

Invitation to an ETUI Education course

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Dear Colleagues,

ETUI Education invites you to attend the online training course "Online English for trade unionists – intermediate level".

It will be delivered from **14 April to 6 July 2025** (12 weeks) and it will involve about 36 hours of individual work. Learners can follow the course at their own rhythm by accessing at any moment the online training platform. Online tutors will support participants during the training.

The course covers the intermediate level of English. It includes different types of activities that participants should take part in, including:

- 1. reading texts, audio files and videos on a wide range of trade union related topics;
- 2. quizzes which test participant's understanding of key vocabulary and grammar;
- 3. forums where participants can share opinions and experiences with other learners;
- 4. speaking and writing assignments to which participants receive personal feedback from the course tutors.

There will be also the possibility to attend online live conversations with the course tutors facilitating discussion and interaction within small groups of participants.

More information about the course are presented in the video available here

Aim and objectives

The following aims have been set:

- use specific vocabulary of trade unions;
- access to a trade union glossary;
- develop communication skills on reviewing grammar skills;
- exchange information and views in English about current key issues with other trade unionists;
- express oneself in writing on current trade union issues in Europe;
- put into practice acquired linguistic competences through assignments.

Working languages

English.

<mark>Venue</mark> Online



Participants

Trade unionists from ETUC affiliated Organizations with an intermediate level of English. Before filling the enrolment form, interested participants are warmly recommended to take 15 minutes and assess online their level https://learn.etui.org/.

How are enrolments processed?

A maximum of 200 participants can be accepted. The final confirmation of the participants will be done by ETUI bearing in mind the requirements for the target group. Selection of participants follows the criteria "first come, first served".

Participants' registration

The individual expression of interests must be done before **4April 2025** by filling the online form available here:

https://crm.etui.org/form/online-english-for-trade-unionis

Once the 200 available places are filled, registrations will be closed. Given the high numbers of requests, this can happen before the deadline.

Payment of registration

Participation is free of charge.

Additional information

Should you need any additional information please do not hesitate to contact Sylviane Mathy, e-mail: smathy@etui.org

Yours sincerely,

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