

Working Time Reduction in Europe : Who and How?

European Work-Time Network Conference 2024



Agenda

The European Work-Time Network is hosting its 2024 conference on 17th and 18th October at Mundo Madou in Brussels.

We will have five panel discussions on various topics relating to the practical implementation of working time reduction in Europe, with speakers from trade unions, universities, campaigns and political organisations.

There will be a private event for the Network's members from 1.45pm on the 18th October.

The conference is being funded by the Alex Ferry Foundation. Live interpretation is being provided by EPSU, and registrations are being hosted by the ETUC.

Please see the following page for the conference agenda.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with the Network's Coordinator India at:

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Thursday 17th October

- 11.30 - 12.00** Arrivals and lunch
- 12.00 - 13.00** Introduction to the conference
Parliamentarian comments
- 13.00 - 13.50** **Panel 1:**
Wage increases vs reduced working hours
(with no loss in pay)
- 14.00 - 14.50** **Panel 2:**
Daily reduction of hours vs reduction of days
(4-day work week)
- 14.50 - 15.10** Break
- 15.10 - 16.00** **Panel 3:**
Working time reduction and the
intensification of work
- 16.00 - 16.45** Networking
- 19.00 -** **Dinner** (Optional)
Partially subsidised - book in advance

Friday 18th October

- 9.30 - 10.00** Arrivals
- 10.00 - 10.30** Introduction to Day 2
- 10.30 - 11.20** **Panel 4:**
Driving working time reduction: Employees vs
Employers
- 11.20 - 11.40** Break
- 11.40 - 12.30** **Panel 5:**
Achieving working time reduction: office jobs,
industrial jobs, service sector jobs
- 12.30 - 13.00** Conference close
- 13.00 - 13.45** Networking lunch
- 13.45 - 17.00** Private: Network Members' Event