, Executive Chairman, Xansa & Chairman Emeritus NASSCOM, India*

- Trade unions using research to improve employment in GPNs
  *Kjeld Jakobsen, Social Observatory, Brazil*

- Organizing women workers in the informal economy as a strategy for upgrading work in global production chains
  *Martha Chen, Coordinator of the global research policy network Women in Informal Employment: Globalizing and Organizing (WIEGO)*

- Impact assessment of codes compliance among companies participating in the Ethical Trade Initiative
  *Stephanie Ware Barrientos, Institute of Development Studies, Sussex University, United Kingdom*
**Friday, 1 December 2006**

**Morning Session** 10:00 – 13:00: in plenary

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